



# KING JAMES'S SCHOOL

## KNARESBOROUGH

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September 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

### YEAR 10 DISNEY RESORT PARIS TRIP: 26-29 MAY 2018

On Saturday 26 May 2018 we are running the annual trip to Disneyland Paris Resort, the trip returns on Tuesday 29 May. This is a chance for pupils to enjoy time within the Theme Parks and enjoy the “Magic of Disney”.

The cost of the trip will be **£430**. If your child is allocated a place on the trip a non-refundable deposit of £100 will be required by Friday 6 October 2017. Payment for this trip should be made online through ParentPay ([www.parentpay.com](http://www.parentpay.com)). *Please tick the consent box for this trip.*

Included in the price:

- Travel to and from Disneyland Resort Paris
- Two Day Hopper pass for two Disneyland Theme parks in Paris
- Three nights half board accommodation at the Explorers Hotel Disney
- Meals at “Planet Hollywood” and “Billy Bob’s” Texan saloon
- Personalised trip hoody

There are 44 places available on this trip and in the event of it being oversubscribed a ballot will take place to allocate places. **To register your child’s interest** in the trip please complete the expression of interest slip below and return it to Mrs Rees/Mr Nicholson in the **Year 10 Office by Friday 29 September**. A draw will take place on Monday 2 October if more than 44 pupils register interest in the trip.

### Security Threats

National and international security threats in recent months are foremost in our minds as we plan our ongoing programme of trips and visits. Our partnership with parents as we plan and risk assess our visits is important as we all keep in mind our responsibilities within the framework of a trip. I can assure parents that we work very closely with our travel companies and we also take independent travel advice from North Yorkshire County Council who have specialist advice available in relation to trips.

We have a very robust risk assessment process and we review all trips on an ongoing basis. Security advice at the point where we plan a trip may be different by the time the trip is due to leave. Once a booking is made to go on a trip, travel and insurance companies treat cancellations as ‘disinclination to travel’. Any withdrawal or cancellation by a parent, guardian or the school may incur financial losses and we cannot guarantee it would be paid for by our insurance provider except in exceptional circumstances.

It is very important that parents satisfy themselves that they are comfortable with the arrangements of a trip before they commit to it. The school works to the latest travel advice from the Foreign and Commonwealth Office. If a serious incident occurs whilst travelling to the destination, the school reserve the right to cancel the trip or end a visit prematurely. We are always happy to discuss trips and visits in more detail if you need further information before making a commitment to a trip.

Expectations of students on the trip

All students participating in this trip are expected to comply with guidelines given in the KJS **Expectations of Students taking part in a school trip** document (for a copy see [www.king-james.co.uk/extra-curricular-activities/trips.html](http://www.king-james.co.uk/extra-curricular-activities/trips.html)).

I hope that I have provided you with sufficient information. However, should you require further details, please do not hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours faithfully



**Mrs Rees & Mr Nicholson**  
Year 10

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**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST SLIP**  
**Year 10 Disney Resort Paris Trip – 26-29 May 2018**

<b>Student Name:</b>		<b>Tutor Group:</b>	
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*(please tick boxes)*

I confirm that the above named student has my consent to take part in the Disneyland Paris trip

If my son/daughter is allocated a place, I confirm I will pay the £100 non-refundable deposit via ParentPay by Friday 6 October 2017 and the balance of £330 by the desired date.

<b>Parent/Carer Name:</b>		<b>Date:</b>	
<b>Parent/Carer Signature:</b>			

**To be returned to Year 10 Office by Friday 29 September 2017**