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Dear Parent/Carer

## **Year 9 History Trip to Krakow, Poland – July 2024**

I am writing to give you advance notice of a history trip the department intends to run for three days during Cultural Arts week in July 2024 to Krakow, Poland.

The trip will be open to 40 Year 9 students who have opted to study History GCSE in 2024 and includes the following itinerary:

- Guided tour of Auschwitz Birkenau
- Visit to Schindler Museum
- Visit to Kazimierz (Former Jewish district)
- Visit to Podgorze (Wartime ghetto)
- Guided visit to Wieliczka Salt Mine

The approximate price for this trip is £600 although this may change based on flight prices when booking. The price includes all the excursions detailed above, two nights' accommodation in Krakow, breakfast and dinner, and transfer from John Paul airport in Krakow to the accommodation. We are running this trip with NST, who we have partnered with in the past on trips to Berlin and Russia. A deposit of £50 will be required to secure a place with the remaining cost payable in installments.

The trip is open to students on a first come first served basis and the letter launching the trip will be sent out following the Christmas break.

Yours sincerely

**Mrs N Smith**  
**Head of History**

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