

### **Tudor History 1547-1603, Lecture Day**

Dear Parents/Carers,

As a supplement to the A Level History curriculum, we are planning to take a small number of A Level students on a Tudor History Lecture Day, at the Carrs lane Centre, Birmingham. Students will listen to a series of four undergraduate-style lectures, so this experience would be especially relevant to those planning to read History at university. It may also be of interest to some of our Year 12 and 13 gifted and talented students.

The lecture titles are as follows:

1. *TO WHAT EXTENT WAS THERE A 'MID-TUDOR CRISIS'?*
2. *"SHE RULED MUCH FACTION": HOW FAR WAS ELIZABETH'S REIGN A POLITICAL TRIUMPH FOR THE MONARCHY?*
3. *HOW SIGNIFICANT AND IMPORTANT WAS INFLATION IN DETERMINING SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC CONDITIONS DURING THE REIGN OF ELIZABETH I?*
4. *A 'GOLDEN AGE': HOW ACCURATELY DOES THIS DESCRIBE CULTURAL DEVELOPMENTS IN ENGLAND 1547-1603?*

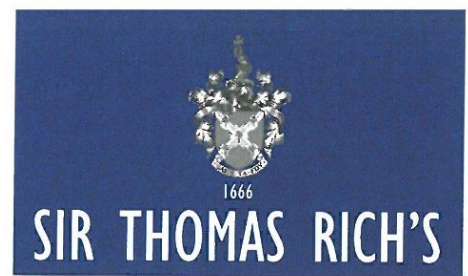
The trip will take place on Tuesday 6 March 2018. We plan to leave school at 9.00am and to return by 5.00pm. Students do not need to wear school uniform, but should bring a packed lunch with them.

In order for the trip to take place, it must be self-financing, and so we invite you to make a contribution of £25.00\* to cover the costs of travel and admission.

I would be grateful if you could return the consent slip to reception by Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February, at the latest. If you choose not to pay via the online facility, please include cash or a cheque with the consent form, in an envelope marked with your daughter or son's name and form, and the name of the trip, History Lecture Day. Should interest levels exceed the number of places available on this trip, names will be drawn out of a hat.

Yours faithfully

Kim Hansen  
History Department



\*Parents on low incomes and in receipt of certain benefits (see School's Charging and Remission Policy) may contact the School for support in meeting the cost. If parents are unable to make the contribution their child will not necessarily be excluded from the visit but it may be cancelled if there are insufficient voluntary contributions.

## Reply Slip

**Trip organiser:** .....KH.....

Trip.....**History Lecture Day**.....Date of trip:.....**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2018**

Name of Pupil ..... Form .....

Emergency Contact Name.....

Emergency Contact Numbers .....

Pupil Mobile Number.....

If your child has any medical conditions and/ or is taking medication, please give details below:

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☐ I include the payment of £\_\_\_\_25.00\_\_\_\_

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Signature of Parent: .....

Date: .....

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