

6 November 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Year 7 History Trip to Battle Abbey 24 -27 November 2017

To support our Year 7 History students, we are organising a day trip to the historic village of Battle in Sussex, site of the Battle of Hastings in 1066. (**Please Note:** To accommodate as many students as possible we are running the trip twice: **Friday 24 November and Monday 27 November 2017**. Students will be allocated to one of these days and you will be informed which day has been allocated to your son/daughter). The students will also be participating in a workshop led by English Heritage. It is an excellent opportunity to visit a world famous landmark site in British History. The day will help further students understanding of the Norman Conquest, a pivotal area of study in Year 7 and also later on at GCSE.

The itinerary for the day can be viewed below:-

- Depart from Wilmington Academy at 8.40am
- Entrance to Battle Abbey
- Returning to Wilmington Academy for the end of the Academy day

The cost of the trip is £17, including transport and entrance fees. Payment is required **asap** to secure a place and full payment must be made by **Friday 10 November 2017 on ParentPay**. Please then return the permission slip returned to the Jupiter College Admin Office. (Places will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.) If you require a barcoded letter for payment of trip please contact your child's Admin College Admin Office.

Once your son's/daughter's place on the trip is confirmed they will be given a Wilmington Academy consent form to complete and return.

Students are allowed to wear their own clothes, please dress in sensible comfortable clothes and shoes. Your child will also need to bring a packed lunch.

Current legislation permits us to ask only for a voluntary contribution towards the cost of a visit. No student will be discriminated against on the grounds of inability to pay. However, if insufficient funds are not raised through contributions, then unfortunately the visit will have to be cancelled.

Yours faithfully



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PERMISSION SLIP

Please return to the Jupiter College Admin Office

I give permission forto participate in the Year 7 trip to Battle Abbey.

I have paid a non-refundable payment of £17 via ParentPay ()

I have paid a non-refundable payment of £17 via PayPal on a barcoded letter ()

Signed..... (Parent/Carer) Print Name.....

Date..... Student's Tutor Group.....