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September 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian

**Re: Year 12 and 13 Sociology and Psychology Trip to London
Friday 22nd November 2019**

I am writing to you regarding a forthcoming trip to London for Year 12 and 13 Sociology and Psychology students. This trip is extremely relevant to A Level Sociology students as they study Marxism in great detail, a whole model on crime and deviance and how court houses and trials are run. They also have a compulsory module on childhood and how this has changed over time. The trip is also extremely relevant to A Level Psychology students as they study Forensic Psychology, Attachment (childhood) and Social Psychology.

The trip will be on Friday 22nd November 2019 and we will be leaving the school at approximately 7.30am. I am seeking voluntary contributions from parents/carers to cover the cost of the travel and the cost of a behind the scenes tour of the Old Bailey and the Courthouse, a two hour Karl Marx walking tour and access to the V and A Museum for the Museum of Childhood totalling £90.00. Any students who receive the 16-19 bursary and require financial support should contact Mrs V Burdge, Sixth Form Administrator, as soon as possible. Students will need to provide a packed lunch..

We will be back at approximately 7.00pm, and students will need arrangements in place to get home from the school at this time.

A deposit of £50.00 needs to be received by Friday 18th October 2019 with the remaining balance of £40 paid by the 4th November at the latest. Payments should be made via the ParentPay online facility. This will include your consent for your child to attend the trip. We apologise for the extremely short turnaround and we wouldn't normally expect parents to pay this early, but the school feels that this trip will be of great benefit to the students and their learning. If you have yet to activate your account and have mislaid the password and user name details previously sent please contact Student Services at studentservices@devizes.wilts.sch.uk..

If you have any queries or concerns please contact me using the above telephone number or email csnelson@devizes.wilts.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

**Miss C Snelson
Teacher of History and Sociology
Key Stage 3 History Co-ordinator**

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Please return to the Finance Office, Devizes School

Name of Student: **Tutor Group:**

I give permission for my *son/daughter to go on Sociology and Psychology Trip to London on the 22nd November 2019. I will pay the full cost of the trip £90 via ParentPay by the 4th November 2019.

I confirm that arrangements will be in place to collect my *son/daughter from the school at 7.00pm.

Signature of Parent: **Date:**

Please print name:

* delete as appropriate

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