

6 July 2022

Dear parents and carers

I am excited to offer our Design Technology students (Product Design, Engineering and Textiles) a fantastic opportunity to participate in a trip to France from **Sunday 29 January 2023 to Wednesday 1 February 2023**. We will be travelling by coach, and using a specialist educational study experience company [Study Experiences](#).

The aim of this trip is to bring the classroom teaching of these technology subjects to life through a DT seminar and interactive workshop, based in Disneyland Paris, in which students will gain first-hand experience of the application of these subjects in real-life environments. It will also allow them an opportunity to explore Disneyland and the chance to visit Paris and its iconic sights.

Our proposed itinerary is as follows:

Sunday

Travel from Carrington School by coach to France (either by ferry or Eurostar). Arrive at the hotel early evening for dinner and free-time.

Monday

Travel to Paris for a site-seeing tour by coach. Explore Paris, visit The Eiffel Tower, experience French culture, have lunch and participate in some guided activities. Return by coach to Disney with dinner in the Disney Village

Tuesday

Enjoy a full day in Disneyland with the Design Technology seminar and interactive workshop. Lots of free time to enjoy the park and see the Disney Parade and fireworks in the evening

Wednesday

A morning of free time in the Disney Park, before departing home to Carrington by coach, returning to school by approximately 9pm

The cost of this trip is £495 which includes:



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Return coach travel and Channel crossings from school to Disneyland Paris
Three nights' hotel accommodation with continental breakfast
One main meal on each day
Two-day Hopper Ticket to Disneyland Park and Walt Disney Studios Park
One curriculum-led Seminar hosted by the Study Experiences facilitator
One Interactive DT workshop
Day trip to Paris and a visit to The Eiffel Tower
Fully comprehensive travel insurance with AXA Travel

Students must have a valid passport and will need spending money for lunches and snacks

ParentPay will open at 17:00 today and a deposit of £60 is required by Tuesday 19 July to secure a place. It is recommended that you return your deposit early, as places are strictly limited to 44 and will be allocated on a first-come-first-served basis.

If this payment is a barrier to your young person participating, we can allocate funds from the [ACE Foundation](#) to cover it. ACE is a newly-created charitable trust that provides opportunities to inspire our students to aim higher whatever their background or circumstances. If you would like ACE funds to be allocated to your young person to take part in this activity, **please complete this form.**

Should you require any further information please feel free to email me on vkendall@carringtonschool.org

Yours sincerely

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