



# Brine Leas School

An Academy  
September 2017  
Believe, Learn, Succeed

Dear Parents,

I have the pleasure in including with this letter the itinerary for our trip to London, along with an equipment checklist for your child. We would request that you help your child to prepare the necessary equipment for the trip in advance. If you have any queries regarding this list, please contact me at school as soon as possible so that arrangements can be made.

Packed lunch for Friday  
Sleeping Bag  
Pillowcase  
A towel  
Toothbrush  
Toothpaste  
Shower gel  
Sun tan lotion  
Waterproof Jacket  
Sensible shoes for walking  
Toiletries  
Money for 3 meals and any spending money

Pupils **cannot** bring suitcases, they are not allowed on HMS Belfast, instead they need a lightweight rucksack.

Students should meet on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September at 8:00am by the ticket office (adjacent to the taxi rank) at Crewe Station and must not proceed to the station platform. Due to booked train tickets, if your child is not at the station on time we will have to leave without them. Please also ensure that you have arranged where to meet your child on our return to Crewe at 7:10pm on the Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2017. If the train is significantly delayed we will try to contact you.

The following precautions will be put in place in case of emergency

- Students will be given an emergency school based contact number which they should save in their phones. Students can use that number in case they are unable to contact staff on the school mobile number. The SMT duty member will then contact parents accordingly.
- When students have free time I will set safe areas or venues that students could use if an urgent situation arises.
- Students are to have spare money for alternative routes in case of any problems. I would recommend £10.
- Students are to be extra vigilant and should report any suspicious activity immediately to the police and member of staff.
- When staying at any place for more than 30 minutes, I will identify emergency meeting points in case the group is forced to move and becomes split.

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If you have any queries regarding the trip please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully,



Miss K. Malkin  
(Head of Humanities)  
KMN/SJ/LDG

### Itinerary

#### **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September**

08:00	Meet at Crewe Station
08:23	Train from Crewe
10:00	Arrive London – drop baggage off
12:00	Royal Observatory
15:00	Old Operating Theatre and Herb Garrett – King Cholera Walk & Victorian surgery brought to life
17:30	Covent Garden for dinner
19:30	Peacock Theatre, <i>Footloose</i>
22:00	Walk to Nelson's Column and the Houses of Parliament and underground-back to HMS Belfast

#### **Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> September**

8:00	Breakfast
9:00	Education Session on HMS Belfast
11:00	Plague, Fire & Restoration Walk
12:30	Lunch near St Paul's Cathedral
13:30	St Paul's Cathedral & Spitalfields Market
16:00	Collect luggage
17:40	Return train
19:10	Arrive Crewe