



**THE PARAGON
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FRANCE 2020

Dear Parents

Here is initial information about the visit to France for Year 6 pupils in 2020. The trip to France has always been hugely enjoyed by the children during what is their final term at The Paragon, giving them a taste of independence, the chance to live with their friends and the opportunity to interact with a different culture.

The visit will take place from **Monday 11th May to Friday 15th May 2020**. The group will be staying in the magnificent 17th century Chateau de Chantereine near Dieppe in Northern France. The centre is run by the 'Kingswood' company (www.kingswood.co.uk) and specialises in providing stimulating French study breaks which engage the children with French culture, history and language in a lively and immersive manner.

The children will take part in a full and rewarding programme of excursions and activities – in past years this has included visits to Nausicaa (the French National Sea Life Centre), World War 1 battlefields, local markets and a goat farm. We hope to continue our well-established link with the village school at Camiers by spending a morning there. The Chateau has four acres of grounds and a multi-purpose sports complex, allowing for a range of on-site activities to be provided.

Travel will be by coach from Prior Park College to the Chateau, using the Eurotunnel crossing.

We anticipate that the cost of this trip will not exceed £460 (excluding pocket money). This includes travel, all food and accommodation, comprehensive travel insurance and the excursions.

The centre is holding our booking for a limited period, and this cannot be confirmed until we have collected deposits for the trip. This will be £50.00 per child and, once paid, will enable us to go ahead and confirm everything with Kingswood. The deposit will also confirm that your child has a place for France 2020. There will be a second deposit to pay at the end of November, with the final balance due in March 2020.

If you have any questions at this early stage, please feel free to email us. There will be a meeting next term at which we will be able to give you more detailed information and the opportunity to ask any questions.

All the best,

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CHILD'S NAME: _____

CLASS: _____

I understand that the first deposit of £50 for the trip to France 2020 will be added to my school bill. I understand that this is non-refundable.

SIGNED: _____

