



# Saint Joseph's

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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28 February 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

## **French Language Trip to St Omer/Lille's Christmas Market 3<sup>rd</sup> December to 4<sup>th</sup> December 2023**

The MFL Department is offering this trip to current Year 7 to 10 pupils, to enhance their learning experiences within the school.

The trip includes 2 days and 1 night in Chateau d'Ebbingham, an NST accommodation, in a rural location just 8km east of St Omer on the Opal Coast in northern France, and just 45 minutes from the Channel ports. The trip would offer an excellent opportunity for pupils to put some of their language skills to the test as well as displaying the rich, cultural heritage that France has to offer.

This price includes:

- Ferry crossing from Dover
- Dinner and breakfast included at Le Chateau
- Campfire Activity at Le Chateau
- Chateau – Archery Tag
- Crepe Making at the Chateau
- Visit to the Lille Christmas Market
- Travel Insurance

Pupils must have their own passport, valid until at least three months beyond our visit, and a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) or Global Health Insurance Card (GHIC) for the trip.

**The price of the trip is £235.00.** There are 45 spaces available on a first come first serve basis.

If you are interested in your child coming on the French Trip 2023, we require a non-refundable deposit of £75.00 to be paid via The School Gateway by 10<sup>th</sup> March 23.

The balance is to be paid in the following instalments:

£90.00 19/5/23

£70.00 15/3/23

Whilst on a trip, we are all ambassadors of our school and high standards of behaviour are expected. If your child's behaviour at school prior to this trip suggests that they will be unable to conform to these requirements then we will review their suitability to take part on the trip.

If you have any questions, then please feel free to contact me at school by email [hmi@sjcs.org.uk](mailto:hmi@sjcs.org.uk) or call the school directly.

Yours sincerely

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