

11th November 2024

Athens trip - April 2025

Dear Parents and Carers.

Exciting times lie ahead for our Green Room Pioneers and I am delighted to be able to provide some further details. The accommodation and flights have been booked!

We will be flying from London Gatwick (North Terminal). Our flight is scheduled to depart at **05:35 am**. The flight takes approximately **3 hours and 45 minutes**. Please arrive at GRW Albert Street between **01:30 and 02:00 am** on **Monday 31st March** ready to depart in the school minibus.

Students will be allowed 'carry on luggage' that must fit in the overhead compartments or under the seat in front of them. Bags can be a **maximum weight of 10kg and maximum dimension 45 x 36 x 20cm**. A suggested packing list will be sent out closer to the trip. Please bring all medications necessary for the trip separately and clearly labeled ready to pass on to Claire Anderson.

We will be departing Athens at 12:35 pm 3rd April and expect to land at Gatwick 14:35 pm. We expect to be at the Knoll (WLC) by 17:00 pm ready for collection. We will communicate any changes to these times as and when appropriate.

We will be staying at the Safestay Athens Monastiraki (Agias Theklas N°10 Monastiraki 10554 Athens Greece) https://www.safestay.com/venue/safestay-athens-monastiraki/. The rooms are en suite and comprise of 4 or 6 bunk beds. All rooms are air conditioned, there is WIFI, billiards table and a cinema. We will be having breakfast at the hostel.

Costs

The remaining balance of £300 is payable by December 30, 2024. Please feel free to contact us if you would like further support with funding a place for this experience.

Your young person may want their own spending money for extras and so would require Euros or a bank/travel card that offers foreign currency.

Start a path...

You can make payment to: Account number: 2461 3001

Sort code: 09-01-28

Account name: The Green Room Foundation Reference: (Child's initials) Athens deposit

If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me tom@thegreenroomschool.com

Kind regards,

Tom Tilbury

SENCo/Leader of Curiosity

Suggested itinerary (TBC)

Day 1:

Arrival and check in/settle in.

Lunch and orientation (PM walking tour?)

Museum of illusions.

Dinner

Day 2:

Breakfast at hostel

Acropolis

Parthenon

Theatre of Dionysus

Prison of Socrates

Plaka (Lunch)

Temple of Olympian Zeus

Arch of Hadrian

Dinner

Furthest walk between sites is 25-30 mins

Day 3:

Breakfast at hostel

Temple of Hephaestus

Monastiraki flea market - souvenir shopping

Lunch Filikis Eterias Square

Mount Lycabettus

Dinner

Day 4:

Breakfast at hostel

Check out and Departure