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Dear Parent/Carer

22nd June 2021

Re: Year 7 Alternative Curriculum Day – 9th July 2021

As part of the **Alternative Curriculum Day**, the History Department is taking students on the History Bus Tour of York. The visit will take place on 9th July and different classes will be enjoying the informative bus ride at different times through the day.

The school will be asking for a contribution of £8.00 to cover the cost of the tour. Tours will be running through the day on a carousel but all tours will take place within the school day and all students will be able to catch their normal buses to and from school. If your child does not travel to school by bus, please can you ensure that they are in school by 8:30am on that day. Students in AJO and AK will be enjoying the trip during the lunch break and so they should make sure that they bring a packed lunch so that they can eat this on the bus.

This visit will allow the students the opportunity to add to their knowledge of the Horrible History of York which we study throughout Year 7 in our History lessons. Other activities on site that day will involve learning basic First Aid with the help of the Red Cross, CPR with the help of 'Re-Start a Heart' and the RE department will be doing some extra-curricular exploration of symbolism.

Pupils **do** need to wear school uniform as most of the day will be in school. If it is raining on the day you might well want to be wearing a good rain coat with a hood as the buses are open top.

If you wish your son/daughter to be involved in this trip, a contribution of **£8.00** can be made via **ParentPay**. Payments must be made by **Tuesday 29th June**. This medium also facilitates the giving of consent for the school trip and will enable us to confirm student numbers. An alternative, related activity will be available for any students who remain in school.

Under the terms of the Education Reform Act 1996 the school cannot make a direct charge for the trip. We are however permitted to ask for voluntary contributions towards the visit. Please note we are unable to subsidise this visit from other school funds. We reserve the right to cancel the visit if insufficient funds are available. If your child is eligible for Pupil Premium, simply complete the reply using the following link. <https://forms.office.com/r/fPWbMJ5yci>

All students have access to our extra-curricular activities and reasonable adjustments will be made to ensure each student's full inclusion in this trip. Please contact Mrs Mehta, SENCO, if you think that this may be needed for your child.

Yours faithfully

Tracy Bowen
Trip Leader



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