

Dear Parent / Carer

Subject History Slavery Museum Liverpool – 7 November 2023

The History department will be running a trip to the Slavery Museum in Liverpool on the 7 November 2023. This will be supporting students with their Year 11 topic of 'Jamaica during the Restoration'. We will be getting the coach up to Liverpool at 6am from the school and arriving back at the school around 6pm. All students should be in school uniform and they should bring lunch with them to have at the Museum, alternatively if they will be able to bring money and buy lunch in Liverpool. This trip will be on a first come, first serve basis as not all students in the year will be able to come.

The cost of the trip is £24.10 it will only be possible to run the trip if the level of support from parents is sufficient. If you are experiencing financial hardship and this is likely to prevent your child attending, please contact me. The school has some funds available to facilitate student participation in these circumstances.

Payment should be made via sQuid, our online payment system. **Cash and cheques will no longer be accepted.** Please log onto the system (www.squidcard.com) and select the 'trips/activities purse'. This trip will be clearly visible as History Slavery Museum (2023-24) and must be <u>specifically selected</u> in order to make payment. Please follow the instructions on screen. An emailed receipt will automatically be sent to you by the system once payment is made.

It is very important that payment is made before the stated deadline of 29 September 2023. The school does not have funds available to meet the cost of late contributions. Regretfully, a failure to pay promptly may result in your son or daughter being removed from the trip.

Vyners School has in place detailed procedures for ensuring that trips are well planned and that the health, welfare and safety of students is protected. A careful and written risk assessment has been prepared for this trip and adequate student supervision and insurance arrangements will be put in place.

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It is expected that all students will observe the highest standard of politeness, courtesy and conduct at all times. Our students are representing Vyners School and it is expected that they will do everything in a way that reflects positively on themselves and the school. The School's Behaviour Policy continues to be in force throughout the trip. Should it prove necessary to send a student home for misbehaviour, parents / carers will be expected to meet all extra costs incurred. In the event of a student being refused participation on a trip before departure because of poor behaviour, any contributions already paid will also be forfeit.

If you have any queries at all please contact me msmith@vynersschool.org.uk

Yours sincerely

Mr Smith

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