



Dale Avenue, Hassocks, West Sussex, BN6 8LP

Telephone: 01273 845892

Facsimile: 01273 846358

E.mails: office@downlands.w-sussex.sch.uk
head@downlands.w-sussex.sch.uk

Headteacher: Mr M Wignall

January 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

Talk by Enrico Cecconi, from the Modern Languages Department at the University of Bath

We have just been given an exciting opportunity to take a small group of our keenest linguists to BHASVIC, to a talk from Enrico Cecconi, from the ML Department at the University of Bath on Monday 14 January 2019.

Enrico is a wonderfully engaging speaker and he will discuss the value of continuing to study a modern language and show how Bath teaches their degrees in the target language to post A-level students as well as offering opportunities for joint honours courses. There will also be opportunities to discuss A-Level languages with Siobhan McAlinden, Head of Modern Languages at BHASVIC.

Students will travel to and from BHASVIC by mini-bus accompanied by Downlands staff. We will leave school at 12pm and arrive back in time for period 5. Students will miss part of period 3 and period 4. They should therefore ensure that they have the correct equipment for the day with them. We will be traveling back during lunchtime, so I would encourage bringing a packed lunch or purchasing food from the canteen at break time.

This trip is limited to fifteen places, so I would encourage students to return the slip below to me, as soon as possible, no later than **Wednesday 9 January 2019**.

I will confirm places at the end of next week.

Yours faithfully

Miss E Tizard
Head of Teaching and Learning for Modern Languages

Return to the Trips Box Attn: Miss Tizard by Wed 9 January 2019

Talk by Enrico Cecconi, from the Modern Languages Department at the University of Bath

Student's Name: _____ Tutor Group _____

Emergency Contact Number: _____

My daughter/son would like/would not like to attend the talk at BHASVIC on Monday 14 January.

I agree that my child may participate in the above activity. The school has taken out a School Journey Insurance Policy underwritten by AIG for each pupil attending this activity, though claims arising from a pre-existing condition are exempt. The policy includes fixed levels of benefits in respect of Personal Accident and Personal Property. A copy of the policy schedule is available upon request. Any claim made under this policy does not affect your statutory rights. In respect of legal liability please note the school cannot be held responsible for any loss unless negligent.

Parent/Carer Signature: Date:

