



Ripon Grammar School

Thursday 16 January 2025

Y8 Paris trip 22 - 25 May 2026

Dear parents and carers,

I am excited to be launching today with your children, our Paris trip 2026 – all of Year 7 are invited! We will travel from Ripon by coach, early on Friday 22 May 2026, crossing the channel by ferry and arriving at PGL's Château de Grande Romaine for our evening meal. Students will stay in ensuite dormitories of 3 – 8 students and all meals are included in the price.

Please find further details of the accommodation here: [Chateau de Grande Romaine - PGL Schools & Groups](#)

PGL can accommodate all 120 of our students and our greatest wish would be for every child to be able to come and experience the beauty of Paris, the culture of France and the realisation that what they are learning in the classroom really works with French people!

We are hoping that the students will:

- admire the Eiffel Tower
- see the Arc de Triomphe & Champs-Élysées
- take photos at the Louvre & Pyramide
- visit the Sacré Cœur & Montmartre
- take a Bâteaux Parisiens cruise on the Seine
- discover the newly re-opened Notre Dame
- visit Brie on market day and use their French to make purchases

The total cost of the trip stands at £595 which includes all transport, accommodation, meals and outings. We are trying to spread the cost over 18 months, which we hope will help, but please let us know if your child would like to come and the cost is an issue. For any issues around payment, please contact Mrs Harrison - harrisonc@ripongrammar.com

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To confirm a place on the trip, we will need an initial non-refundable deposit of £95 by February 7th, 2025. Further payments will need to be made via ParentPay as below:

Feb 7 th 2025	£95
May 9 th 2025	£100
July 4 th 2025	£100
September 12 th 2025	£100
November 7 th 2025	£100
March 6 th 2026	£100
TOTAL	£595

If a small number of students sign up to the Paris trip, the costs may rise (if we take 70 or more, they will remain unchanged). It may be helpful to mention at this point that the Ardèche trip will no longer run at the end of Y8, so this is the only residential offered before summer Year 9 (Bewerley Park).

We hope you are as excited as we are about launching this new trip,
Claire-Lise Harrison
Head of MFL

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