

Westbourne Academy

Battlefields Information Sheet: Thursday 12 – Sunday 15 July 2018

Thursday 12 July

- 6.15am Students must arrive at the front of school
- 6.30am Coach departs Westbourne Academy for Dover
- 10.15am Ferry departs Dover for Calais
- 12.45pm Time to explore Ypres (local time)
- 2.00pm Visit the Cemeteries and Battlefields of Flanders
- 6.30pm Evening Meal in Ypres
- 8.00pm Check in to Ypres Lodge Hotel

Friday 13 July

- 7.30am Breakfast
- 11.00am Visit Wellington Quarry Arras
- 2.00pm Visit the Cemeteries and Battlefields of the Somme, Newfoundland Park, Thiepval Memorial and La Boiselle Crater
- 5.00pm Depart for Paris
- 7.15pm Check in to Ibis Pontault Combault
- 8.00pm Evening Meal

Saturday 14 July

- 7.00am Breakfast
- 8.30am Disney Village
- 6.00pm Depart Disneyland Paris
- 11.35pm Ferry departs Calais for Dover

Sunday 15 July

- 2.45am Arrive Westbourne Academy. Parents to collect their children from school.

Information

There will be a lot of walking so make sure you wear suitable footwear, especially as the trenches at Sanctuary Wood can be muddy. If it is hot, make sure that you have sunscreen.

Pupils' phones are their responsibility. To charge phones and use hairdryers, a continental adaptor will be required.

Towels will not be provided at the hotels so make sure that you have packed one.

Medication is the pupil's responsibility but if there is a condition that we should know about, please inform us.

Money

There will be opportunities for students to purchase snacks on the ferry and in Ypres. There are also some very tasty chocolate shops in the square. Lunch will be provided on Tuesday and lunch vouchers at Disneyland but students may wish to purchase cold drinks. We suggest about 80 Euros. These can be obtained at Asda.

Contact

In an emergency, parents may contact the trip leader, Pauline Walter on 07731-505541.