Ref: ISM/LMC/Iceland Geography Trip 2024

10th April 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

Iceland 2024 Trip Update & Final Meeting

This letter is being sent to provide a brief update of the Iceland trip from the 2nd - 5th May 2024.

Once again Iceland has continued to make the news during late February and March with further volcanic eruptions. I would like to reiterate that the guidance from Visit Iceland and the Icelandic Government has not changed and the country is largely running as normal so this currently does not affect the trip running this year.

The main purpose of this letter is to invite you to come into school on **Monday 22nd April at 16:30** to discuss complete timings and a full itinerary including day splits, confirm student details for the trip and receive a parent pack of information regarding the 4-day trip. Please also **bring passports to this meeting** along with a UK GHIC or EHIC card if you have an existing one. If you do not currently have a GHIC card it takes a short time to apply and is completely free with a turnaround time for the delivery of the card of around 10 days. We also have fully comprehensive travel insurance for our trip to Iceland. Please access the link below to complete the application form for a GHIC card.

https://services.nhsbsa.nhs.uk/cra/start

Additionally, if you are yet to complete the travel details for this trip please complete the attached Microsoft Forms following the QR code to complete up-to-date information required for the trip later this year. Without these details your child will not be allowed to leave on the trip as they are the requirements for international travel. **Please access the link below or use the QR code provided to complete these details before Monday April 15th 2024.**

https://forms.office.com/e/kHPZPNkW4g

As a reminder please note that your child will need a valid UK passport to travel and this will need to be valid for at least six months after their return date. Without this, your child will be unable to travel.

Should you have any queries regarding this trip, please contact Mr Hope.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely,

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