

10th September 2024

Dear Parents/Carers

Year 10 Rewards Trip – Thorpe Park, Fright Night 2024

Following my recent correspondence, I am excited to extend a conditional place for your child for on our end-of-half term trip to **Thorpe Park on Friday 18th October 2024**. Please note that this trip falls on a school day and will end late in the evening of 18th October.

Details of the Trip:

Date: Friday 18th October 2024

Time: Departure at 2.00pm (prior to P5)

Return: Approximately 10.00pm (if any earlier/later, we will send an updated ETA via Class Charts).

Due to the later return time, students should be collected by parents/carers to ensure they arrive home safely, please ensure you leave Mill Lane clear for the coach to make its way down without obstruction.

The cost of the trip, which covers transportation, admission to Thorpe Park & The Fright Night Additions, and supervision by our staff throughout the day/night, is £54.00. If your child in receipt of Free School Meals, adopted from care, a Young Carer or if your child is eligible for the Pupil Premium funding, then there may be some funding support available. Please contact me if you require support with the payment of this trip.

Key Information

Students will have the opportunity to purchase lunch at a slightly earlier time than usual, then allowing them time to eat and depart for a prompt 2.00pm departure. Student may also want to bring money to purchase food from the site as we will be there until 9.00pm. Due to the short commute, we will not be stopping at any services. **Please note that a majority of vendors in Thorpe Park are now cashless, and only accept card payment/Apple Pay.**

All students will be provided with an emergency contact card with the following mobile number: **07853 008616**. If they find themselves lost, they will be able to let us know so a member staff can go and meet them. The site has trained staff members to assist lost students, they can also report to any member of staff and tell them that they are lost. The park has our contact numbers and will call should they need to. If you need to contact us during the trip, please call on the number above.

Students must wear uniform to school on the day but may change during lunch time if they wish too. Due to the time of the year, cooler weather is likely, along with rain. Please consider what clothing your child bring if they wish to change. Please note that appropriate dress is essential; this means no clothing that exposes the midriff, no shorts at an inappropriate length and no tank tops etc. Please bring a jacket in case of inclement weather, this can also be kept on the bus.



We have high expectations of student behaviour on trips. The school reserves the right to withdraw a student from the trip if their behaviour in school means that they could not be trusted or would be likely to undermine the safety or success of trip for others. The school will not be able to issue any refunds. Further to this, students must maintain good attendance in line with our policies to keep their place on the trip.

Conditions

As this is a rewards trip, this means that their space is conditional, even once paid. In order for students to attend this trip, they must:

- Receive no Red Cards
- Have attendance of 96% or above (authorised absence does not count)
- Receive less than 10 conduct points/yellow cards/2nd yellow cards (all together)

Students who have paid but fail to adhere to the above conditions will be removed from the trip and as previously mentioned the school will not be able to issue any refund. Please discuss this factor with your child before making any payments.

To confirm your child's space on this trip, payment can only be made via ParentPay and needs to be paid no later than **Wednesday 25th September 2024**, any attempts after this date will not be accepted and the payment portal will be closed. Failure to make the deadline will result in your child's space being offered to next student on the waiting list.

Please note, those who requested a place on this trip via the MS Forms Link will be offered a place in the first instance, and any additional spaces will be made available on a first come, first served basis. Once all spaces are filled, the school reserves the right to close the trip. If you have any questions, please email aydins@haileyburyturnford.com.

Yours faithfully



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