



School Iceland Trip - November 2022

March 2022

Dear Parent/Guardian

I am pleased to announce that the school are planning a trip to Iceland, which will take place in the first half term of 2022. Provisional dates for travel are the 2nd to the 5th of November, subject to flight availability. There are thirty spaces on the trip for pupils, with four members of staff. The trip is open to our current Year 8, Year 9 and to pupils in the current Year 11 and 12 who are returning to study in the sixth form.

The trip will consist of 4 days and 3 nights, to include;

- Return Flights
- Hotel Accommodation – Full Board
- Golden Circle Day – Swimming at the Secret Lagoon, Thingvellir National Park, Mid Atlantic Ridge, Geysir Geothermal Area, Gullfoss Waterfall
- South Coast Day – Seljalandsfoss and Skogafoss Falls, Dyrholaey Coast, Eyjafjallajökull Visitor Centre, Black Sand Beach, visit to snout of the Solheimajokull Glacier
- Reykjanes Peninsular – The Bridge in-between Continents, Gunnhver Hot Springs, Krysuvik Mud Puddles, Stampar Crater and The Reykjanes Lighthouse
- Professional guide services
- Coaching for the duration of tour in Iceland
- Group Travel Insurance
- Time to explore Reykjavik

The cost of this year's trip is **£855** (domestic airport coach transfer cost to be confirmed, due to current fuel prices please allow a contingency of £50. This payment will not be due until September 22). The trip can be paid for in installments. To **secure a place** on the trip an **initial deposit of £125** will be required by the **18/04/22**. A second installment of **£110** is required by the **25/05/22**. The remaining balance of **£620** will be due by the end of the school academic year, **15/07/22**, which can be paid in two installments. All payments will be made via the **School Gateway App**. If you would like your child to attend the Iceland trip but will have difficulty with payments, please contact the school in order to discuss the matter further. Assistance may be possible, in some circumstances.

Cancellation and withdrawals from the trip: If a replacement can be found, every effort will be made to refund the initial cost of the trip barring any amendment fees or charges due to change of names on booking of flights and/or accommodation. If a replacement cannot be found after final payment is due and no suitable substitute is immediately available, cancellation charges will be levied on a sliding scale according to the travel companies' terms and conditions.

A high level of maturity and responsibility is required of pupils during the visit and **we reserve the right to refuse any pupil at this point, or at any other time before the trip leaves, if a pupil's behaviour is a cause for concern.** If we do need to remove pupils from this trip then this may lead to the loss of any money paid.

If you have any further questions or enquiries please get in touch with the school.

Yours sincerely

J Moran
Pennaeth Daearyddiaeth / Head of Geography

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School Iceland Trip – Wednesday 2nd – 5th of November 2022

I wish my son/daughter to be considered for a place on the planned trip to Iceland during the October/November half term holiday 2022.

NAME OF STUDENT : TUTOR GROUP :

SIGNED (PARENT/CARER)

DATE

Please return to Mr J Moran

Taith Ysgol i Wlad yr Iâ – Dydd Mercher, Tachwedd 2^{il} – 5^{ed}

Dymunaf i'm mab/merch gael ei y/hystyried ar gyfer lle ar y daith arfaethedig i Wlad yr Iâ yn ystod gwyliau hanner tymor mis Tachwedd 2022.

ENW'R MYFYRIWR : GRŴP TIWTOR :

LLOFNOD (RHIAN/GOFALWR)

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Dychweler at Mr J Moran os gwelwch yn dda

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Taith Ysgol i Wlad yr Iâ - Tachwedd 2022

Mawrth 2022

Annwyl Riant/Warcheidwad

Mae'n bleser gennyf gyhoeddi bod yr ysgol yn cynllunio taith i Wlad yr Iâ, a gynhelir yn ystod hanner tymor cyntaf 2022. Y dyddiadau teithio a gynigir yw Tachwedd 2^{il} i'r 5^{ed}, yn amodol ar argaeledd hediadau. Mae tri deg o leoedd ar y daith i ddisgyblion, gyda phedwar aelod staff. Mae'r daith yn agored i'n disgyblion Blwyddyn 9 presennol ac i'n disgyblion Blwyddyn 11 a 12 presennol sy'n dychwelyd i astudio yn y chweched dosbarth.

Bydd y daith yn cynnwys 4 diwrnod a 3 noson, i gynnwys:

- Hediadau yno ac yn ôl
- Gwesty – Llety Llawn
- Diwrnod Cylch Aur – Nofio yn y Secret Lagoon, Parc Cenedlaethol Thingvellir, Cefnen Canol yr Iwerydd, Ardal Geothermol Geysir, Rhaeadr Gulfoss
- Diwrnod Arfordir y De – Seljalandsfoss a Rhaeadr Skogafoss Falls, Arfordir Dyrholaey, Canolfan Ymwelwyr Eyjafjallajökull, Traeth Tywod Du, ymweliad â thrwyn Rhewlif Solheimajokull
- Penrhyn Reykjanes – Y Bont rhwng Cyfandiroedd, Ffynhonnau Poeth Gunnhver, Pyllau Mwd Krysvik, Crater Stampar a Goleudy Reykjanes
- Gwasanaethau tywys proffesiynol
- Teithiau bws drwy gydol y daith yng Ngwlad yr Iâ
- Yswiriant Teithio Grŵp
- Amser i weld Reykjavik

Cost y daith eleni yw **£855 (cost trosglwyddo coetsys maes awyr domestig i'w gadarnhau)**. Gellir talu am y daith mewn rhandaliadau. I **sicrhau lle** ar y daith bydd angen **blaendal cychwynnol o £125** erbyn **18/04/22**. Bydd angen ail randaliad o **£110** erbyn 25/05/22. Bydd gweddill y balans o **£620** yn ddyledus erbyn diwedd y flwyddyn academaidd **15/07/22**, a gellir ei dalu mewn dau randaliad. Bydd yr holl daliadau'n cael eu gwneud drwy **Ap School Gateway**. Os hoffech i'ch plentyn fynd ar y daith i Wlad yr Iâ ond rydych yn cael trafferth talu, cysylltwch â'r ysgol er mwyn trafod y mater ymhellach. Efallai y bydd cymorth yn bosibl, dan rai amgylchiadau.

Canslo a thynnu'n ôl o'r daith: Os gellir dod o hyd i rywun arall i gymryd y lle, gwneir pob ymdrech i ad-dalu cost gychwynnol y daith ac eithrio unrhyw ffioedd neu daliadau diwygio oherwydd newid enw wrth archebu hediad a/neu lety. Os na ellir dod o hyd i rywun arall ar ôl i'r taliad terfynol ddod yn ddyledus ac nad oes person arall addas ar gael ar unwaith, codir tâl canslo ar raddfa symudol yn unol â thelerau ac amodau'r cwmnïau teithio.

Mae angen lefel uchel o aeddfedrwydd a chyfrifoldeb ar ddisgyblion yn ystod yr ymweliad a **chedwir yr hawl i wrthod unrhyw ddisgybl ar yr adeg hon, neu ar unrhyw adeg arall cyn i'r daith adael, os yw ymddygiad disgybl yn destun pryder**. Os oes angen i ni dynnu disgyblion o'r daith hon yna fe all hyn arwain at gollu unrhyw arian a dalwyd.

Os oes gennych unrhyw gwestiynau neu ymholiadau pellach, mae croeso i chi gysylltu â'r ysgol.

Yn gywir iawn

J Moran

Pennaeth Daearyddiaeth