



CHARLTON SCHOOL

*Providing an environment in which all students can succeed,
with learning at the heart of all we do.*

Principal: Mr A McNaughton



March 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

Re: School Trips outside of the UK

Following the announcements from Government yesterday the school is looking to respond to the most recent guidance regarding travel in the educational sector. The specific detail is outlined in information following the link below:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19/covid-19-travel-guidance-for-the-education-sector>

The school will be contacting all providers today and will look to provide further information to all parents involved with trips abroad, at the earliest opportunity. Until we have received appropriate feedback, all arrangements are in line with what has currently been communicated to parents until we can be certain as to what appropriate alternatives are outlined.

Could I ask that you await further communication from the school, rather than making contact with staff directly, to allow the team to spend time liaising with trip organisers rather than responding to individual parental questions. At the time of writing, the only information the school has is that the previously communicated cancellation policies apply.

I have asked staff not to respond to any individual questions until we have put out further information as a result of feedback given, this may not be until after the weekend.

Thank you for your patience and understanding in this matter, as always the health and safety of your child is our highest priority and I would ask that you give staff the opportunity to gather all information in the first instance.

We will be in further contact at the earliest opportunity.

Yours faithfully

Mr L Tristham
Senior Deputy Headteacher