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# Urmston Grammar School

22nd September 2026

Dear Parent / Carer,

**UG Munich Trip: 12th July– 15th July 2027**

I am pleased to outline below a visit to Munich for all students in year 10 studying German, and who have worked and behaved well. The trip will leave on **Monday 12th July** and will return on **Thursday 15th July** (the exact times will be communicated nearer the time). We will stay in a hostel northwest of the city centre. During the trip, we will visit Munich itself, enjoy a guided tour of *Neuschwanstein* castle, the inspiration for Walt Disney's Cinderella Castle, and partake of traditional Bavarian dinners at a variety of Bavarian-style eateries. In addition, we will visit the BMW headquarters and have a guided tour of Dachau concentration camp. Students are expected to use their German as much as possible, and will have many opportunities to do so.

The cost will be £780 per student and includes return flights, all breakfasts and evening meals at the hotel and all entrance tickets. The cost does **not** include food on the outward and return journeys, lunches in Germany or passport/visa costs. Unfortunately, the cost of the trip cannot be covered by Pupil Premium funding.

Students applying **will need their own passport** valid till November 2027, and, if not UK citizens, any necessary visas. Students will also need their own UK Global Health Insurance Card (UK GHIC) for free medical treatment while in Germany. This card is free, and you can apply online at https://www.nhs.uk/using-the-nhs/healthcare-abroad/apply-for-a-free-uk-global-health-insurance-card-ghic/ .

If your child is offered a place, we shall need an initial, **non-refundable** deposit of £180 via Parentpay. The remaining £600 can then be paid either as a lump sum or in 6 monthly instalments of £100 each. As we expect demand for the 33 places to be high, **places and reserve places will be allocated by drawing names**. If your child wishes to apply for a place in the draw, they **must** follow the instructions below. Failure to do so may result in your child's name not going into the draw.

Application instructions

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| Before or on Tuesday 29th September | Hand in completed, **signed** form (attached) to **Finance Office**. |
| Thursday 1st October | A list of names drawn from a hat will appear on the door of **L5** (Languages Corridor). |
| Friday 2nd October– Wednesday 7th October | If your child has been offered a place, you will need to pay the **£180 deposit** via Parentpay by **12 noon** on **Wednesday 7th October**. **If no deposit has been received by this time, your child's offer of a place may be withdrawn.** |

Further information will be provided in due course, and a meeting for parents/carers and students will be held in June 2027.

Please note that, should the work or conduct of any student allocated a place on the trip fall below acceptable standards, we reserve the right to withdraw that student's offer of a place.

Yours sincerely,

Mr C. Gough
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## Munich 2027

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| Name of Student (**as on passport**): | |
| Form: | |
| Date of Birth: | |
| Town and country of birth: | |
| Address: | |
| Nationality (**as on passport**): | |
| Passport number: | |
| Passport issue date: | |
| Passport expiry date: | |
| Daytime parent contact number: | |
| Evening parent contact number: | |
| Student's Medical Conditions/Allergies: | |
| Special Dietary requirements: | |

I would like to apply for my child to participate in the draw for a place on the UG Trip to Munich, Germany from 12th to 15th July 2027.

If my child is offered a place on this trip, I shall make a deposit payment of £180 on Parentpay **by midday on Wednesday 7th October**, and undertake to pay the remaining £600 when required.
Please consult the Urmston Grammar School Trip Payment Agreement for further information.

I understand that if my child is offered a place, **they will need their own passport valid until November 2027 and, if not an EU citizen, any necessary visas**; and will also need their own UK GHIC (UK Global Health Insurance Card);

Name of Parent/Carer: OBJ  Signature: OBJ  Date: