



HITCHIN BOYS' SCHOOL
An Academy Trust

12 December 2014

Dear Parents/Guardians,

MFL TRIP TO GERMANY JULY 2015

The MFL department is delighted to offer your son the chance to spend some time in Germany to get to know the country a little and to improve his German speaking ability. We will be travelling to Cologne for five days in July 2015. The trip will involve lots of activities such as:

- Exploring the Olympia Sports Museum
- Climbing the Cologne Cathedral
- Rhine River Cruise
- A trip to Beethoven's house in Bonn
- A visit to the Haribo factory shop
- A day at the Phantasialand theme park in Brühl

The cost is £504 per person based on 30 pupils. The cost of the trip will include all activities, transport, accommodation and hotel meals in Germany. Your son will need a small amount for buying snacks for himself and souvenirs for you. This will be an excellent opportunity to improve German speaking, reading, writing and especially listening skills. There is no substitute for actually visiting the country!

If you would like your son to participate in the trip I would be grateful if you would complete the reply slip below and return it to the School Office Letterbox by Friday 9 January, together with your deposit of £50 (cheques made payable to Hitchin Boys' School). The deposit is non-refundable if he subsequently withdraws. As a part of this trip will occur during term time please note that contributions to the cost are voluntary, however if sufficient voluntary contributions are not received the trip will not go ahead. Should you require financial assistance please write to me in confidence.

If the trip is oversubscribed, we will hold a draw for places. Once places are confirmed I will write again with further information regarding the payment schedule. At this point a place will be reserved for your son with the tour operator. If your son subsequently withdraws from the trip please be aware that some or all of the monies paid may be non-refundable depending on the payment schedule to the tour operator.

Yours sincerely

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PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO the School Office Letterbox in an envelope marked with your son's name and Germany 2015 by Friday 9 January 2015

Student's name: _____ Form: _____

I would like my son to be considered for a place on the Germany Trip. I understand that should my son be confirmed on the trip and he subsequently withdraws, monies paid may be non-refundable depending on the payment schedule to the tour operator.

Signature: _____ Date: _____