

4 October 2024

Dear parents and carers

As you know, last year we launched a trip for Year 9 to Iceland and we are aware that for many families this was not within their budget. We are keen to offer as many students as possible the opportunity to go on a residential trip and are **proposing a mini-residential visit during Culture & Challenge days (9/10 July 2025)**, offered first to those students who are not going to Iceland.

The expected **cost of the trip (based on 44 students) is £320**. Full details of the proposed itinerary are below.

At this stage would like to see **what interest there is** in this trip. If you think that your young person would be interested **please [complete THIS FORM](#)** to let us know. If we have enough positive responses, we will look to book this and launch it after half term.

Please note that by responding to this form you are not guaranteed a place on the trip, there will be further communications and another form to request a place on the trip.

Wednesday 9 July		
09:00	Leave school and travel by coach to Leicester	
12:00	Visit the National Space Centre in Leicester	With six interactive galleries, the UK's largest planetarium, and the iconic 42m high Rocket Tower, the award-winning National Space Centre is an out of this world experience
18:00	Stay at YHA Stratford Upon Avon	Dinner provided

Thursday 10 July		
10:00	Visit the Black Country Living Museum	Uniquely placed to tell the story of the creation of the world's first industrial landscape. Over fifty authentic shops, houses and workshops have been carefully reconstructed to preserve the character of the Black Country. Lunch provided
18:00	Stay at YHA Stratford Upon Avon	
Friday 11 July		
10:00	Visit Cadbury World	Self-guided tours through colourful interactive displays about chocolate making and Cadbury History
16:00	Arrive back at Carrington	

Best wishes
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