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Dear Parents/Guardians

Re: History Residential Visit 2022 - London

We are pleased to inform you that the 2022 History residential visit will be in London. This visit has been planned to give students the opportunity to enjoy the rich history of our nation's capital city, with a focus on the themes and eras studied in Key Stages 4 and 5. This three-day residential will depart school on Tuesday, 5th July 2022 and will return on Thursday, 7th July 2022. The cost of the visit is £300, which includes:

- Executive coach transportation to London and coach travel throughout the stay.
- Bed and breakfast accommodation at the Premier Inn Kensington.
- Lunch on day two (please note that food on the way there, on the way back and evening meals are not included).
- The Tower of London.
- The Imperial War Museum (including the newly opened World War II and Holocaust galleries, as well as long established attractions such as the World War I and Cold War exhibits).
- The Old Operating Theatre Museum and Victorian Surgery workshop.
- Whitehall the home of British democracy.
- A history themed West End musical.
- Travel insurance with Covid protection.

Based on the popularity of previous years' visits we expect demand for places to be high. This visit is therefore only open to Year 10 and Year 12 students studying History.

The nature of this visit means that we have been able to make 44 places available. Should you wish for your child to have the opportunity to obtain one of these places, please can you complete the paperwork and provide a £100 deposit on ParentPay before Tuesday, 2nd November. To be as fair as possible, there will then be a draw later that week.

If your child is randomly selected and offered a place you will be contacted and given the opportunity to accept or refuse the place. All deposits for candidates not selected will be refunded. Money paid after a place has been accepted is non-refundable.

If there are any questions at this stage, concerning the visit, please feel free to contact me on <u>ben.grainger@oldburywells.com</u> or phoning the school.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely *P. Grainger* **Ben Grainger** Head of Humanities







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