



AMK06AT

April 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 9 Alton Towers and Bletchley Park - Monday 29 June to Tuesday 30 June 2026

We are pleased to invite your child/ward to join us on a two-day trip that combines exciting recreational activities with educational enrichment. This is a fantastic opportunity for students to enjoy the thrill of Alton Towers and participate in an engaging STEM workshop at the historic Bletchley Park. The trip promises to be both enjoyable and inspiring, offering experiences that will create lasting memories.

The trip will begin on Monday 29 June 2026, with students departing WKGS for Alton Towers. After a day filled with fun and adventure at the theme park, we will travel to The Link Hotel in Loughborough for an evening meal and an overnight stay. On Tuesday 30 June 2026, we will visit Bletchley Park for a STEM workshop, a guided tour and time to explore the museum. We aim to return to WKGS by approximately 8:30pm.

Itinerary overview:

Monday 29 June 2026

- 7:30am: Arrive at school for registration and boarding the bus for departure at 7:45am
- Day spent at Alton Towers
- Travel to The Link Hotel, Loughborough for pizza dinner (included in the cost) and overnight stay

Tuesday 30 June 2026

- Breakfast at the hotel (included in the cost)
- Travel to and visit Bletchley Park for STEM workshop, guided tour, and museum exploration
- A packed lunch will be provided by the hotel for students to eat while at Bletchley Park
- Return to WKGS, arrival at approximately 8:30pm

There are 45 places available for this trip. The total cost of the trip is £160, with a £60 deposit required to register interest for your child/ward. If the trip is oversubscribed, names will be selected at random, and any deposits for unsuccessful applicants will be fully refunded. The remaining balance of £100 is due by 31 May. Please make the deposit payment online via [Scopay](#) (if this is likely to cause any financial difficulties, please contact Mr S Clarke, Headteacher, in confidence by email to office@wkgs.net). Your online payment serves as both consent and confirmation of updated emergency contact details, which can be reviewed via the Arbor app. For any additional information relevant to your child/ward, please email me directly at amckenzie@wkgs.net.

Students do not need to wear school uniform but should dress appropriately. Additionally, students should bring money or another form of payment to purchase lunch at Alton Towers and dinner during the return journey on Tuesday evening, as these meals are not included in the trip cost.

If you have any further questions or require additional details, please contact me.

Yours faithfully,

Mr A McKenzie
KS4 Lead - Mathematics

The school has a blanket School Journey Insurance policy in place to provide appropriate cancellation, curtailment, medical and personal possessions cover. This policy also carries very limited personal accident insurance cover for pupils. As the school will not be liable for any injury arising from incidents beyond our direct control, parents/carers may wish to consider purchasing their own personal accident cover to enhance the limited protection of this policy.