



March 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 8 – Chalke History Trip

We are pleased to offer Year 8 students the opportunity to visit the Chalke History Festival in Salisbury on **Monday, 23rd June 2025**. This is a fantastic chance for our young historians to deepen their understanding of historical events and themes. The festival will explore the following topics in greater detail:

- D-Day
- History of Infectious Disease
- Survivors: The Lost Stories of the Last Survivors of the Atlantic Slave Trade
- The Stalin Affair: Roots of the Cold War
- The French Revolution
- What is History Now?
- Tudor Women
- Cold War Protest Movements
- Daily Life in the Iron Age
- The Time Traveller's Kitchen
- The Rise of the Mounted Knight
- WW2 Trench and SOE Training Camp

We have secured **45 tickets** for this event. If the trip is oversubscribed, places will be allocated via a ballot. If your child would like to attend, please log in to the **Arbor app** and provide consent. If using a mobile phone, turn your device to **landscape mode**, scroll to the **bottom right** of the page, select **Trips**, and a new screen will display the trip offer. Choose the trip and follow the instructions to provide consent.

The total cost of the trip is **£40.00**, which covers entry to the festival. This is a wonderful opportunity for keen historians to further enrich their love of the subject. We plan to leave **Noadswood at 8:30 am** and aim to return to school at approximately **4:30 pm**, traffic permitting.

We reserve the right to cancel the trip if numbers are too low. In this instance, anyone who has already paid will receive a full refund. If the trip is oversubscribed, places will be allocated through a fair ballot, and those who are unsuccessful will also receive a full refund.

The deadline to sign up is **Friday, 4th April, at 4:00 pm**. If your child is in receipt of **Pupil Premium** (or has been eligible for **Free School Meals** in the past six years), financial support may be available.

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The safety and welfare of our students is our highest priorities. Off-site activities require careful planning, and we conduct thorough risk assessments to minimize any potential risks. Appropriate supervision by responsible adults will be in place. We expect students to fully cooperate with all arrangements and follow instructions carefully. **We reserve the right to refuse a place on the trip to any student with previous behaviour concerns.**

Yours sincerely,

Mrs E Rollett
Assistant Headteacher