

SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent(s),

RE: Mathematic Lectures, Saffron Walden, Monday 4th December 2023

On Monday 4th December 2023, there will be Mathematics lectures delivered at Saffron Hall in Saffron Walden. The Mathematics department proposes to take 45 students from Year 12 and Year 13 to this event in order to encourage a deeper interest in the overall context of the subject, but with a particular interest to areas of overlap in A-Level curriculum. Although the topics will be off-curriculum, they pose a unique way of looking at the application of Mathematics and potential future careers for some of our students.

By signing up for this trip, your son/daughter must attend a pre-trip presentation by Mr Dowding on Friday 1st December in N4 at 1.10pm. This presentation will highlight further some of the careers available to Mathematicians and those with mathematics qualifications and should present a good introduction to the lectures on Monday 4th December.

On Monday 4th December, coaches will leave Southend High School for Boys at 11.00am with an anticipated return to school at 6.00 pm, though this will be traffic dependent. Pupils have the option either to bring a packed lunch with them, or to bring money to buy food from the venue. Please note that we will not be stopping en-route to make food or drink purchases. All pupils will be expected to wear school uniform.

As places are limited, they will be offered on a first-come first-served basis in terms of payments received, you will find the item available on WisePay in the 'Trips and Visits' section. If your son/daughter receives a school bursary, or if you are unable to afford this trip and think that your son/daughter should receive a bursary, please ask your son/daughter to talk to Mrs Gallagher in the Sixth Form office and email Mrs Wightman (mcw@shsb.org.uk) to reserve a spot.

The total cost of this visit is £27.00 per student.

In order for your son/daughter to attend this visit you must complete the school's offsite visit form. This is available via the hyperlink below. Please ensure that this is completed by Friday 1st December 2023.

<https://forms.office.com/e/4EFxDCvAxS>

Finally, please review the school's code of conduct for offsite visits below:

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

If you have any questions about this visit, please do not hesitate to contact me via the school's enquiries email address.

Mr M Dowding
Leader of Mathematics

