

28<sup>th</sup> August 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

**Re: CERN Visit – October 9<sup>th</sup> to October 11<sup>th</sup> 2018**

Plans are well ahead for our trip to CERN in October. As you are aware Corby Technical School students are attending this trip with students from Brooke Weston Academy.

There will be a meeting for all parents on **Thursday September 13<sup>th</sup> at 6.00pm** in the Lecture Theatre at Brooke Weston Academy. There will not be a separate meeting for Corby Technical School students.

At this meeting, we will give final details of the trip and you will have the opportunity to ask any questions. Flight details and information regarding baggage allowances can be found on the reverse of this letter.

Please ensure a photocopy of your passport and EHIC details are sent to Corby Technical School before **Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> September**. If details for either or both of these are not available, please inform us when you hope to have them. The attached forms will need to be completed and also returned to school by the above date. A copy of these will be taken on the trip and a copy kept in school. Please be assured that these will be securely disposed of after the trip.

Please can you then arrange for the passport and EHIC to be given to school reception week beginning **Monday 24<sup>th</sup> September**. We will then keep them in the school safe until the trip.

If you have any question ahead of the meeting please contact Mr Godfrey at [dgodfrey@corbytechnicalschool.org](mailto:dgodfrey@corbytechnicalschool.org).

Yours sincerely,



Mrs A Reynolds  
Principal

## **KEY INFORMATION:**

Students are representing the Brooke Weston Trust and, as such, we expect respectful behaviour at all times. During the visit, students are not allowed to purchase or consume alcohol or tobacco. When we return to the Hostel in the evenings, students are expected to remain within the Hostel.

### **Emergency Contact Number:**

Any contact while we are away must go through school reception on 01536 213100. For emergencies call **07860 827 356** – please only use this in an emergency.

### **What to bring:**

- Swiss Francs to purchase your lunch at the CERN café on Wednesday, and all your meals on Thursday apart from breakfast, plus any other spending money
- Change of clothes
- Warm outdoor clothes
- Comfortable shoes (there will be quite a lot of walking at CERN)

### **Passport and EHIC cards:**

These will be given to the students upon arrival at Gatwick airport.

### **Flight/Baggage and Accommodation Details:**

Departure will be **7.30am promptly on Tuesday October 9<sup>th</sup>** from Brooke Weston Academy. We will return on **Thursday October 11<sup>th</sup>** at approximately midnight. We will update Twitter with arrival and departure updates.

Flight details

#### **OUTBOUND**

Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	Depart London Gatwick Arrive Geneva Airport	13.35 16.15
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#### **Airline/Flight No.**

Easyjet 8474

#### **INBOUND**

Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	Depart Geneva Airport Arrive London Luton	21.30 22.10
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#### **Airline/Flight No.**

Easyjet 2062

### **Travel regulations - (1) Baggage size:**

We are not planning to check in any luggage. It will all go with us in the cabin. Please see the regulations from Easyjet below.

You can bring ONE piece of cabin baggage with maximum dimensions of 56 x 45 x 25 cm including handles and wheels. All hand bags/carrier bags must be placed inside your one piece of cabin baggage. **Please ensure your hand luggage does NOT exceed the dimensions above and the weight does NOT exceed 10kg.**

### **Travel regulations - (2) Liquids:**

Liquids in hand baggage are subject to the following government-imposed restrictions:

The liquid is in a container with a maximum volume of 100ml

All liquid containers meeting the maximum volume of 100ml can be fitted comfortably into a transparent, re-sealable 1 litre plastic bag, measuring 20cm x 20cm.

The plastic bag should be presented separately at security

**You will be required to dispose of liquids which do not meet the above requirements at airport security stations.**

### **Accommodation details:**

Geneva Youth Hostel, Rue Rothschild 28-30, 1202 Genève, Switzerland

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email: info@genevahostel.ch

For travel advice for visits to Switzerland, check the Foreign Office website

<https://www.gov.uk/foreign-travel-advice/switzerland>.

Students will be covered by the trip's travel insurance. We don't recommend bringing expensive electronic equipment.