

7th March 2022

**Parents and Carers
Y10 History Students**

Dear Parents and Carers

GCSE History Berlin residential visit Saturday 22nd – Tuesday 25th October 2022 (in October half term)

As part of the 'Germany 1890 – 1945' section of the GCSE History course, we are excited to offer the opportunity to visit Berlin in October 2022. Berlin is a fascinating city, full of history, and we firmly believe that seeing sites in 'real life' rather than just in the classroom really helps to make History memorable and will support students in their GCSE History exams next summer.

The approximate cost of this trip (it may go up or down slightly once flights and excursion tickets are confirmed) is £700 per student and includes:

- All coach transfers in the UK and Germany
- Flights from London Heathrow to Berlin Brandenburg
- Three nights accommodation in Berlin, including breakfast and dinner, in en-suite dorm rooms
- Visits to relevant museums including the Topography of Terror, the Jewish Museum, the German Historical Museum and the 1936 Olympic Stadium
- A guided tour round the Reichstag (parliament) building
- An excursion to Sachsenhausen Concentration Camp museum and memorial tour

If you would like to reserve a place on this trip, we need a £100 deposit by Friday 18th March 2022. The payment of the balance can be made in monthly installments of £100 via ParentPay, with the final payment in September to be adjusted to reflect the final cost.

Please note that all students will need a valid passport and will need to be double vaccinated for Covid, as current travel restrictions demand.

We are keen that this trip is open to all, so please do get in touch to discuss any alternative financial support or arrangements in confidence by emailing j.woodberry@tgea.org.uk.

For your child to take part in this trip, [please click here to complete the initial permission form](#). Payment should be made via ParentPay.

We hope your child will be keen to take advantage of this opportunity. If you have any questions about the trip please do not hesitate to get in touch with me.

Kind regards,

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