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Dear Parent/Carers

PDD Year 11 London Day Trip – Exploring the World of Dr Jekyll - Wednesday 21 September

The English Department are pleased to offer a structured, text-focused knowledge hunt/visit to the Science and Natural History Museums. The focus of the day is to provide a depth of understanding of the GCSE set text: The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde. As this is an exam text for Year 11, we feel this will be an invaluable opportunity to consolidate the students' understanding of the novella and reinforce their knowledge of the significance of context, themes, ideas and influences. We hope that the day will be informative, fun and offer the students invaluable insight into Stevenson's Gothic tale.

We shall travel to London via coach and students should follow our normal timings for the day arriving by no later than 8.20am for a prompt departure. We expect to return to school at 3.25pm, however, this is dependant on traffic and students should bring their mobile phones, fully charged to keep you updated on our return journey.

Students are required to bring a packed lunch and drink with them, please be reminded that we are a Nut and Seed Free School. We have a number of students with food allergies, some of them life threatening so please be sure not to send your child with any foods/snacks that contain Nuts, Sesame Seeds & Houmous.

Uniform is not required on the day but please ensure your child is suitably dressed for a long day outside and for the weather forecast – eg; waterproofs, suitable footwear, suncream. There will be an opportunity to visit the gift shops and students may choose to bring enough money to cover purchases and additional snacks.

The cost of the trip will be £7.50. Unfortunately, the school is unable to meet the cost of this trip from its own funds so the visit will only be able to go ahead if parents are prepared to pay a voluntary contribution. Please note, if all parents are not prepared to make the contribution the visit may not be able to take place for any of the students.

If you would like your child to participate in this trip but will experience difficulty in making the contribution then please contact us before signing up to the trip.

The school's method of payment for trips is through your child's 'My Child at School' (**MCaS**) account and payment should be made and consent received by no later than **Sunday 4 September 2022.** If you experience any problems in making payment please contact us – tripsandvisits@beaumont.school.

Please be sure to advise us of any changes to the information you have previously provided us with regarding medical conditions/allergies information and the emergency contact details for your child. Any additional information or updates should be provided in writing to the school in writing – admin@beaumont.school.

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I will issue more information to students in due course but if you have any queries in the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Cripps
Head of English

Enjoy & Excel