



**KING'S PARK
ACADEMY**

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Dear Parent/Carers

We are excited to inform you about our upcoming trip to Spain in September 2022. The trip will take place Monday 26th September to Friday 30th September.

We are delighted to offer children the opportunity when they are in Years 5 & 6 (currently in Years 4 & 5) to experience at first hand the rich language and cultural heritage of Spain. This means a 5-day full language immersion experience, combined with plenty of outdoor activities, water and beach sports, cooking, Spanish lessons, dancing and cultural visits. All activities and visits are led and directed by Spanish members of staff and are carried out in Spanish. This opportunity will assist the children in developing their knowledge and understanding of the language and give them a chance to practice and use the language in real life situations such as shopping, sports and communicating with their Spanish instructors.

The tour will be organised by Voyager School Travel who specialise in educational school tours and are a member of the School Travel Forum (STF). STF adheres to a rigorous code of practice and safety management standards which meet the requirements of UK Government Department for Education guidelines.

The cost of the trip will be dependent on the number of children going. For a group of 20 children the cost will be approximately £625 including the coach to and from the airport. This reflects the level of supervision from both Arbolar and school staff that is necessary to ensure the safety and well-being of the children. The qualified instructors provide a full programme of activities in a safe, controlled and secure environment. There will also be some members of staff from our school accompanying them.

If you are interested, please pay a **£50** deposit by **1st November 2021** using the school online payment system by logging onto your account on <https://www.parentpay.com/>. You can also pay by using the barcode letter, already provided, at local convenience stores displaying the PayPoint logo.

If there is sufficient interest, we will hold a meeting in the next few weeks for all parents and children in current Y4 & Y5 in order to explain the full trip, itinerary as well as a payment scheme.

Yours faithfully,

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