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8 September 2016

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s)

Re: Visit to Krakow and Auschwitz, Poland

The Sociology and Psychology Department are organising a five day trip for students from Years 12 and 13, to Krakow, Poland, taking in the Jewish Museum and Auschwitz.

This trip will take place on Thursday 9 February 2017 until Sunday 12 February 2017.

The pupils will be able to examine where unchecked prejudice and discrimination can lead. They will gain an understanding of the relevance of the Holocaust to today's society. It explores issues of citizenship and community cohesion and encourages participation in society.

The cost of the trip is approximately £470, which will cover the cost of coach, flights from Bristol to Krakow, 4 nights accommodation on a bed and breakfast basis in Krakow, and full insurance. Students will need to bring food/refreshments for the outward journey. They may also wish to bring spending money for the week and to purchase food/refreshments for the return journey.

We will leave school at 3.30 am on Thursday 9 February 2017 and travel by coach to Bristol Airport. On arrival at Krakow there will be a coach transfer to the hotel. We will return to Huish at approximately 10.00 pm on Sunday 12 February 2017; parents should arrange onward transport home for their son or daughter.

If you would like your son/daughter to participate in this educational activity, please complete and return the payment and consent forms, with a non-refundable deposit, to the Sixth Form Reception by Monday 3 October 2016 to secure your place.

Yours sincerely

David Eastwood

Mr D Eastwood
Sociology Department

Please complete this form and return with your payment.

Trip Name: POLAND TRIP – YEAR 12/13		
Pupil Name:		Form:
Date of Trip	9.2.17 – 12.2.17	
Amount enclosed	Cash	Cheque
£100 Deposit*	£	£
Please tick if making a payment through Wisepay.		
Email address		
If you feel that your child may be eligible for Pupil Premium/LSF Funding please contact the Academy.		

***This deposit is non-refundable. There will be a remaining £370 to pay.**

A small welfare fund exists to support students in participating in Academy activities such as this study visit, where parents are suffering financial hardship and who may therefore be unable to afford the full donation required. If this applies, please write to the Principal in confidence.

1. What do I do now?

Please return this form in an envelope clearly marked with the Trip Name on the front.
Cheques should be made payable to Huish Episcopi Academy.

2. Where do I send payments?

Cash payments can be handed in to the **Academy Shop** during morning break only.
 Cheque payments can be handed in to the **Academy Shop** as above.
 If your payment is by cheque please write the following on the reverse:

- your address
- your son/daughter’s name and form
- the name of the trip.

3. Online Payments

For online payments through our new online payment system ‘Wisepay’ please log on to our website www.huishepiscopi.net and click on the Wisepay logo/link. If you have not received your username and log in details, please contact Karen Chard in the finance office.

Please note that for trips that require a deposit, payment of this initial deposit indicates a financial commitment to the trip for that student. The trip would therefore be required to be paid in full even if the student subsequently decides to pull out.
Please do not send payments back to the trip organiser.

We may take photos on the day as a record of our visit. Do you give permission for your child to be photographed? Please indicate below:

YES		NO	
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Signed.....Date.....

Emergency contact number:

IMPORTANT: For refund purposes, please insert below the name and address of the person making payment.

Name Address

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