

13th January 2025

Athens trip - April 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope your 2025 has got off to a good start and you are excited about Athens. We will be taking over Green Canteen at the Swan pub (Green Room College site) on Tuesday 28th January. Jenni, our wonderful chef, will be catering a Greek themed menu on that evening with all profits going towards the Athens trip. We will be inviting any of our Green Room pioneers to help during the evening with cooking, taking orders and service. If your young person would like to help on the night please let myself or the office know via email or phone. Exact timings for the evening will be announced soon.

As is often the way when booking in advance there have been some changes to our fight times and as a result our suggested itinerary. Our new flight will depart at 11:50 am 31/03/25 and arrive at 17:30 pm. The good news is that we can set off a little later from GRW Albert Street. Please arrive at GRW for 06:00 am ready for a 06:30 am departure in the minibus.

Our return flight will now depart 17:20 pm 03/04/25 and we are expected to land 19:25 pm. We hope to be back at the knoll (WLC) for collection at 21:30 pm but will communicate on arrival our ETA.

An updated itinerary can be found overleaf and a packing list will be provided in the coming weeks.

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.

Orientation.

Dinner in Athens.

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

Paradox museum

Souvenir shopping opportunity

Check out and Departure