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September 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

Spanish, Art, Technology and Photography trip to Calella, Spain 2018

I am writing to invite students to apply to go on our school trip to Spain in summer 2018. As in previous years we will be flying to Spain, staying in our regular beach-front hotel and undertaking a wide variety of activities. The itinerary is set to include the following:

- Return flights from UK to Spain
- All coach transfers and accommodation
- A visit to Figueres – home of Salvador Dalí (Art and photography)
- A visit to photography locations (Art and photography)
- A visit to Codorníu champagne caves
- A visit to Camp Nou stadium
- A visit to Water World Water Park
- A visit to Universal Studios Port Aventura Theme Park
- Visits to local towns and markets (MFL)

The price for the trip is £645 (Grants and discounts are available – please see the application form on the next page) and will depart on Thursday 12th July 2018 and return on Monday 16th July 2018. The price covers all transport, hotel accommodation, food and drink in Spain, group passport and insurance. All students will be issued with a payment card once their deposit has cleared through the bank and they will be expected to bring this with them when making further payments.

You may pay the cost of the trip in full or, alternatively, please use the following payment plan:

- £200 non-refundable deposit by 6 October
- £100 second payment by 28 November
- £100 third payment by 12 January
- £100 fourth payment by 21 March
- £145 final payment by 15 May

The deposit of £200 and the completed form on the second page of this letter should be taken to Student Support as soon as possible; once the deposit has been made and a place confirmed on the trip, all payments will be made at Student Support. Please note that all deposit payments are non-refundable.

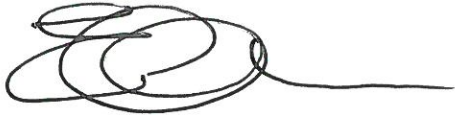
The Ripley Academy, Peasehill, Ripley, Derbyshire, DE5 3JQ.

Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me via my email:
rpardoroques@ripleyacademy.org or esnow@ripleyacademy.org

Yours sincerely,

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Mr R Pardo Roques
Curriculum Area Leader for Modern Foreign Languages

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mrs Snow', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Mrs Snow
Teacher of Art and Photography

To be submitted to Student Support with the deposit: Spain Trip 2018

Child's full legal name and surname: _____

Child's form group: _____

Child's date of birth (day/month/year): _____

Child's town and country of birth: _____

Child's town and country of residence: _____

My child receives Free School meals (please tick): Yes No

I would like to apply for a grant of up to 50% from the School Journey Association Yes No

Please tick: I am in receipt of benefits/welfare support Yes No

Reason I would like to apply for the grant:

Note: Grants will be decided by the School Journey Association based on the information above and will be awarded once the deposit is paid.

By signing this, I agree that my child must abide by all the rules and regulations in place to make the trip safe; that the deposit payments are non-refundable and that all payments will be made on time on behalf of my child.

I acknowledge that The Ripley Academy reserves the right to refuse to allow my child to participate should there be any issues regarding behaviour during the time preceding the trip.

Signed (Parent/carer): _____ Date: _____

Relationship to Child _____