

6th September 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

TRIP TO THORPE PARK - RESCHEDULED DATE

Monday 12th September 2022
Staines Road, Chertsey, KT16 8PN

As you will be aware, the Year 10 and Year 11 (previously Year 9 and Year 10) trip to Thorpe Park in July was postponed due to an extreme weather warning. The trip was initially rebooked for 16th September, however, this subsequently clashed with another essential trip for Year 11. We are delighted to inform you that the trip to Thorpe Park has now been rescheduled for **Monday 12th September**.

A further 20 places have become available and if you would like your child to participate, a voluntary contribution of £39.00 is required to cover the cost of the trip. Please pay using your ParentPay account at <https://www.parentpay.com/>. If you do not have your log in details, please contact Ms Kennard, in the main office. Payment must be received by **9am on Friday 9th September 2022** to allow the School sufficient time to plan the trip. If the trip is oversubscribed by the deadline, names of students who can participate will be selected at random.

All other aspects of the trip remain the same. Please see some key details below, which were sent previously.

We expect to take a group of up to 250 students who will be supervised by up to 15 members of staff and we will travel to Thorpe Park in coaches. **We will leave promptly at 8:00am** and ask that you ensure your child is ready to meet at the main Rooks Heath School gate by **7:30am**. **We expect to return to Rooks Heath School at approximately 4:45pm** where students will be dismissed and allowed to make their own way home. In the unlikely event of any unforeseen circumstances arising which prevents the activity taking place, the group will return to Rooks Heath School.

Students can wear their own clothes which should be appropriate, also, please ensure your child brings sunscreen and a hat in case of hot weather or a jacket in case of rain. Students are advised to bring a packed lunch and drink for the day or alternatively, they can purchase lunch at one of the outlets at the park. If students decide to purchase lunch at the venue, please ensure they have enough money with them to do so. Students may also bring a small amount of spending

money to be able to purchase drinks and snacks at the venue. Students will not need their school bags and if required, pens, pencils and worksheets will be provided.

If your child has a regular need for medication such as asthma or diabetes, please ensure they remember to bring it with them.

This will be a lovely start for students in the new term and we hope to have a very enjoyable day.

Yours faithfully,



Mr S Sharp
Head of Year 10



Mr P Parkinson
Head of Year 11