



# Wykham Park Academy Banbury

an Aspirations Academy

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Miss Sylvia Thomas – Principal of Banbury Aspirations Campus

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Dear Parent/Carer

I am very pleased to announce that the Foreign Languages Department is proposing to run an Educational Visit to Paris, France in July 2020. This will be a fantastic opportunity to practise the French language students have been studying, as well as to learn more about French culture.

The visit will run during the whole school's Aspiration week, leaving on **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> July** and returning **Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July**. We will be travelling to Paris by coach and ferry and spend 4 nights in Disneyland resort near Paris. There will be a range of cultural activities and visits organised including a visit to the Stade de France, the Eiffel Tower, the Sacré-Coeur, Le Louvre Museum, the Arc de Triomphe, shopping on the Champs Elysées, a cruise through Paris on the river Seine and a whole day at Disneyland Paris theme park. There will also be some evening activities organised.

We will be staying in half board accommodation. Breakfast and dinner will be at the hotel, which will serve a wide selection of British and continental dishes as well as vegetarian options. Students will also receive approximately £5 per day to purchase their own lunch whilst out on cultural visits. Students will be under remote supervision but will be expected to follow clear instructions and boundaries set out by the group leader and other members of staff. Students **may** need individual passports for this trip depending on the new border laws in October.

There are 50 places available for students from Wykham Park Academy in **KS4 and 6<sup>th</sup> Form** at the cost of **£490**. If you would like your son/daughter to take part in this Educational Visit an initial deposit of £90 and two passport photos will need to be handed in to Student Services by Monday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2019. Please complete the slip below and return to Student Services along with the payment (cheques should be made payable to Wykham Park Academy). Please note that this deposit will be **nonrefundable** once the trip has been booked with the Travel Agency. Further payments will be spread across the academic year 2019-2020 with a final payment required in April 2018.

**As this Educational Visit is taking place during the whole Aspirations Week, students in year 10 will not be able not take part in Work Experience.**

In the meantime if you have any questions or require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me at school, on the above telephone number, extension 204.

Yours faithfully

Carine Foster  
Trip Leader



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Educational visit to Paris – July 2020

I wish for my son/daughter ..... Mentor group.....

To take part in the Education Visit to Paris, France in July 2020. I enclose an initial deposit of £90.00 which I understand is non-refundable and **2 passport photos**.

Please return this slip, along with payment to Mrs Tibbetts-Reeves in the student services office.  
Thank you

Signature: Parent/Carer.....Date.....