



February 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 12 and 13 Spanish Film Trip – 15 February 2019

The MFL department at Ashlyns School has arranged a trip for students studying Spanish in Years 12 and 13. The students will travel to London to see a film which covers the main theme studied during the A Level course. The film is being shown at Bertha DocHouse, a cinema dedicated to documentary films and special events, based at Curzon Bloomsbury.

El silencio de otros (The Silence of Others) will help students have a deeper understanding of Spanish culture and modern-day society as it reveals the epic struggle of victims of Spain's 40 year dictatorship under General Franco and explores a country still divided today.

We will be travelling by train from Berkhamsted and the students will need to meet at the station at 6.30pm, ready to travel and pay for their train ticket on the day. We estimate that they will be back in Berkhamsted by 11.30pm.

The cost to see the film will be £15.60 per student (excluding the cost of train travel). Payment may be made by WisePay (our preferred option) or by cheque payable to Ashlyns School. Reply slips need to be returned to the Finance box outside the staffroom by Monday 11 February.

Please note that the school's policy is that trips and other activities outside the normal teaching programme should be self-funding. Contributions are voluntary, but if these are insufficient the trip may have to be cancelled. In cases of genuine hardship, please contact Mrs Wilson in the Finance Office in confidence.

Yours sincerely

Mrs T Thompson
Second in MFL

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Student Name: _____ Form: _____

I give permission for my son/daughter to go on the Spanish Film Trip to London on 15 February 2019.

I have paid £15.60 by WisePay (our preferred option). Ref Number _____

I enclose a cheque for £15.60 made payable to Ashlyns School

I have been accepted onto the 16-19 Bursary and am requesting funding

Signed _____ (Parent/Carer) Date _____