



The Kings of Wessex Academy

Getting the best out of everyone

October 2017

Dear Parent / Guardian

The Royal Mint & Principality Stadium – Thursday 16th November 2017

The Business Studies department are delighted to be able to offer our Sixth Form students the opportunity to visit The Royal Mint and Principality Stadium on Thursday 16th November. Although the visit is not essential to the Business course it will support your son / daughter enabling them to see the theoretical approaches to managing a business in the real world and gain a further understanding of how recent changes in the external environment have affected businesses.

The trip will leave on Thursday 16th November at 9:00am, at the end of the day we will leave Cardiff at 3:30pm to arrive back at school for approximately 5pm. Students will need to bring a packed lunch for the day and ensure they have a raincoat. The total cost of this trip will be £20, which includes:

- Executive coach travel
- Entrance to both the Royal Mint and Principality Stadium.
- A tour of the Royal Mint and Principality Stadium with a focus on Business Strategy

If you would like your child to attend we ask that you return a payment of £20 to the Main Office by Friday 3rd November. Cheques should be made payable to The Kings of Wessex Academy, or alternatively, you can now pay online by logging onto the Academy website. Simply click onto the parents' link and select 'Internet Payments' from the menu. Payments will only be accepted when the parental consent form (herewith) and the attached medical form are also returned. If the trip is oversubscribed we will allocate places on a first come first served basis.

As with all Academy trips students will be expected to uphold the reputation of the Academy, therefore exceptional behaviour is expected at all times throughout the day and in the lead up to the trip. Failure to do this could result in students losing both their place and any payments made to date. Poor attendance in the run up to an enrichment activity may result in the place being withdrawn and loss of all payments to date. This decision would be made at the discretion of the Academy. Absence following a school activity (for example: tiredness due to a late return, or sore feet following an extensive day walking) will not be authorised unless medical certification is provided. Without this evidence, students may not be allowed to attend further Academy enrichment activities.

Many thanks for your ongoing support of the enrichment programme

Yours sincerely,

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PARENTAL CONSENT FORM. The Kings of Wessex Academy, Cheddar

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As parent/guardian of _____ Tutor Group _____ I have read, fully understood and am satisfied with the details supplied about the above-mentioned activity and agree to my son/daughter taking part in it. I know of no medical reason why he/she should not participate. I am aware that

- a) Except for visits abroad, insurance arrangements are the same as those for pupils in the Academy, i.e. only provides cover if negligence is proven or accepted by the Academy and/or its employees.
- b) I should consider making my own insurance arrangements for personal accident cover for my son/daughter for Academy activities in the UK
- c) If a medical condition is diagnosed after final payment parents may choose to withdraw their child. Equally if the Academy feel they cannot accommodate the student within the pre-existing arrangement for the trip, the Academy reserve the right to withdraw the student place.

Signed _____

Date _____

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