



February 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am organising a Year 7 trip to Hampton Court Palace on Friday 29th April. The cost of the trip will be £40, which includes coach travel and all admission fees. We will leave school at 8.20am on this day and return at approximately 4.40pm.

During the course of the day, students will be able to explore the palace including Henry VIII's kitchens and apartments, King William III's apartments and the palace gardens. Students should also have a chance to get lost in the garden maze (weather permitting)

The trip will also provide a chance for the students to participate in an education session led by Palace staff. This will support the learning students will be doing in lessons on the topic 'Why was Tudor England a religious rollercoaster?' Students will explore primary evidence from the buildings of Hampton Court Palace. They will analyse the impact of changes in religion during the period of King Henry VIII and Queen Mary. This Education session has been paid for by the Friends of Willingdon who the History department would like to thank for their generous donation towards the cost of this trip.

If you would like your child to attend this trip please make your payment on ParentPay from the 23rd February which will guarantee your child's place. Please note that only 60 spaces are available, so this will be on a first come, first served basis.

Yours faithfully,

L Hughes
Head of History