

# South Wilts Grammar School for Girls

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Dear Parents / Carers

## Re: Year 7 Languages Trips to France or Germany - 8 – 12 July 2019

The Languages Department are organising the following visit:

| Date             | Visit to                                                                                                                                   | Contribution                                                                                                                           | Details of visit                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Times                                                                                                                                | Requirements                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| 8 - 12 July 2019 | Either:<br><b>Germany</b><br>- The Rhineland<br><br><b>7E &amp; 7N</b><br><br>Or<br><b>France – Normandy</b><br><br><b>7A, 7B &amp; 7W</b> | <b>£360.00</b><br><br>Covers board and lodging, Includes voluntary contribution for 5 days which will include all transport and trips. | During the stay, pupils will visit many places of interest, including:<br><br><b>Germany:</b> a day in historic Cologne including a visit to the chocolate factory; a boat trip on the beautiful river Rhine; a visit to a castle; a tour of the town of Cochem and a wildlife park. We will be based in Bad Neuenahr-Ahrweiler.<br><br><b>France:</b> a visit to a typical French market; the Mont St Michel; the Normandy beaches and the 360° cinema at Arromanches; the famous Bayeux Tapestry; and a zoological park. We will be based in Blainville-sur-Mer. | Leave from:<br><br>Coach Park Salisbury<br>Early morning<br>TBC<br><br>Return to:<br><br>Coach Park Salisbury<br>Late evening<br>TBC | <b>EVERY PUPIL WILL NEED THEIR OWN NAMED PASSPORT AND EHC CARD</b><br><br>A packed lunch for the outward journey and pocket money.<br>Comfortable shoes and clothes suitable for the time of year.<br>More detailed information to follow. |

Parents are requested to use the ParentPay facility. Please contact the finance office if you have difficulties logging on to ParentPay by emailing [finance@swgs.wilts.sch.uk](mailto:finance@swgs.wilts.sch.uk) or telephone 01722 343750. You can make the full payment, alternatively the following schedule applies. Reminder notices will be sent out by email.

**£120 non-refundable deposit** by Friday 1 March 2019

**£120 2<sup>nd</sup> instalment** due by Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2019

**£120 final instalment** due by Friday 24 May 2019



There is no obligation to make a financial contribution although please be aware that the visit may not run if sufficient funds cannot be raised. Please see the charging policy on our website for further details. Parents / Carers in receipt of certain benefits may be entitled to financial support – please contact the school finance office for details.

An insurance form and confidential medical questionnaire will be sent out at a later date. The school reserves the right to refuse to take a student on medical grounds. **Please ensure that your child takes all necessary medication with them on the trip.**

Yours sincerely

Mrs S Hackett – French Party Leader  
Mrs V Baxter & Mrs C Drayton – German Party Leaders

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**There is no need to return this slip if you have used ParentPay  
To the Finance Office for the Year 7 Languages trip to France or Germany – 8 - 12 July 2019**

I enclose a cheque for **£120** non-refundable deposit payable to South Wilts Grammar School

Child's name ..... Form .....

Signed.....Date.....

