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Dear Families

## A Level Art and Photography Study Visit to London Galleries - Wednesday 11 March 2026

We are really happy this year to be able to enrich our preparation for the Year 13 A Level exam and the Year 12 coursework portfolio and upcoming mock exams, with an intensive study day in London on Wednesday 11 March 2026. The plan is to visit the Hayward Gallery, where there are currently 3 different exhibitions on, followed by The Photographers Gallery which has 2. All of which look very exciting and will have something for everyone.

Please make note of the schedule for the day, as the timings are crucial for the welfare of the group.

Meet and register with teachers at East Grinstead train station at 9.00am to catch the 9.36am train to London. Students will need to purchase their own London off peak travelcard before we travel. To avoid the queues, we would recommend purchasing this ticket in advance of the day.

We anticipate arrival back at East Grinstead train station by 4.00pm at the latest. We will make sure students keep in contact with you if there are any unavoidable changes to this schedule.

Photography students will need to bring a DSLR camera (which we can lend them the day before), and art students should bring a small sketchbook and an array of drawing equipment. Students will not have the chance to visit any shops or restaurants to purchase food throughout the day so please bring a packed lunch, drink and snacks to last them the day. We suggest that students take a small amount of money for postcards. Insurance for all school trips is arranged through West Sussex County Council. Full details of the policy can be found [here](#). **No peanut or nut related products are allowed to be taken on any school visit.**

We have been lucky enough to get a discounted payment for all the exhibitions. The student contribution required for admission fee to the exhibitions is £10.00. Please use the online payment facility (MCAS) and complete the consent form [here](#) before Monday 02 March 2026.

If you have any questions or concerns – please email me on [stirling@mysackville.co.uk](mailto:stirling@mysackville.co.uk)

Yours sincerely

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