



TITLE: Year 9 Spanish Visit to Salou – 24th to 28th April

Last week, twenty eight of our year 9 students travelled to Spain where they spent five days in Salou, Catalonia, on the beautiful “Golden Coast “(Costa Daurada).

All of the students thoroughly enjoyed their trip and the activities that they participated in. It was a positive experience for everybody involved.

Day 1

The group arrived in Salou, just in time to unpack and then explore their local surroundings, spending the evening having fun on the beach!



Day 2

The group visited the ancient port city of Tarragona. Students explored its quaint and historic streets on the tourist train!



Later that day, students visited the Gaudi museum in the nearby town of Reus and spent the evening sampling Spanish cuisine at a tapas restaurant in the centre of Salou. They had to use their language skills here as none of the staff spoke any English!

Day 3

The group travelled by coach to Barcelona and spent the day sightseeing in this incredible city!

Students visited:

- La Sagrada Familia (Cathedral)
- The Gothic Quarter
- La Rambla (market/shopping area)
- Port Vell
- Montjuic (for a perfect view of the entire city skyline).
- Camp Nou Football Stadium (outside only!)



Day 4

The group spent a full day at the fantastic “PortAventura” theme park. Students had a brilliant time trialling the thrilling rides and watching the parades. The park is celebrating its 20th birthday this year, so there was definitely fun and magic in the air!



Day 5

Our last day in Spain, as luck would have it, was the sunniest one of the whole trip! Students made the most of the lovely weather while they could though and enjoyed the pool, the beach and had lunch on a restaurant terrace. It was a wonderful end to a wonderful tour!

