





19th July 2021

Dear parents / carers,

The History department is running a 5 day trip to Berlin & Poland at Easter 2023. We will be leaving school on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023, arriving home on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2023; (Specific timings will be supplied in our communications pack following the booking).

We will be flying to Berlin from a London Airport (TBC). We will spend time in Berlin looking at the political establishment of Germany and the impact of the Cold War on Germany and more specifically East and West Berlin. We will then travel to Krakow in Poland to experience the impact of the Nazi regime during the holocaust culminating in a visit to Auschwitz concentration camp.

The cost of the visit will be £775. The price includes return flights, accommodation, half board, insurance\* and entrance fees. The only additional expense will be for general spending money and food during the day if the students wish. Students wishing to attend this visit require a full UK passport that is valid for at least 6 months and less than 10 years old by the time we go. The visit will be led by myself and other members of our school. Please visit <a href="http://www.stchistory.com/berlin.html">http://www.stchistory.com/berlin.html</a> for photos and a report from our last Berlin / Krakow trip. You can also see a video of our last trip at our YouTube Channel (or on the Google Classroom post).

We will require an **initial deposit of £100 by September 15<sup>th</sup> 2021 paid on ParentPay**, followed by a further £100 two months later, then regular payments on parent pay with full balance paid by the end of January 2023 (just under 2 years to pay).

We expect demand for the trip to be high and have limited places available on this trip so if you wish your child to be included on this visit, please return the reply slip to the trip box in Reception by September 15<sup>th</sup> 2021, with the £100 deposit paid on ParentPay. If you require further details, please do not hesitate to contact me at the school.

A reminder, students wishing to attend this visit require a full passport (with at <u>least 6 months</u> remaining and less than 10 years old – so expiring no sooner than **October 2022**. Google "UK Passport Application" for more information.

Signed .......Parent / Carer Date: .....



Yours sincerely,