



9th July 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

C10 visit to Berlin - 5th July to 11th July 2026

We are currently planning and booking our residential visits for the next academic year. For the past few years, we have offered the opportunity to visit Berlin to learners who have opted to study GCSE History. I am in communication with the tour operator for a booking next summer from the 5th to the 11th July 2026.

In order for us to obtain costs, we need to establish the level of interest from families for their child to attend. This is a fantastic trip, one that we have run for several years and a visit that learners remember for a long time. (we currently have a group in Berlin and the pictures are available to see on Facebook!) The itinerary for this year is shown below. It is likely that the itinerary for next year will follow the same structure.

Berlin Itinerary 2025

Sunday

Depart early evening and travel by coach to Berlin

Monday

Arrive in Berlin. Check in to hotel and have time to settled in. Activities on site

Tuesday

*Walking tour including the Jewish Museum, Brandenburg Gate, Hitlers Bunker. Reichstag
Alexplatz - TV Tower*

Wednesday

*Olympic Stadium
East Side Gallery and Chekcpoitrn Charlie/Berlin Wall
River boat cruise*

Thursday

*Sachsenhausen Concnetration Camp
Stasi Prison
Bowling in the evening*

Friday

*Sansoucci Park
Potsdam - cultural
time/shopping/exploring the town
Depart early evening*

Saturday

Arrive back at Honywood @11:00am

The anticipated cost for 2026 will be between **£800 to £860**. This includes all meals, transport, accommodation and entry fees for the duration of the trip. (We will be staying in a hotel next year as the normal hostel is unavailable which has increased the cost slightly.)

We are initially asking for an expression of interest so that we can obtain costs and availability. By completing the expression of interest, it does not commit your child to attend, nor does it guarantee a place at this stage. *The trip is open to all of C10, but priority will be given to those taking GCSE History.*

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Once we have confirmed a price and booking we will write to families to request a deposit payment should they wish their child to take part. The link for the expression of interest can found here: <https://forms.gle/w1bMXEv63EZ3fmBB6>

Please complete this expression of interest by Monday 14th July 2025.

Should you have any questions regarding this visit, please do not hesitate to contact me at the school.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Frogley
Marketing and Enrichment Leader