

5 March 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian

THACKRAY MUSEUM OF MEDICINE – 1 JULY

We are excited to be able to offer a limited number of places to the Thackray Museum of Medicine, Leeds on Monday, 1 July. This trip will be highly beneficial to GCSE History pupils as the museum and workshop will cover key aspects of their Medicine topic, providing valuable information to aid their understanding.

The museum provides immersive galleries where pupils can explore the history of healthcare to the advances that have shaped the way we look after ourselves, and each other. Pupils will be able to wander through mock grimy streets of Victorian Leeds, watch gruesome operations in an 19th-century operating theatre and visit a seventies-style sexual health clinic. The museum will also enable pupils to chart how well the world responds to crisis, and discover the medical innovations that have changed the world.

The price will be £23 and includes return transport. We will travel by coach and leave school after morning registration. We expect to return to Priory around 4pm and I must ask that you organise your child's collection from school in advance.

Pupils may wear their own clothes that are appropriate for the trip but they are to remember they are representing the school and therefore must uphold the Priory standard. They will need a packed lunch and may also like to bring a small amount of spending money or bank card if they wish to buy refreshments or visit the gift shop.

The closing date is Monday, 25 March, however, this will close earlier if places are filled. If you would like your child to attend the trip, please make the required payment via the school's online payment system, SCOPay*, where you will also be required to provide parental consent. This replaces the need to complete a reply slip.

Prior to the trip, please inform the school of any recent updates to emergency contacts and medical conditions we may not already be aware of.

Any queries can be directed to me via email at m.cauchi@priory.lancs.sch.uk

Yours faithfully



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*All parents have access to SCOPay www.scopay.com/login, the school's online payment facility. If you need a reminder of your login, please email Mrs Cookson, Finance Officer, at j.cookson@priory.lancs.sch.uk. Further information is available at www.priory.lancs.sch.uk/parents/internet-payments



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