

# SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

## ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

### RE: Ardeche activity Trip - Parent Information Evening on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2024

I trust that your son is excited about the visit to the Ardeche next year from 25<sup>th</sup> May 2024. This eight-day visit will give your son a great opportunity to take part in a varied number of land and water-based activities. A reminder of the itinerary:

- Day 1 – Depart SHSB
- Day 2 – Arrive, check in and explore
- Day 3 – Canoeing trip down the Ardeche and overnight sleep in Bivouac (1/2)
- Day 4 – Canoe trip back down the Ardeche (2/2)
- Day 5 – Land / water-based activities / use of on-site pool
- Day 6 – Excursion day – Aven d’Orgnac caves
- Day 7 – Land based activities / lunch / depart
- Day 8 – Arrive back at SHSB

As with any school trip, please note that when on the Ardeche Visit all pupils are bound by the regulations in the school’s Code of Conduct for Trips and Visits. Please review these regulations via the link below and ensure that your child is aware of, and committed to, the required standards of behaviour.

<https://www.shsb.org.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=1070>

There is an Information Evening at the school scheduled for **Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April at 6pm**. We hope to see as many of you there as possible, though an information pack will be sent out following the event to parents and guardians who were unable to attend.

At this meeting, copies of passports and EHIC / GHIC cards will be taken. If you cannot attend the information evening, we ask that your son brings his passport and EHIC / GHIC card into school for a photocopy to be taken. All documents should be handed directly to Mr Imbush who can be found in N7.

Yours sincerely,  
Mr W Imbush  
Trip Organiser

