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Dear Year 10 Parents & Guardians,

The LRGS History Department are delighted to offer current Year 10 GCSE History students the opportunity to visit and walk the battlefields of Agincourt, Waterloo and The Somme, from Thursday 19th September to Sunday 22nd September 2024. This visit will provide unique access to important historical sites and allow the boys to gain an insight into the developments in Warfare over 800 years (GCSE Syllabus). We will be walking the same ground as Henry V, Wellington, Napoleon and the many soldiers who gave their lives fighting for king and country. The focus of study will be on the men who fought, the tactics that they employed and the weapons that they used.

The cost of the trip will be £445 and includes essential costs such as transport, hotel accommodation and food: although breakfast on the outward trip and supper on the return trip home will need to be purchased by the boys at services on route.

Only 55 places are available:

- If you would like your son to attend this trip, please pay £100 deposit (or full amount) on Wisepay by 30th April to reserve a place. Further installments of £150 by June 1st and £195 by July 1st will then be required. The deposit will be non-refundable.
- The School medical form and Consent form will need to be completed electronically, via the e-mail received from EVOLVE requesting consent.
- Your son will need a valid passport. Please send a copy of your son's passport FAO Rachael Derham in the School Office as soon as Wisepay has accepted your deposit.

Please also be aware that we do leave at 2.30 am on 19th September and return at around 2.00 am on Sunday 22nd.

If you have any concerns regarding paying for the trip, there may be assistance available from our Opportunities Fund. Please visit our website <https://www.lrqs.org.uk/financial-assistance> for details regarding the Fund, including how to apply, or contact Lorna Lightfoot on llightfoot@lrqs.org.uk.

Further details will follow when we have filled all 55 places.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs J. V. Love
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