

Alton Towers Trip - 29th June 2022

Some important notes regarding the trip tomorrow:

- ❖ **Please arrive at 6:30am for a 6:45am departure.**
- ❖ Students to meet at the double student entrance gate towards the crematorium, not the main vehicle gate. This lessons the impact of the early start on Weelsby Avenue for the residents.
- ❖ Please note: the cemetery gate is not open at that time in the morning so students cannot walk through the Academy grounds to get to the Weelsby Avenue gate.
- ❖ **We have a strict departure time to allow students maximum time at Alton Towers, we cannot wait for late comers.**
- ❖ There will be a toilet stop about halfway. This is not an opportunity to buy food or shop, we need to be moving again as soon as possible to arrive for the park opening.
- ❖ The weather is looking mixed so appropriate clothing is needed. The theme park is massive and a lot of walking to rides is involved so sensible, comfortable, shoes are advised. These must be tight fitting, so they do not fall off on the rides.
- ❖ Students will be expected to explore the park in small groups and should not walk around on their own.
- ❖ Students will be given a wristband with an emergency contact number on it and are expected to wear this all day.
- ❖ Students will be expected to "check in" during the day. This will be between 12:30pm and 13:30pm.
- ❖ Students will need to bring food and drink or have money to purchase food and drink. Please be mindful the prices in the park are high so please expect this.
- ❖ Staff will be available at all times if needed. Staff are not available to explore the park with students however.
- ❖ To ensure a swift return students will meet up with staff near the entrance at 4:45pm.
- ❖ We will inform the students when we have approximately 1 hour to go before getting back to the Academy so they can contact home to arrange a lift etc. Estimated time back to the Academy is 8:00pm.

Any queries relating to the trip, please contact the Academy today.