

MAYESPARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As you will know, children at Mayespark learn French as part of the school curriculum in Key Stage 2. We have run an educational visit to France a number of times in the past and each time we receive such positive feedback from both children and parents. I am delighted to offer this opportunity once again to our children moving into Year 6 next September.

We appreciate that it is a big decision to send your child on any residential trip and we are sure that you will have many questions. Therefore, we invite you to attend an online meeting on Thursday 14th March at 4.30 pm. We will send the log in details nearer the time. There will also be an in person meeting in school on 21st March at 3.30 pm.. During this time, you will receive a presentation about the visit and have the opportunity to ask questions.

KEY INFORMATION

Dates: Monday 21 Oct 2025 - Thursday 24 Oct 2025

Cost: £273.60. This includes travel, accommodation, food and activities.

Payments: Payments will need to be made in 3 instalments.

£50 by Friday 22nd March

£113.60 by Friday 10th May

£110 by Friday 11th July

Accommodation

We will stay in a hotel called Le Moulin aux Draps. This is owned by Voyager, the company we are booking this visit through and will be used exclusively by school groups during our visit. Our experience of their service in the past has been very good. Girls and boys will have separate bedrooms and teachers will be sleeping on site too.

Our itinerary is yet to be confirmed however is likely to include the following:

A visit to a local bakery where the children will see how baguettes, croissants and French pastries are made

A trip a French market

A visit to a goats' cheese farm

A visit to Le Touquet town and beach

There will also be evening activities run by a member of Voyager staff.

Other information:

The children will require a valid passport and a UK Global Health Insurance Card (this is free and available through the NHS website).

A French speaker will be with the children during the whole visit.

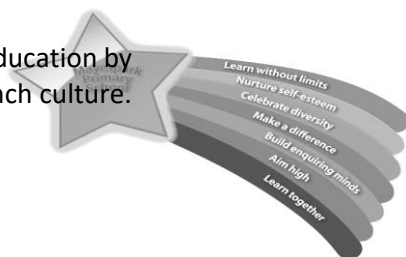
We will be travelling by coach.

If you would like to book a place for your child on this educational visit, please complete and return the slip below. Payment will then be assigned to your Parentpay account which will need to be cleared within 5 working days of us receiving your slip in order for your place to be held. We will not be able to hold places for longer than this without being in receipt of a deposit.

Please note that all payments are non-refundable if you decide to cancel. If we have to cancel the visit due to not enough interest, your deposit will be refunded.



I am sure you will agree that this educational visit will greatly enrich the children's education by providing them with many opportunities to speak in French and experience the French culture. I hope your child will be able to benefit from this visit.



Thank you for your on-going support.

Yours sincerely,

Ms Emma Roberts
French Specialist Teacher



PLEASE RETURN TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE: French Visit 2024

Child's name: _____ Class: _____



I would like to book a place for my child on the educational visit to France and understand that a non-refundable deposit of £50 is due to be paid via Parentpay within five working days.



Signed: _____ parent / carer Date: _____

