

SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 12 A Level Psychology Trip – Disneyland Paris & Psychology Live! Conference

We are delighted to offer our Year 12 Psychology students an exciting and educational opportunity to attend the Psychology Live! Student Conference at Disneyland Paris. This three-day, two-night residential trip will take place from Sunday 1st March to Tuesday 3rd March 2026, combining academic enrichment with unique, real-world experiences in a globally recognised setting.

Trip Summary

- **Dates:** Sunday 1st March – Tuesday 3rd March 2026
- **Duration:** 3 days / 2 nights
- **Transport:** Executive coach travel, including ferry crossings (Calais–Dover and Dover–Calais)
- **Accommodation:** 2 nights at the Explorers Hotel (Bed & Breakfast basis)
- **Included Activities:**
 - Attendance at Psychology Live! Student Conference
 - 1-day entry to Disneyland Paris with a 2-park ticket
 - Participation in Psychology Park Challenges

About the Conference

Psychology Live! brings classroom learning to life with engaging talks from leading professionals whose presentations are directly linked to A Level Psychology topics from the AQA exam board.

Students will benefit from:

- Real-life case studies and examples to support their exam preparation
- An understanding of psychology's role in addressing diversity and societal issues
- Interactive Q&A sessions to explore career paths and ask industry experts questions



Park-Based Learning Activities

Students will also participate in Psychology Park Challenges, where they will apply key psychological theories and principles to real-life settings. These activities are designed to help them develop arguments and draw conclusions about human behaviour and psychological responses within the Disneyland environment.

Cost and What's Included

The total cost of the trip is £590 per student, which covers:

- All transport, including ferry crossings
- Two nights' accommodation at Explorers Hotel (bed & breakfast)
- Entrance to Disneyland Paris and the Psychology Live! Conference
- All educational activities and park-based tasks
- Comprehensive travel insurance

Students will be responsible for covering the expenses of their lunches and dinners for the duration of the trip.

Payment Schedule

Due date	Amount per student	Cumulative per student
25th Sep 2025	£134.00	£134.00 DEPOSIT
27th Oct 2025	£90.00	£224.00
16th Dec 2025	£366.00	£590.00

Next Steps

You can now secure your child's place on the trip via Wisepay by paying the initial deposit. Please follow the payment schedule for remaining payments

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me at enquiries@shsb.org.uk

Yours sincerely,

Dr Helen Frost
Leader of Psychology / Trip Coordinator