

## **Holy Family Catholic High School**

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Wednesday, 23 April 2025

Dear Parent,

As part of our Character and Culture programme, we are pleased to confirm that a visit to Barcelona will take place in July 2025 (exact date to be announced). Places are available on a first come first served basis. Places need to be confirmed by the 14<sup>th</sup> October with a £200 deposit. Payable in cash to Becky Bell or on SCOPAY. Reply slips must be returned to Becky Bell when booking.

The cost will be £750 which includes:

# SAMPLE ITINERARY

This itinerary is for illustrative purposes only and all visits will be finalised after booking and are subject to availability.

Please see your destination guide for suggested excursions and costs. Your itinerary will be tailored to your exact needs and requirements once your booking is confirmed.

#### Day 1 (Mon 14th Jul) - Flight to Barcelona

Arrive at school at 7.00am for a coach pick up to Manchester Airport. Arrive at Manchester Airport 10:40 Ryanair flight from Manchester Airport to Barcelona 14:05 Arrive to Barcelona and collect bags. Students are allowed a 10kg case and a carry on bag. Collect your 4 day (96hr) HOLA travel cards from kiosks in the airport and make your own way to accommodation on public transport Arrive at accommodation to drop off bags In the afternoon, group to explore Plaza Catalunya and La Rambla Evening meal at local restaurant

### Day 2 (Tue 15th Jul) - Sagrada Familia & Park Guell

Breakfast in accommodation Day to be spent exploring Barcelona on foot or using your HOLA cards In the morning enjoy a guided visit to the Sagrada Familia (included) Time to buy lunch (at own expense) In the afternoon to enjoy a guided visit to Park Guell (included) If time allows, perhaps explore the Gothic Quarter Evening meal at local restaurant

#### Day 3 (Wed 16th Jul) - Camp Nou, Poble Espanyol & Montjuic

Breakfast in accommodation Day to be spent exploring Barcelona on foot or using your HOLA cards In the morning group to enjoy a visit to the Camp Nou Immersive Experience (included) Time to buy lunch (at own expense) In the afternoon enjoy a self-guided visit to Poble Espanyol (included) Followed by a return trip on the Montjuic cable car (included) to enjoy the views of the city Evening meal at local restaurant

#### Day 4 (Thu 17th Jul) - Picasso & return to the UK

Breakfast in accommodation Check out of accommodation & store luggage (subject to availability) Day to be spent exploring Barcelona on foot or using your HOLA cards In the morning group to visit the Picasso Museum (included) Time to buy lunch (at own expense) Free time in the afternoon for last minute sightseeing and souvenir shopping Return to the accommodation to collect luggage Make your own way to airport using your HOLA cards Check in for flight 20:50 Ryanair flight departs Barcelona Airport 22:25 Flight arrives at Manchester Airport a coach will be there to pick students and staff up and return to school.

All teaching staff will be consulted as to whether they consider each student to be reliable and responsible enough to be included in the party. Therefore, we reserve the right not to take on the trip any student whose general conduct, attendance record or school work shows a marked deterioration. Any student withdrawn will forfeit their deposit.

This is a unique opportunity and we are confident that it will be a memorable experience for our 6<sup>th</sup> Form students.

Yours sincerely

Mrs R Bell	Mrs G Beddow	Mrs L Critchley
6th Form Student Support	Head of 6 <sup>th</sup> Form	Assistant Head of 6th Form
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I give permission for my son/daughter to attend the Barcelona 2025 trip. I agree to the terms in the above letter.		
Name		
Form		
Parent/Guardian		