

**Hall Green School**

**An Academy**

May 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

**Year 9 trip to Alton Towers Theme Park on Thursday 20 July 2023**

**IMPORTANT: If your child does NOT wish to go on this trip, we will be offering an alternative choice of Cinema and Bowling, to go on the same day, 20 July (limited spaces available). This will be available to pay, via ParentPay, week commencing 19 June. Pupils ARE NOT ALLOWED to attend both trips. Once you have paid for a trip, you CANNOT change to another trip, so please check with your child BEFORE paying, to ensure they wish to attend this trip.**

We are delighted to offer your child the opportunity of attending a trip on **Thursday 20 July 2023 to Alton Towers Theme Park** costing **£39.00 (non-refundable).** This includes entry to the theme park, access to all of the rides and attractionsand return coach travel**.** We will depart from school at **7.45 am** and return at approximately **19.30 pm.** This trip has **limited places** and will be issued on a **first come first serve basis.** Your child will require either a packed lunch or money to purchase food whilst on the trip; **pupils are responsible for their own money**. If your child is entitled to a free schoolmeal and you wish a lunch to be provided from school, please order this with Mrs Melville**.** Pupils will **NOT** need to wear school uniform but should dress appropriately for the weather on that day, ie bring a waterproof coat or sun cream, a hat and plenty of water if it is hot and sunny. **If your child has a debit balance on their dinner account, this MUST be repaid before paying for the trip, as the debt takes priority.**

The **deadline** to pay, via ParentPayis **Sunday 18 June 2022, or sooner if the trip sells out.** It is **ESSENTIAL** that all payment deadlines are adhered to; **any student that has not paid by this date will not** **be permitted to participate in this trip**. Deadlines are set to ensure the school can make payments to the organising company in advance of the trip taking place. **Payment also signifies parental permission for the pupil to attend the trip.** If your child is eligible for the Pupil Premium we may be able to help meet part of the cost of this trip. If financial help is required, please contact Mrs Dickerson via the usual school number.

The trip is offered to all students, and during trips and visits members of the public often comment on the good behaviour of our pupils and how they are ambassadors for our school. **However, if your child fails to meet the school’s Expectations for Learning, displays unacceptable behaviour in or out of school, or shows a poor attitude towards staff, the privilege of attending may be revoked at any time at the Head teacher’s** **discretion.** Should this happen, your child’s Head of House will contact you to discuss this further. No refund of any monies paid will be made and your child must attend school as usual, on the day.

**IMPORTANT: We will use the emergency contact details and medical records for your child that we currently hold on file. If there have been any recent changes to either of these, please inform the school as soon as possible.**

**Yours sincerely, Mrs Melville - Head of Lorien**

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