

Dear Parents and Carers,

### Shoreham Academy Experience Week Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July- Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Shoreham Academy is excited to embark upon Experience Week, from Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> to Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2018 (Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July is PSHCE day). Students have chosen from a wide variety of enrichment experiences and are no doubt excited about the unique opportunities to learn more about themselves. They will be looking to achieve their all-important pledges which will assist their future applications in further education, university, apprenticeships and for jobs.

Experience Week is an integral part of your son's/daughter's educational experience at school, it is **NOT OPTIONAL**. It is a special week offering huge opportunities to extend their curriculum experience and all students will be expected to participate in experiences during the week. Failure to attend school during the week will be recorded as an unauthorised absence and truancy.

#### My child is going on a trip?

Please be aware if your child is going on a major school trip or visit then you will have already been informed of the itineraries and requirements. If you have any questions do not hesitate to contact the academy or the trip lead directly.

#### Experience based at the academy?

All In-School programmes will run from 8.30am to 2.45pm with breaks and lunches at the usual times.

#### Clothing

Students can wear casual clothes (non-uniform), however extreme styles and jewellery will **NOT** be allowed. Further information about appropriate clothing for the various activities have been provided by the trip leaders. Please consider weather conditions and ensure that your child has the necessary sun-screen, medical, nutrition and clothing requirements. Parents should check the Experience Week Firefly page for specific information and requirements for each activity, including individual experience leader's contact details.

#### Student Behaviour

Students are expected to show exemplary behaviour. **Unacceptable behaviour will result in students being withdrawn from activities.** In such cases a **refund will not be possible**, as bookings are paid in advance.

Kind Regards

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