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Dear Year 7 Parents and Guardians,

Year 7 Rome Visit June 2026

We are excited to inform you about a fantastic opportunity for our Year 7 students to visit the historical city of Rome in June 2026! This trip promises to be an enriching and memorable experience, where students will explore some of the most iconic landmarks and cultural treasures.

The trip will take place from Monday 15th June to Friday 19th June 2026, and during their visit, students will have the chance to tour renowned sites such as:

- The Vatican Museum
- The Sistine Chapel
- Vatican City
- The Trevi Fountain
- The Spanish Steps
- The Colosseum
- The Palatine Museum
- The Roman Forum
- The Catacombs

The cost of the trip will be £1210 per student, which includes accommodation, travel to and from the airport, luggage, and all entry fees for the listed attractions. We understand that such a trip is a significant commitment, and as such, we are pleased to offer an instalment plan to spread the cost, meaning the full amount does not need to be paid upfront. However, please note that the first payment of £400 will be due 13th January 2026.

This trip will also provide valuable support for your child's progress in Religious Studies. By exploring the Vatican, the Sistine Chapel, and other religious sites, students will gain a deeper understanding of the Christian faith, its history, and its cultural impact on the world. Visiting these iconic locations will help to bring the topics studied in class to life, enriching their knowledge and fostering a greater appreciation for the subjects of religion, history, and art.

As spaces for this trip are limited to 50 students from the year group, we ask that you register your interest by completing the attached form by 8th January 2025. If we receive more interest than available places, we will use a fair lottery system to select students, ensuring that all names are drawn fairly.

We hope this trip will be an inspiring opportunity for your child to explore the history, art, and culture of one of the most famous cities in the world, as well as a meaningful addition to their studies.

Registration Form: Please complete the attached form to express your interest in this trip by Wednesday 8th January.

<https://forms.office.com/e/dv6kfhQKAg>

Thank you for your support, and we look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

Grace Waker
Head of Religious Studies