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15th January 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

A space on the forthcoming computer science trip to Paris, France in February 2025 has become available.

This trip provides a fantastic opportunity to experience 'computer science come to life' in a fun and engaging way at the 'Computing LIVE' conference event. Students will enjoy interactive workshops, team challenges and high-quality guest speakers, as well as time spent in Disneyland Paris.

Please note this trip is optional and is not required for the course.

Please find a schedule for the trip below:

Sunday 23rd February	Monday 24th February	Tuesday 25th February
Morning departure for Disneyland® Paris Overnight at Disneyland® Paris	COMPUTING LIVE! Conference, free time in Park. Overnight at Disneyland® Paris	Free time to use your Disneyland® Pass. Early afternoon departure. Arrive back in Hull in the evening.

The total cost of the trip is **£475.** This includes:

- Coach travel from Hull to and from Paris
- Bed and Breakfast Accommodation
- Lunch and Dinner Vouchers (packed lunch/money must be provided for journeys en route)
- Computing Live Conference Event tickets
- Disnevland Paris Park tickets
- Travel Insurance

The full payment must be made via ParentPay. If you require an activation letter for Parent Pay, please contact the Finance Office. **Payments are non-refundable once paid over to the travel company**. The school reserves the right to refuse students a place on the trip where their current conduct record shows a regular failure to follow rules and instructions and attendance on the visit may compromise the safety of the student and others. This decision would be made by the Headteacher and this will result in any deposit and payment made to the travel company, unless recoverable, being forfeited.

Safety must be paramount during the journey and in France. Risks include:

- Behaviour in transit: abiding by rules, security, and sticking in groups with staff;
- **Exposure to the weather**: France can be cold in February, average temperatures are around 3-8°C but can drop lower, especially in the evening. Therefore, gloves, a good winter coat with a hood, and footwear are imperative.
- Behaviour on excursions: Acting cautiously and responsibly at all times

The most important way that students' safety is ensured is by insisting on the highest standards of conduct and compliance with staff instructions.















This is intended as a great opportunity for students to gain experience in a different environment from school and face challenges that improve their resilience and confidence in the business world. There will be a range of students travelling, of all abilities, so please do not be apprehensive in this respect. As well as the social benefits of the trip, students will have the chance to experience different cuisines and activities not readily available to everyone. We will endeavour to account for every possible cost through the residential, aside from student clothing and a small amount of spending money for additional lunches for times when the party is travelling and souvenirs.

Please do not hesitate to contact bowdenc@thrivetrust.uk for any further details or information.

If you would like to register your interest, please complete the Google Form linked below:

Link: https://forms.gle/k3nbT5z6UCreDwgd8

Kind regards,

Mrs Bowden Subject Leader for Business and IT Kelvin Hall School













