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IMBERHORNE SCHOOL

Headteacher: Mr Martin Brown

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September 2018

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s)

Years 10-13, Geography trip, Morocco, Easter 2019

Building on the success of previous trips to Iceland and Sicily, I am delighted to inform you that this year's Geography trip will be to Morocco. The proposed trip will be for 5 days (with an early morning flight home on the 6th day) and is likely to take place in the 1st week of the Easter holiday. The trip has a variety of curriculum links to support the learning of the students as well as being an amazing cultural experience with the opportunity for students to immerse themselves in incredible landscapes and take part in some unique activities.

The cost of the trip is likely to be around **£850** per person.

The cost will include the following: (Please also see the more detailed preliminary itinerary from our travel company Travel Places, below):

- Private coach hire and driver in Morocco
- Return flights including taxes (Gatwick to Marrakech)
- Tour guide/s
- 3 or 4 nights' accommodation in hotels and 1 night Bivouac at Auberge De Sud Merzouga – half board
- Camel safari
- Olive groves
- Oued Draa and Draa Valley
- Oasis settlement
- Sand dunes of the Sahara
- Tizi-N-Tichka Pass (2260m)
- 1 item of checked luggage
- Insurance

All students would be required to have a valid full passport. If you need to, we recommend you apply to the passport office as soon as possible. In addition to this, your son/daughter will need an EHIC (European Health Insurance Card). Students will not require any injections or immunisations for the trip.

If you would like your son/daughter to go on this trip please reply via email to jbotting@imberhorne.co.uk or return the slip below slip by **Monday 8th October**. We will then contact the parents/students who are interested to run a briefing evening so that we can give you more detailed information.

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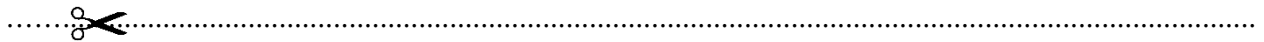


This trip is optional, therefore, if there is not enough demand the trip will not run. As places are limited, and to ensure fairness, these will be allocated upon receipt of the deposit once we have had the first parents briefing and will be on a first come first served basis.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours faithfully
Mr D Monckton
Geography Department-KS3 Co-ordinator

Cc Mrs J Botting



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

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**Please return this slip to Mrs Botting or reply via email to: jbotting@imberhorne.co.uk
By Monday 8th October.**

Yes – we would be interested in our son/daughter going on this trip

Name of Student: _____

Form: _____

No – we would not be interested in this trip – would you please provide a reason why.

Signed(parent/carer) Date.....

Yours faithfully
Mr D Monckton
Geography Department - KS3 Geography coordinator



Preliminary itinerary from our travel company Travel Places below.

- Day one: Arrive Marrakech
Meet guide
Dinner at Hotel
Hotel: Hotel le Kech boutique
- Day two: Breakfast
Depart for Ouarzazate
Tizi-N-Tichka pass (2260m)
Dinner at hotel
Visit to local Souk
Hotel: Ait ben haddo
- Day three: Breakfast
Visit to Draa valley
Oasis settlement
Camel safari on the edge of the Sahara
Dinner at hotel
Bivouac: Auberge Du Sud Merzouga
- Day four: Breakfast
Coach to Ait ben haddo via Alnif
Dinner at hotel
Hotel: Hotel La Fint
- Day five: Breakfast
Return to Marrakech
Dinner at hotel
Hotel: Hotel le Kech boutique
- Day six: Breakfast
Checkout
Flight home