



## HECKMONDWIKE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

EDH/TCC

21 November 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

### Trip to New York - 24 - 28 May 2024

As part of the Pathways Programme we are delighted to be able to extend to Year 10 students an opportunity to visit New York.

From a Dutch trading port to a global financial centre, New York has always had business and commerce at its very core. Home to the infamous Wall Street, the world's largest stock market, as well as the headquarters of some of the world's biggest brands, the Big Apple is buzzing with business success stories. Students will be able to soak up the city's unique atmosphere as they visit educational points of interest and a tour of the financial district will put all of their learning into context.

At this stage, we are trying to gain expressions of interest for such a trip, to ensure that we have enough potential participants to make the trip viable. The final cost will depend on the number of students involved, but should be in the region of £1700. This amount will be payable in instalments, to allow you to spread the cost.

The trip includes:

Return flights, transfers to and from school, breakfast and evening meals and insurance. The provisional itinerary likely to include an amazing array of jam-packed activities such as: Wall Street Insider Tour and Trading Experience, tour of Brooklyn Navy Yard, a Guided Walking Tour of Financial District; behind the scenes tour of Macy's Department store; United Nations building tour; Visit to Empire State Building; A Broadway Show as well as all the sights.

If you would like to put your child's name down at this point, please can you follow the link below or use the QR code to access and complete the form.

<https://forms.office.com/e/8WQ8dMLcxa>

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New York 2024 - Expression of  
Interest



I would be very grateful if you could fill in this form by Friday 24 November. Please note that at this point, we are only wanting to find out if there is enough interest to run the trip. We are not yet at the stage of formally booking the trip. Once the booking process begins, places on the trip will be allocated following our Educational Visits protocol.

Yours faithfully,

Emma Harker  
Business, Economics and Finance Pathway Leader