

# SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

## ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Due to unforeseen circumstances, we now have **two openings** to the Ypres trip on the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> of February. We will be going on a tour of the battlefields to see trenches and memorials, as well as to witness the Menin Gate ceremony. This will be an excellent opportunity to see firsthand the damage done by World War One, as well as the value of the sacrifices made by Soldiers during the conflict. The trip will give pupils an opportunity to truly connect to the themes of our year 8 curriculum.

If you would like your son to attend, please send an email to [finance@shsb.org.uk](mailto:finance@shsb.org.uk) at the earliest opportunity as the spaces are first come first served. The trip costs £370 and we will depart the school early on Friday morning, to return on Saturday afternoon before midday. Due to short notice, we will need to get the full payment by next week.

There will also be a parent's information evening on Friday the 30<sup>th</sup> January at 5pm in the MRA to give information about packing, itinerary and timings.

Yours sincerely

Mr Nagle  
History Teacher

