



Penryn  
College

"Achieving through Challenge"

September 2023

Dear Parent/Carer(s)

**Year 9 French Trip to Roscoff - July 2024: R24**

I am writing to you to let you know about a fantastic opportunity for your child which will take place in July 2024.

In order to give students the chance to develop their spoken confidence prior to KS4, we are in the process of planning a visit to Roscoff, Brittany. The trip is open to any Year 9 student who currently studies French **and** is thinking of opting for French at GCSE. It ran very successfully prior to the pandemic.

The trip will depart after school on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July and return late on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2024. Places are limited to 30, with names selected by draw if this number is exceeded. Once we have a clearer picture of student numbers we will be able to confirm the price. However, the cost of the trip will not exceed £550 and will be payable in instalments via ParentPay.

Students will travel to Plymouth via coach, and then travel overnight to Roscoff with Brittany Ferries. We will travel as foot passengers and students will be in cabins before spending three nights in hotel accommodation in Roscoff. In Roscoff, students will take part in a range of sporting and cultural activities to allow them to apply their language skills in real-life contexts.

If you would like your child to be considered for the trip, please complete the reply slip and pay the £50 deposit via ParentPay **by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October**. If the trip does not run or spaces are exceeded, the deposit will be refunded. Once we have an idea of numbers we will be in touch with more details and the final cost.

Please be advised that students will require their own passport and necessary visas if not issued by the UK - so if they do not already have one, you should apply as soon as possible.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me via e-mail: [dribenfors@penryn-college.cornwall.sch.uk](mailto:dribenfors@penryn-college.cornwall.sch.uk)

Yours faithfully

**Mr Dan Ribenfors**  
**Head of Modern Foreign Languages (MFL)**

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**Please return to Mr Ribenfors in the MFL office by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2023.**

**Name of pupil:..... Tutor Group:.....**

I would like my child to be considered for the R24 trip and I have paid the £50 deposit via ParentPay.

**Signed:..... Date:.....**

**Parent/Carer**



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