

October 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

5 Day Study Trip to Strasbourg for pupils of Languages currently in Year 8

From Wednesday 15th to Sunday 19th October 2025, we are running a 5-day trip to France and Germany so that pupils may have the opportunity to explore the Alsace region and practise their modern language skills.

The proposed itinerary for the trip is as follows, although changes may occur:

Day 1 Depart from Rayleigh station by coach at 4.30 am - Eurotunnel to France; evening meal in our hotel; exploration of the village.

Day 2 Day out in Strasbourg, France - treasure hunt in the city to practise language skills; visit to the cathedral; shopping and late afternoon boat trip; evening meal in a local creperie.

Day 3 Day trip to the Black Forest in Germany - morning in Titisee before afternoon cable car ride at Schauinslandbahn; chance to have Black Forest Gateau at the top of the mountain; evening meal in hotel.

Day 4 Morning in Colmar, France and afternoon in Freiburg, Germany. Evening meal in hotel.

Day 5 Departure at 9.00 am and return to Rayleigh Station at approximately 21.30.

Vosges, Klingenthal (3*) in a triple room with breakfast and evening meals included

- All visits and attractions
- Staff to accompany pupils
- Travel and medical insurance
- £20 damage deposit which will be returned to pupils on the last day in Euros to buy lunch on the way home (provided there is no damage to the room)

Pupils will need a full, valid passport for the trip, a GHIC card, a visa and money for lunches and souvenirs.

If you wish your son/daughter to participate in the trip, please return the attached Consent Form to Pupil Services by 4th