



Thetford Grammar School

Independent School for pupils aged 3 - 19

Head: Mr Michael Brewer

January 2020

Dear Parents,

Your child has expressed an interest to join the Mathematics and History Department on a trip to Bletchley Park Thursday 30th January. Every two years the Mathematics Department arranges an excursion for our Year 12 and Year 13 students as an enrichment opportunity, demonstrating the history of our World War Two Codebreakers and the Mathematics involved, which is always well received, rewarding and insightful.

The Educational programme at Bletchley Park includes a guided tour of the site as well as a workshop, the "Story of Enigma" aimed directly at students studying A-level Mathematics. Students not studying Mathematics will use this time to further explore the site on their own. They are therefore advised to wear comfortable shoes on the day.

The cost of the trip will be £45 which include entry to the site as well as transport expenses.

Students would need to bring with them a packed lunch. Although there is a café, we have been discouraged from using it due to the sheer volume of pupils/students that are on site every day.

In the case of an emergency, the teachers can be contacted on 07818 015792.

Proposed itinerary:

- 08:00 Depart from Thetford Grammar School
- 10:00 Arrive at Bletchley Park
- 10:30 Programme starts
- 14:20 Depart from Bletchley Park
- 16:20 Arrive at Thetford Grammar School

If your child is interested in attending this one-day event, please complete the reply slip below and return as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Tania Beukes
Head of Maths

Name of Student: _____

I wish/do not wish to send my child to Bletchley Park on Thursday 30th January 2020 and I enclose payment of £45.00 (Any cheques should be made payable to Thetford Grammar School Ltd)

Signature of parent _____ Date _____