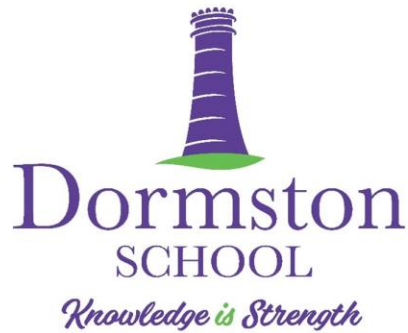


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October 2026

Dear Parent/Carer



Dormston Germany Trip - Spring 2028

We are launching a Dormston School Cultural trip to Germany towards the very end of the Winter term 2028. This trip is currently being planned with a specialist study tour company and details are soon to be finalised. We would like to invite all students who will be or are seriously considering studying German in KS4 to partake in this exciting residential.

The trip will take place from Thursday 6th April 2028 – Monday 10th April 2028. Please note, this will be the final 2 days of the Winter term, the weekend and we will be back late on the Monday evening of the first day of the Easter holidays.

We are currently liaising with our study tour company. We want to ensure that all activities and tours have cultural significance, whilst utilising our budget and maximizing our time in Germany. This is a fantastic opportunity for students to be immersed in culture, which will enrich and develop skills for their GCSE subjects. All of our students will benefit from vocabulary practice in preparation for their listening and reading exams. What better practice shortly before your GCSE than being immersed in authentic language?

The cost of a trip like this is always a main concern. I have requested many quotes and there has been a real hike in prices compared to anything that we have done previously. You will understand that, although it is a brilliant opportunity, it is not a cheap break and has been organised with a guide price not exceeding £700. The price is inclusive of 4 nights, transport, all meals, insurance, and all entrance fees. The price is based on a best estimate of the numbers going; the exact price will be confirmed once exact numbers are known and details of the trip are finalised.

We intend to travel by coach and ferry. If your child is a nervous passenger or suffers with travel sickness, please make him/her aware of this when expressing interest in the trip. Also, please consider if your child is anxious when away from home and in new surroundings.

Obviously, all students who wish to participate must continue to demonstrate excellent behaviour within school and full commitment to German.

If you would like your son/daughter to take part in this experience, please could you fill in the forms quiz attached below?

Germany Trip Easter 2028 – Fill in form by Wednesday 14th October 2026

Further details will be sent out as soon as we have gathered an estimate of student interest and numbers and we will require a deposit at this stage. Can I please ask that only genuine interest is expressed to enable us to gauge accurate numbers and therefore costing/

Any concerns or questions, please email me on rpalmer@dormston.dudley.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

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