

14th June 2024

Year 9 Enrichment Trip, Tuesday 16th July 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

On Tuesday 16th July 2024, Year 9 students will have the opportunity to take part in a trip to Blackpool Pleasure Beach, to celebrate their hard work and achievements during this academic year, 2023-2024. Blackpool Pleasure Beach is an amusement park situated on Blackpool's South Shore, in Lancashire.

The total cost of the trip is **£45.00, which is non-refundable and to be paid in full by Friday 5th July.** We have tried to keep costs to a minimum; however, this price reflects the increases in coach hire costs.

To confirm your child's place, please give consent and pay a non-refundable deposit of £22.00 through your online ParentPay account by the **extended deadline of Friday 21st June.** The remaining £23.00 can be paid in instalments by Friday 5th July. Places are limited so early booking is recommended. If you do not have a ParentPay account, please collect a barcoded letter and a Form C from the office. The barcoded letter can be used to make payment at your local PayPoint store; the closest location to school is the Spar shop on Western Avenue. Cash cannot be accepted by school.

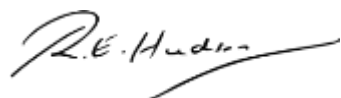
We will travel by coach from school departing at 8.30am promptly, and leave Blackpool Pleasure Beach at 4.00pm. The travel time is approximately two hours. We expect to return to Blacon High School by 6.00pm where students will be permitted to make their own way home. It is the responsibility of all parents/carers to ensure that their child gets home safely from school.

Students can wear their own clothes, which should be suitable and appropriate, and should be reminded that they are still representing the school.

You will need to provide a packed lunch and drinks for your child, or money to purchase refreshments. *Please note:* Blackpool Pleasure Beach is a cashless attraction so students will either need a debit card, or a pre-paid card that can be purchased online, or at the entrance of the park. Students entitled to free school meals will be provided with a lunch and drink upon request.

As always, we expect students to meet our high expectations of behaviour at all times and, if behaviour in school is not positive between now and the date of the trip, your child may be removed from the trip with a refund issued (minus deposit).

Yours faithfully,



Rachel Hudson / Headteacher



Mrs Carr / Year 9 Progress Leader