

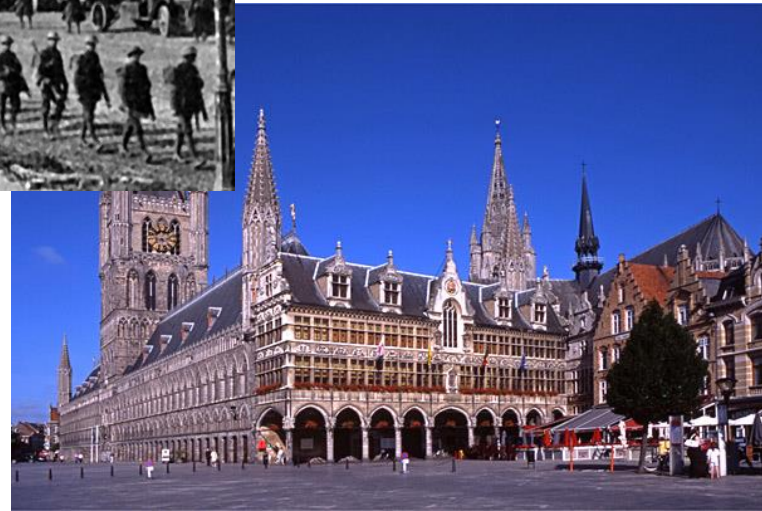


Welcome

History Department Tour

World War 1 Sites

1st/03/2017- 3rd/03/2017



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**Tour
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**We're on
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**What will we
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Tour basics

Getting there

We will depart from PHS Car Park by Coach on Wednesday 1st March at 7:30am. We will arrive in Belgium at approx. 3:00pm.

Please drop your child off at School at 6:45am.

Returning home

We will leave Belgium at 1:30pm on Friday 3rd March and arrive home at approx. 7:30pm. **We will endeavor to send you an eta once in UK.**



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Our accommodation

We will stay at Le Chateau in Ebblinghem for 2 nights.

This accommodation is on a full board basis.

<http://www.nstgroup.co.uk/chateau-debblinghem>

Rooms – after half term



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Meal arrangements

Day 1 - Please provide enough food for breakfast & packed lunch on the Wednesday.

Evening Meal in Ypres

Day 2 – Breakfast, packed lunch & Meal at Le Chateau

Day 3 – Breakfast and packed lunch

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Travel tips – money

The currency in France & Belgium is the Euros.

We recommend that students take £25-£50 with them on the visit.



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Travel tips – packing

The weather in Belgium & France at this time of year is often cold and wet.

As such, I recommend that students pack the following essential items for their tour:

Layers of clothing

Hat/gloves

Waterproof coat

[Wellington boots](#)

Towel

Shower gel etc!

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Why are we going?

- **Visit the two main centres of fighting on the Western Front**
- **Visualise the impact of the war on people and the countryside**
- **Understand how casualties were dealt with**

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Itinerary (subject to amendments)

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Belgium – Ypres and Menin Gate

Day Two

The Somme - France

Day Three

Ypres and home

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Government recommended health and safety policy

ABTA and ATOL protected - your payments are insured

Insurance cover and 24-hour medical assistance cover

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Don't forget...

Passports, EHIC card, etc. In school to Finance
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Electricity (Plug) adaptors

Keep a watch on school Facebook site during
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Any questions?

Following our parents meeting we are able to confirm that transport will be by Eurotunnel (not boat)

Also we have been informed by NST that there is unfortunately not WiFi for students at Le Chateau. We therefore advise parents to make arrangements for texts etc if they wish to be in contact with your child during the visit. Your mobile company will have specific information to help you.