

## **The British School**

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Dear Parents and Carers,

## **MFL International Trip Expression of Interest**

In the Modern Foreign Language (MFL) faculty, we are very excited to be looking at the possibility of running some international trips for students in year 9 and upwards. The aim is to provide students with the unrivaled opportunity of practising and developing their IGCSE language in a real-world context whilst experiencing one of the target language cultures firsthand. Each trip would last one week and would involve some language classes in the host country for linguists and, of course, many cultural visits and interactions. The Mandarin trip would run with the media department and head off to Taiwan, the French trip would run with the art department and head to France and the Spanish trip would join with the humanities faculty and go to Spain. All trips would run in the final week of the academic year 23-24 during Enrichment Week.

As we look to move towards a more detailed planning stage, we would like to get a sense of student interest to ascertain the viability of the trips. If you would be interested in your child potentially participating, please fill out this Google Form so we can see what student numbers and the costs might look like before **Friday 23rd June**. Based on trips that the school has run this year, the cost is likely to be significant, so please bear this in mind when completing your response. To reiterate, this is merely an expression of interest and the trips will not run if sufficient numbers of parents do not wish their child to attend. Once we have this information, we will then be able to provide you and your child with more details.

If you have any questions at this stage, feel free to get in contact with me at hmarston@tbs.edu.np

Yours Sincerely
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