

June 2026

Dear parent/carer

### Visit to Thorpe Park – Year 9

I am writing to inform you about a school visit to Thorpe Park on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2026. The main aim of the trip is team building, social interaction skills, and resilience building among the students.

Students will leave the school at 9.00am on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2026 and travel by coach to and from the Thorpe Park, returning to school at 5:45pm. Students will be required to wear school PE kit. Students will be allowed to bring money with them if they wish to buy lunch or any other snacks from the park.

If your child suffers from asthma or requires an EpiPen, it is your responsibility to ensure that the appropriate medication is provided for this trip.

Please note that there are a limited number of places available and these will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. Only students with an exemplary record of behaviour will be eligible and confirmation relies on good behaviour and students may be removed failure to adhere to UHS PROUD values. This visit will only take place if we have a sufficient number of students and confirmed payments.

Initially, this trip will be offered to the first 100 eligible students only. If, after one week, there are still places remaining or insufficient numbers to make the trip viable, the trip will then be opened to additional students. We therefore encourage early payment and confirmation to avoid disappointment.

The cost of this trip is £40. If you would like your child to participate in this trip, please pay the non-refundable cost of £40, before Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2026. Please note that by paying the non-refundable deposit, you are agreeing for your child to attend this trip.

As the school no longer accepts cash or cheques, parents are asked to use your Arbor Parent Portal to pay for this trip. If your child receives free school meals and payment should present a problem, please contact the finance team via email to [finance@uhs.org.uk](mailto:finance@uhs.org.uk).

By consenting to this trip on the Arbor Parent Portal, you agree to:

- Your child taking part in the visit as detailed above;
- A member of staff giving consent for your child to receive appropriate medical treatment in the event of an emergency.

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

**N Enekwa**

**Head of Learning for Year 9**

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