



18 December 2025

Dear Parents/Carers

Debating Club Trip to Eton College – Monday 26 January 2026

Following on from several successful visits by Eton College to Cox Green School, we are delighted to advise that our debaters have been invited to Eton College on Monday 26 January 2026, for impromptu and prepared motions to debate.

This is an excellent opportunity to visit Eton College, not only to debate in their debating chamber, but to see a college such as this in action. Our students will have lunch with Eton College students, then receive a guided tour of the old school (including the original classroom from 1440 and the Eton College chapel) before going to the debating chamber.

We will leave school at 12.30pm and travel by transport provided by Eton College, returning to school for 4.30pm, and we ask you to please arrange collection of your child for this time. Students are to wear full Cox Green School uniform and may like to bring a water bottle and a snack with them, however, lunch will be provided by the College. There are no costs associated with this trip.

Please complete the following permission form by 10pm on Monday 5 January 2026, giving your permission for your child to attend this event [Debating Club 26-01-26](#).

We very much hope your child can attend this event and if the meantime you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact me via email to enquiries@coxgreen.com.

Yours sincerely

Ms J Leary
Deputy Subject Leader for English

Please note:

- Places on all trips are subject to the school expectations for the Behaviour Policy being met. Any student who receives a suspension may have their place withdrawn from the trip and no refund will be made unless the place can be resold. In addition, if the school assesses that the attendance on a trip is a Health and Safety risk to the student or to others, a place will not be allocated to that student or a place will be withdrawn and there will be no refund made unless the place can be resold.
- Should your child be unable to attend a trip due to medical reasons, we will require a Medical Certificate to apply for an insurance claim.
- If your child is, or has ever been, in receipt of free school meals, then you may be eligible for assistance with the cost of this trip:
Years 7-11: Pupil Premium funding for trips is to be used for educational purposes only. Support for non-compulsory trips will vary.
Sixth Form: You may be eligible for assistance with the cost of this trip with a 16-19 Bursary.

All requests for assistance should be made to the Finance Office (finance@coxgreen.com) at least 5 school days before the trip opens on iPay.

- If your child receives free school meals and you would like a packed lunch provided for your child for this trip, please email enquiries@coxgreen.com, for the attention of the Trip Administrator, at least 5 schools days before the date of the trip to request this (please detail any dietary requirements).
- Payments are to be made by the dates specified. Late or non-payment may result in your child's place being withdrawn from the trip. If you choose to withdraw your child for reasons not stated above, any costs attributed to date, must still be made.
- Should the school need to contact you in an emergency, we will use contact details supplied on your most recent OA4 Form (off-site activity form). If there are any changes to the details on this form, including any medical or dietary requirements, it is the parent/carer responsibility to inform the school.
- There will be no insurance cover due to disinclination to travel.