

A Voluntary Academy

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14th September 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 9 Visit to Yeshurun Hebrew Synagogue

All Year 9 students will be attending Yeshurun Hebrew synagogue in Gatley on the Wednesday 18th October OR Thursday 19 October 2023.

The students are due to study Judaism at a basic level next term but it also forms part of their GCSE Religious Studies specification and so will be an invaluable experience for them. A study of Judaism will make up 25% of their overall mark in the GCSE Religious Studies and, therefore, attendance to the Synagogue is an expectation; an opportunity to enhance their knowledge and understanding of this important world faith.

The cost of the trip is £7 per pupil. We do not wish financial circumstances to preclude your child from participating so please contact the Finance Team on the email below if you have any concerns of this nature. If you have any problems logging on to ParentPay or if your child is in receipt of free school meals and you require financial assistance please contact: trips@allhallows.org.uk Please pay via ParentPay by 25th September.

Behaviour will be assessed on the run up to the trip, any adverse behaviour will be discussed and reported to parents and if improvements are not made then removal from the trip may happen and any money paid towards the trip will not be refunded. Consent is provided in ParentPay when the parents sign up to the trip and so Finance will collate and chase any missing details.

The visit will last over two hours, which includes journey time. The Year 9s will be split according to their "year-halves" with the "g" half (9A, 9B, 9C and 9F) travelling first on the Wednesday. They will go straight to the Turning Circle instead of morning registration and will register as they board the coach. They will be returning at the start of their break i.e., 11.15. The "y" half (9M, 9N, 9S) will do the same trip but on the Thursday.

Although a break will be provided after their trip it will be later than their usual. Therefore, each group should bring along a drink of water and light lunch or snack.

Any participating student is expected to wear full school uniform and have an exemplary behaviour record at All Hallows; we reserve the right to remove students prior to the trip if necessary

If your child is unable to make the trip for whatever reason, please contact me directly. Any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact k.sutton@allhallows.org.uk

Yours sincerely

Mrs K L Sutton Religious Education Dept.











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