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Dear Parent/Carer

As part of the OCR GCSE History course we have been studying, students will learn in Year 11 about Britain in the 1950s, 60s and 70s. This unit makes up the whole of Paper 2 in the exam next summer. As an enrichment opportunity, we would like to offer a weekend trip to London on the weekend of 7 & 8 February 2015. This trip is entirely voluntary and parents should not feel that it is an essential part of the course. However, we do hope that it will be a fun weekend and give students a real sense of the period that they are studying.

The main focus of the trip will be a visit to the Museum of London where they have new galleries covering our main topics of post-war immigration, the struggle for women's equality and the growth of youth culture. We will then visit Madame Tussauds, where alongside more modern exhibits; they also have figures from the sixties and seventies. We will have our dinner at the Hard Rock Cafe before going in the evening to see a Sixties musical. We will be staying overnight in the Premier Travel Inn, Earls Court. Further itinerary items may include a shopping visit to Covent Garden and a visit to the Victoria and Albert Museum time permitting. The itinerary will be finalised after the booking is formalised and deposits have been paid.

The trip will leave early on Saturday morning and return on Sunday evening. Included in the cost of £249.00 is the coach travel, hotel accommodation on a bed and breakfast basis, entrance to Madam Tussauds, tickets to a London Show, and dinner at the Hard Rock Café.

Students would need to bring lunch with them or enough money to buy some lunch in London. The coach can accommodate 44 students and so places are limited. A deposit of £80 is required together with the acknowledgement slip by Friday 14 March. Please note that the deposit is non-refundable and once accepted that you are committed to the trip and future payments.

Thank you in advance for your support of this trip and we look forward to a really enjoyable weekend with Year 11 Historians.

Yours faithfully

Mrs K P Jenner
Trip Organiser

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I wish my son/daughter to take part in the History visit to London and enclose a non-refundable deposit of £80.

Students Name: Form:

Parent/Carer: Date: