

# QUEEN ELIZABETH'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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15<sup>th</sup> May 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

## **Art Trip to Chatsworth – 27<sup>th</sup> June 2019**

**Years 10 Art Students**

**Trip Leader: Mrs Davis**

The Art Department is organising a trip to Chatsworth House for our Year 10 GCSE Art and Textiles students. The purpose of the trip is to take advantage of the new Chatsworth Education space located in The Old Potting Shed in the gardens. Students will leave school at 9am and return for 3:50pm. Students will take part in a two hour print workshop and a one hour guided tour of the gardens. The workshop and garden tour will provide the students with an opportunity to develop new skills and collect technical and visual research for future projects. Students will also be given additional time to explore the gardens in small groups to collect photography.

Students are permitted to wear non-school uniform but must come prepared with a waterproof coat or jacket and appropriate footwear for the gardens. Please also be aware that weather permitting, sun protection and a hat may also be advisable. Students should also bring drawing materials, a notebook and a camera if possible, as well as a packed lunch and a drink.

The cost of the trip is £15.00 (to cover the cost of transport, tour, activities and resources), to be paid via the ParentPay system. The law currently does not allow us to make a charge for this category of trip, although we may ask for voluntary contributions. No student may be excluded from the excursion because of an inability to pay a financial contribution. However, unless the voluntary financial contributions cover the cost of the excursion, the visit may not take place.

The deadline for making this payment is **Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2019**. Please remember to tick the 'consent' box on the Parentpay screen\*.

If you have problems making the payment via the ParentPay system, or are unable to pay for the trip you should contact [finance@queenelizabeths.derbyshire.sch.uk](mailto:finance@queenelizabeths.derbyshire.sch.uk) as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully

Miss Matkin

**Art Department**

*\*by clicking the "consent" button on ParentPay to confirm the payment, you are also confirming that the emergency contact and medical details we have on our system are correct for your child. Please inform me as a matter of urgency should there be any changes to the details we hold.*

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