



ST. AIDAN'S

CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL

October 2016

Dear Parents

Year 7 Visit to Northumberland 2017

12 – 14 May Forms C, D, E and G

19 – 21 May Forms P, S, W and Y

The annual Year 7 visit to Northumberland provides our pupils with a splendid opportunity to visit the areas where Saint Aidan and the other northern Saints lived and worked. The excursion involves visiting places such as Beamish, Bamburgh Castle, Seahouses and Holy Island. We will be staying at Dukeshouse Wood, Fellside near Hexham, Northumberland which is an exciting residential centre where the pupils will also undertake various activities on site (www.kingswood.co.uk). The work carried out on this visit will complement the work being done in Geography, History and Religious Studies in Key Stage 3. **Forms C, D, E and G are scheduled to go on the weekend 12 – 14 May 2017 and forms P, S, W and Y are scheduled to go on the weekend 19 – 21 May 2017.** If your child cannot go on their allocated weekend they can change weekends with a friend.

We regard the trips as being of extreme value to staff and pupils alike. Various social activities are arranged and the pupils benefit from shared experiences. They are supervised by the staff for the majority of the weekend but will be allowed some free time on Saturday for souvenir shopping.

The cost of the trip is £140.00, payment should be made in 2 instalments of £70.00, one on Friday 4th November and one on Friday 3rd March 2017. Our preferred method of payment is by Parent Pay however you can still pay by cheque (made payable to St Aidan's school fund). Alternatively the full total can be paid on Friday 4th November 2016.

Please complete the attached form and return to the finance office or hand into reception by Friday 4th November 2016. Thank you.

Yours sincerely

Mrs K Douglas
Head of Year 7

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ST AIDAN'S C OF E HIGH SCHOOL – NORTHUMBERLAND TRIP 2017

I wish my child to be involved on the visit to Northumberland.

I have paid £140.00 by parent pay / cheque (please delete)

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Name of Pupil Form

Signed Parent/Guardian:..... Form

Medical and Dietary Information will be taken from the information you have already given the school. If you would like any further information added would you please write below.

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I would like to share with the following friends:

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Please return completed form to the finance department or reception, please make sure your name is on the form, by Friday 4th November 2016. Thank you.

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