Year 12/13 Paris Trip 22nd-25th March 2024

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Key Information

- When? Friday 22 March Monday 25th March, 3 nights
- How? Coach/train to London from school then Eurostar to Paris
- **Who?** Year 12 and 13 English and French students, Ms Creneguy, Ms Kyprianou and Mr Vidon
- Accomodation? Premiere Classe Paris Pont de Suresnes, Bed and Breakfast

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Itinerary	
Friday	 Coach from Seaford Head School to London, <u>6am departure</u> <u>Arundel Site</u> Eurostar departs at 10.24am, arriving at Paris Gare du Nord at 13.58 local time Check into hotel Visit to the Montparnasse Tower for views of Paris Evening Meal at a local restaurant
Saturday	 Breakfast at the hotel Morning - Seine River Boat Cruise Lunch in The Marais area of Paris Afternoon - sightseeing, option to visit: Champs-Elysees/Arc de Triomphe Evening meal - students to eat in small groups within the Grand Boulevard area
Sunday	 Breakfast at the hotel Walking tour of Montmartre Lunch - sandwiches on the steps in front of Sacre Coeur with views



- of the city
- Afternoon sightseeing around Place de la Concorde, Notre Dame, Shakespeare and Company bookshop. Optional visit to Musee D'Orsay/Les Halles shopping centre
- Evening meal Come Prima Restaurant
- Evening visit to the Pompidou centre

Monday



- Breakfast at the hotel, check out and luggage store
- Morning visit the Louvre gallery
- Lunch, sandwiches in the Jardin des Tuileries
- Afternoon visit Pere Lachaise cemetery
- Eurostar departs at 20.00 local time
- Arrive in London at 21.30 and return to Seaford Head School by coach. 11.30pm pick up Arundel Site.

Money

- We have 2 evening meals that are covered in the trip price and continental breakfast every day in the hotel
- You will need money for lunch every day and 1 evening meal and then any personal shopping you wish to do.
- Students will also need to bring food for the eurostar on Friday OR money to buy something at the station. They will also need to buy something for the return journey on Monday.
- In central Paris, the cost of a cheese and ham baguette is about 4€50.
- We recommend 10-15€ per day for lunch and 20-30€ for the evening meal
- If you have a Monza, Starling or Revolut card, you can use this in Europe easily.
- There is a safe at the hotel if you want to leave cash there and take out an amount each day.
- We recommend bringing a bag with a zip and keeping any valuables in a zip up wallet.

Packing

- The weather in Paris at this time of year is fairly mild (usually around 13 degrees) but it can be cooler and it might rain. We will be spending much of our time outdoors and be travelling around mainly on foot.
- As such, we recommend that students pack the following essential items for their tour:
 - Comfortable shoes (trainers)
 - A waterproof coat or fold up umbrella
 - Jumpers and layers in case it is cold
 - Plenty of spare socks in case your feet get wet
 - Sunscreen and sunglasses in case it is sunny
 - A zip up bag to take out for the day