

Hanson Academy

Languages Newsletter

Special points of interest:

- French Trip 2015
- Spanish Trip 2015
- A French Visitor



French Trip 2015

35 Year 7, 8, 9 and 10 students recently enjoyed a fabulous week in Northern France absorbing the culture and developing their language skills. Students visited the chocolate factory in Beussent to see how chocolate is made and also the excellent sea life centre 'Nausicaa' in Boulogne and there were lots of opportunities for shopping and practising their language skills. Students

also visited Paris where they had excellent views from the top of Montparnasse Tower and were able to see the sights from a cruise on the River Seine. Evening activities included crêpe making, mini Olympics and a disco. The final day was spent in Ypres, Belgium at Bellewaerde Theme Park where students had lots of fun in the sun. A la prochaine fois!



Spanish Trip 2015



In June, 21 students took part in the Spanish Trip to Barcelona. It was the first time abroad for many of these children. They had the chance to visit 'La Sagrada Familia' a Cathedral being built since 1880 and due to be completed in 2026. When finished it will likely be considered as one of the world's architectural wonders. During the trip we also visited the 'Montjuic' a park on a hill with amazing views and we had a stroll around 'Park Guell' which is a statement of Gaudi's brilliance. Also we had fun visiting FC Barcelona, the incredible 'Port Aventura water park' and exploring 'Las Ramblas'. We are already looking forward to next year's Barcelona Trip and we hope you will join us.



A French Visitor

It was a great pleasure for our Year 10 French students to host one of their pen pals for two weeks. Orane had a fantastic experience of British school life at Hanson School. Students shared their love of cooking, walking and speaking languages!

