

Monday 19 January 2026

Dear Parents/Carers

Art & Spanish Trip to Barcelona March 2026

We would like to invite you to attend an information meeting for our upcoming trip to Barcelona on Wednesday 11 February at 6:00pm in SC16, in the Skills Centre. In the meeting, you will:

1. Receive information about the full itinerary of the trip, including departure and arrival times.
2. Meet the staff accompanying the trip.
3. Receive other important information such as what to pack.
4. Have the opportunity to ask questions and/or share any important information that you think we should know about your son/daughter.

We request that you bring your son/daughter's passport and GHIC in for collection at the meeting. If your son/daughter does not currently hold a GHIC, they will not be allowed to travel without one. This card entitles the holder to healthcare, should they require it. The card is free and is valid for 5 years and can be ordered online here <https://www.nhs.uk/using-the-nhs/healthcare-abroad/apply-for-a-free-uk-global-health-insurance-card-ghic/>. These cards can take up to two weeks to arrive, therefore we advise you to order this now so that the card is available for travel in March. In the event that you are taking a trip in February half term, please let us know on the evening and we will arrange a convenient time for you to drop it in to school after the half term break.

Whilst your child has been selected to attend the trip, if their behaviour in school or on other trips is not satisfactory, they will not be able to attend. Should your child's place be withdrawn due to behaviour, a refund would only be given if someone is able to take their place.

There is no further action for you at this time, however if your son/daughter has any specific dietary requirements or allergies that you would like me to make our accommodation aware of ahead of our trip, please do contact me via email on general@thehambleschool.co.uk. Please put the subject of your email as 'FAO Mrs Thompson Barcelona 2026'.

Thank you again for your support of this exciting opportunity from our Art and Modern Foreign Languages departments.

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Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S Thompson', with a large, stylized initial 'S'.

Mrs S Thompson
Associate Assistant Headteacher

If, at any time, you should require special arrangements to be made when visiting the school and/or in order to participate fully in supporting your child at school (e.g. an accessible venue for meetings, if you are a wheelchair user, assistance with translation of documents or enlarged copies of communications etc.), please do not hesitate to let us know.