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Dear Parent/Carer,

Proposed trip to Budapest, Hungary: Tuesday 2nd – Friday 5th February 2027

I am delighted to let you know that we are planning a four-day trip to Budapest for students in Year 12 and 13 and I am writing to gauge interest before we confirm the booking.

Budapest is one of Europe's most beautiful and historic capital cities. Students will explore it on foot and by public transport, and highlights of the planned itinerary include:

- A guided walking tour of the city, including a visit to the Hungarian Parliament
- Buda Castle, a guided visit to the Labyrinth beneath it, and the views from Fisherman's Bastion
- A morning at the famous Széchenyi Baths, one of the largest spa baths in Europe
- A boat trip along the Danube
- A visit to the House of Houdini
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We will fly from Manchester Airport on the morning of Tuesday 2nd February and return to Manchester late on the evening of Friday 5th February. Full timings and arrangements for getting to and from the airport will be shared with families who sign up.

Cost

The cost of the trip is **£800 per student**. This covers return flights, coach transfers in Budapest, three nights' accommodation with breakfast, a public transport pass for the duration of the stay, and all of the visits listed above. Lunches and evening meals are not included, so students will need spending money for these.

Students will need a valid passport for travel, so please check this now if your child is interested.

Next steps

If your child would like to take part, please email to confirm their place (g.beddow@holyfamilyhighschool.co.uk) as soon as possible. Returning the slip is an expression of interest only and does not commit you to the trip.

Once I know how many students are interested, I will write to you again to confirm places, the deposit amount and the payment schedule.

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

Yours faithfully,

Gill Beddow
Head of Sixth Form