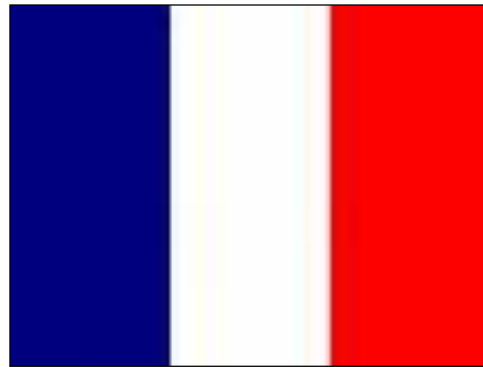


La Grande Découverte
The Great Discovery



Parents' Briefing June 2022

Which trip is my child going on?

Trip 1 **Wed 22nd Jun - 8R**
 Fri 24th Jun 8T
 8Y

Trip 2 **Mon 27th Jun - 8Q**
 Wed 29th Jun 8U
 8X

Trip 3 **Wed 29th Jun - 8S**
 Fri 1st Jul 8V
 8W



Does my child need a test?

- If they have had 2 vaccine doses with the final dose at least 1 week before departure – **NO**
- Only 1 vaccine dose with recovery from having Covid less than 6 months and more than 11 days ago (with a test recorded by NHS) - **NO**

Please print out a PDF of their Covid pass

- **Unvaccinated?**
- 1 vaccine dose with Covid with no recorded test - **YES**
- 1 vaccine dose with Covid more than 6 months **or** less than 11 days ago - **YES**

Please see the appropriate test details for your child's trip

Covid testing – where applicable

Trip 1	8R PMU 8T DMO 8Y KWO	During the school day 21 th June
Trip 2	8Q MNU 8U LSW 8X NRO	Tests will go out in registration Friday 24 th June for parents to test Sat 25 th June
TRIP 3	8S TGR 8V SBE 8W LDN	During the school day Monday 27 th June

Fully vaccinated students (see previous slide) will need
2 copies of their Covid Pass EMAILED TO MS MOSS
kmoss@lamberhorne.co.uk
This is done via the NHS App

Itinerary – Day 1

- Treasure hunt and souvenir shopping in Boulogne's historic Old Town
- Packed lunch in the park
- Visit to Nausica Aquarium
- Check in to hotel and dinner
- Team building activities and a little free recreation time!



Itinerary – Day 2

- Visit WW1 cemetery in Etaples
- Picnic challenge in Etaples
- Picnic
- Visit the Musée de l'Abeille
- Dinner



Itinerary – Day 3

- Visit Boulangerie “D’Escoeuilles”
- Picnic lunch
- Visit to Snail Farm to see how this French delicacy is farmed. Tastings for the brave!



Essential Timings

- Coaches will leave and arrive back at **Imberhorne Lane (upper school)**
- Trip 1 Students need to arrive at school at **04.45** am. Coaches will leave at **05.00** am
- Trip 2 Students need to arrive at school at **04.45** am. Coaches will leave at **05.00** am.
- Trip 3 Students need to arrive at school at **04.45** am Coach leaves at **05.00** am
- Coaches will leave promptly and we cannot wait for latecomers.
- Trip 1 will arrive back at approx **19.00** hrs
- Trip 2 will arrive back at approx **18.30** hrs
- Trip 3 will arrive back at approx **19.00** hrs
- Keep an eye on the website and social media!
We will update if there are any **significant** delays



The Hotels

- All rooms are ensuite and have a variety of 4, 5 or 6 beds.
- They will be able to share a room with their friends
- Breakfasts and evening meals will be eaten in the hotel restaurants
- Facilities include open space for the students to play.
- The venue is very safe for students, in a rural location



What to pack in your LGD day bag

- A bottle of water that can be refilled
- Packed lunch
- Sunscreen (high factor!)
- Light waterproof jacket
- Pen and pencil
- Camera (disposable)
- Spending money for the first day (must be in euros!)
- **Students must have a watch!**

On the coach we will hand out:

- La Grande Découverte activity booklets



What to pack in your suitcase

- Clothing that is suitable for varied weather
- Hoodie or jumper
- **Towel** and shower gel / soap
- Toothbrush, toothpaste etc.
- The rest of your child's spending money, divided into envelopes for Day 2 and Day 3 (**must be in euros and small denominations!**)
- Some healthy snacks e.g. cereal bars, dried fruit

Please also ensure that your child is wearing comfortable, practical footwear as the trip is very active!



Pocket Money

- Spending money for the first day packed in day bag (must be in euros!)
- The rest of your child's spending money, should be packed in your child's suitcase and divided into envelopes for Day 2 and Day 3 (must be in euros!)
- There are limited opportunities for your child to spend money so we suggest a maximum of 30 Euros.
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Please do not pack the following:

- Unchanged currency - there will be no opportunity to change £££ to Euros while on the trip
- **Mobile phones**
- I pads, handheld consoles, other personal electronic devices
- Sweets
- Juice or fizzy drinks
- Aerosol deodorants – roll-on deodorants are fine but sprays can trigger asthma attacks in some students and are unsafe in high temperatures



Medication and dietary requirements

- The medical form must be up to date so if anything changes between now and the trip, please contact us!
- Medication should be in a bag, and all items must be clearly labelled with your child's name
- All medication (even if non-prescription) must be handed to a member of staff when loading the coach
- All dietary requirements must be stated on the medical form
- If your child is vegetarian or vegan, please state this clearly on the medical form and make clear whether or not they eat fish / dairy
- The more information we have, the better!



Learning and Behaviour

- Curriculum links and the activity booklet
- Shopping in the Old Town
- Behaviour expectations
- Rules for night time



Photos and updates

- Photographs will be posted on the school Facebook account AFTER all three trips have returned home
- Many activities are in a semi-rural location and we do not have WIFI access
- Please keep an eye on Facebook, twitter or the school website for **significant** updates to return times for each trip



In case of emergency, contact the school in the first instance

If out of hours, Ms Marlborough can be contacted on 07833 209 458

Merci beaucoup!

