

SHSB Science Department Amsterdam, Netherlands 30 June – 3 July 2024

Agenda:

- Outline Itinerary
- Travel arrangements
- Kit List
- Emergency contact details

Members of Staff

1. Mrs C Brook Trip Leader, Leader of Biology

2. Mr D Hill Leader of Science

3. Mrs L March Assistant Headteacher

4. Mrs P Harman Learning Support Assistant

5. Mrs C Beetar Science Technician

Travel Arrangements

| Friday 30 th | 0530 | Arrive at school to load the coach |
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0555 Depart

0955 Ferry Departure, Dover

1225 Ferry Arrival, Calais

1925 Arrive at accommodation

Monday 3rd 0650 Depart accommodation

1550 Ferry Departure, Calais

1800 Arrival at school

FRIDAY 30th JUNE

05:30 Arrive at school – front bus stops

BRING PASSPORTS

05:55 Depart School and travel by coach to Dover.

07:55 Arrive at the ferry terminal and check in

09:55 Ferry departs Dover

12:25 Arrival Calais.

19:25 Arrive at you accommodation, check in and have dinner at the accommodation.

Accommodation

Stayokay Amsterdam Oost Timorplein 21, 1094 CC Amsterdam +31 (0)20 551 31 90







SATURDAY 1ST JULY







08:00 Breakfast

Morning

09:30 board the coach for

NEMO Science Centre

Stromma Canal Cruise

Afternoon

Micropia

Evening

Dinner at the accommodation

NEMO Science Museum

Five floors crammed full of exhibitions, experiments, demonstrations and workshops, visitors discover how special everyday things are.



Canal cruise

Amsterdam's network of canals is without a doubt its most famous feature, so hop aboard a boat and see the city from the water.

You will learn about Amsterdam's history, including how it was built and the story behind some important buildings.



Micropia

The only museum of its kind, displaying the invisible world of micro-organisms.

When you look from really close, a new world is revealed to you.



SUNDAY 2nd JULY







08:00 Breakfast

Morning

09:00 board the coach for

Naturalis Biodiversity Center

Afternoon

Corpus Museum & Space Expo

Evening

Dinner at the accommodation

Naturalis Biodiversity Center

The stories in the museum are told using outstanding pieces in a collection of 42 million plants, animals, fossils and rocks.





Corpus Museum

How does your body react to a splinter? What happens in your ear when you listen to music? And where is the command centre of your body? Take a spectacular 'journey through the human body' and see, feel and hear how our ingenious body works.



Space Expo

At Space Expo, you will discover the world of space travel in all its facets. From designing and building space missions on earth to launching them into space. Touch a real meteorite, launch a hydrogen rocket and take a look inside André Kuipers' original Sojoez-capsule.



MONDAY 3rd JULY

06:30 Breakfast, pack, and check out.

06:50 Depart hostel and travel to Calais approx.

15:50 Ferry departs Calais.

18:20 Arrival at school.

Passports & Other Matters

Passports will be held by staff for the duration of the trip apart from when passing through border control.

If you hold a British Passport, it must meet two requirements. It must be:

- less than 10 years old on the day you enter (check the date of issue)
- valid for at least 3 months after the day you plan to leave (check the expiry date)

EHIC and/or GHIC cards are still valid for use within the EU however the school's travel insurance will cover medical treatment.

School insurance will not cover loss of significant personal possessions – e.g. iPads, phones etc. Personal possessions brought on the trip are the sole responsibility of pupils.

Kit List

Medications, EpiPens & Inhalers

Accommodation:

- Bed linen provided
- Please bring your own towels and toiletries
- Non-school uniform, but respectful clothing for public places

Meals

- Breakfast and dinner are provided in the hostel.
- Lunch is to be purchased while out in Amsterdam
- €10 provided for lunch, per meal.
- Please avoid bringing food and snacks with nuts

Spending Money

- All meals have been budgeted for including lunch (outward) and dinner (inward) but pupils may wish to bring a small amount of money for gifts, souvenirs and supplementary snacks & drinks.
- Pupils may leave in a safe box

Emergency Contact Details

School Mobile: +447981770404

+447545211616

Accommodation: Stayokay Amsterdamm Oost

Timorplein 21,

1094 CC Amsterdam,

Netherlands

Tel: +31 20 551 3190

General queries: <u>enquiries@shsb.org.uk</u>

Thank You

I'm happy to answer any of your questions

Before you go;

- 1. Ensure that we have taken copies of your son's passport and EHIC/GHIC card (if he has one).
- 2. Take a copy of the outline itinerary.
- Please speak to me privately if you have any concerns regarding medical conditions.