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Dear Parent

Water Sports trip to the South of France July 2018

I am writing to inform you of a new exciting visit to southwest France for students in years 7, 8, 9. The purpose of the visit is to enable students to participate in a range of water sports and other sporting activities as well as experiencing French culture. The visit will take place from 10 to 17 July 2018.

The cost of the visit will be £665 which will include:

- Executive coach and cross channel ferry
- 7 days 7 nights full board accommodation over two sites
- Full water sports programme
- Mountain biking expedition
- Insurance

As this trip is not a compulsory part of the school curriculum we are unfortunately unable to provide any assistance with the cost of the trip. We do our very best to keep costs to a minimum for all of the trips that we plan.

A full programme of activities will be undertaken including full training from qualified instructors and use of high quality equipment. Further information will follow and an information evening will be arranged in the later of the spring term.

Activities include:

- Pico and Topper Sailing
- Windsurfing
- Belly boarding
- Mountain biking
- Canoeing
- Beach games, tennis, 5-a-side, etc
- Catamaran Sailing
- Team building activities

Other entertainment will be arranged as part of the evening programme of entertainment such as a visit to a local town (shopping trip) disco, talent show.

In order for your child to participate in this visit they need to be able to swim a minimum of 50 metres.

Please note that if there are any concerns regarding the behaviour or attitude of a student in school, the headteacher reserves the right to refuse or cancel a place on any trip. In the event of the trip being oversubscribed we will draw lots for places. All applications will be considered after the date below.

If you would like your child to be considered for a place, please return the reply slip below, along with a non-refundable deposit of £70.00 (deposits will be returned in the event that the trip does not go ahead) to the school office by Friday 20th October. You can make the payment using Parent Pay or by cheque or cash. Cheques should be made payable to Chapel-en-le-Frith High School with the student's name, tutor group and "Water sports France" visit written on the back of the cheque. If cash is sent in please put this in an envelope with the above mentioned information written on it. Yours faithfully D R TURNER- Visit Organiser * Please return to the school office Water sports trip 2018 Tutor Group Student's name I would like my son/daughter to participate in the Activities week "Water sports" trip to southwest France. I have paid a deposit of £70 using Parent Pay I enclose cash \Box cheque \Box first payment of £70.00.

Date:

Signed: