

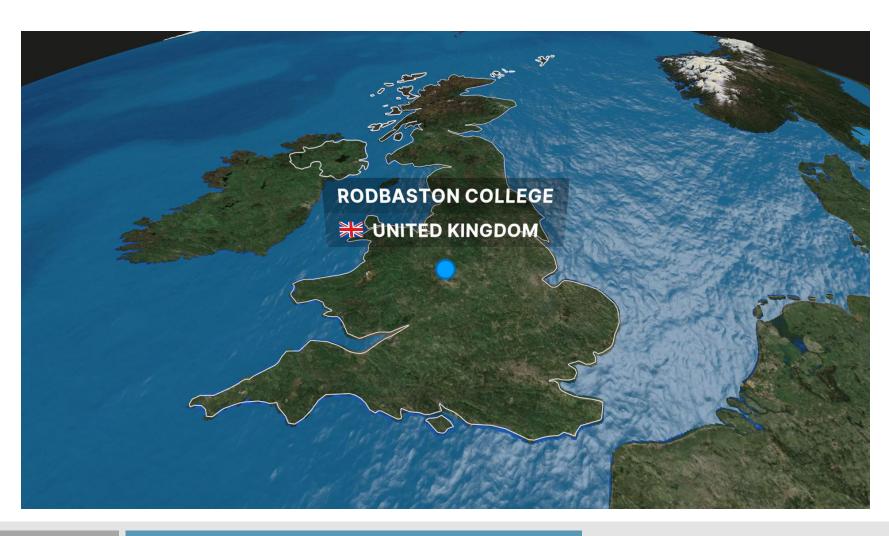
# RODBASTON COLLEGE Q& A PRESENTATION



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## **Itinerary Map**





## **Itinerary**

- ❖ Day 1 Coach transport from College you will travel up to Hull Ferry Port for an overnight crossing to Europoort, Rotterdam.
- ❖ Day 2 On arrival in the Netherlands you will go straight to Apenheul Primate Park where you will spend the day experiencing a forest of free-roaming primates. An educational tour and Q&A with subject matter experts is included. A short transfer to Arnhem where you will be staying overnight at the Arnhem Youth Hostel. Dinner included
- ❖ Day 3 After breakfast at the hostel, you will spend the day at Burgers Zoo, Arnhem.

- Late afternoon there will be a visit to the shopping mall Kronenburg, before returning to the youth hostel for dinner and overnight stay at the Arnhem Youth Hostel.
- ❖ Day 4 After breakfast at the hostel, you will travel to Rotterdam Zoo which will take approximately 1.5 hours. The day will be spent here where you can see the striking feature of the giraffe barn in the African savannah. Packed lunch provided. After a short visit to the local shopping mall, you will head to Rotterdam Ferry Port for the overnight crossing to the UK.
- ❖ Day 5 It's an early arrival into the port of Hull, from here you'll finish your journey at your drop-off point.













- ❖ Day 1 Meet at college for 12.30 ready for your departure at 13.00
- Travel to Hull stopping at ASDA in Hull to purchase any drinks or snacks.
- Arrive at Hull Ferry Port and embark onto the ferry
- Settle into your shared rooms, and make your way to the all you can eat buffet for dinner (Note only water is included)















- After waking up make your way to the restaurant for breakfast
- Disembark the ferry by foot and make your way through immigration and join the coach and driver
- \*Travel to Apenhuel Primate Park, arriving by 12.00.
- \*Enter the park where you will receive a 45minute presentation
- A guided tour of the park will then take place until around 14.45
- Free time in the park until 17.00

- Return to the coach and you will make your way to the Hostel.
- Check in to your rooms and settle in, following which dinner will be served.
- Free time until lights out.













- After waking up, make your way to the restaurant for breakfast. You will also make your packed lunch
- ❖ Board the coach at 09.45 for a short driver to Burgers Zoo
- Spend the day exploring one of the best Zoos in Europe
- \*After a long day of learning about this unique Zoo return to the coach at 17.00 for your short trip back to your accommodation
- Evening meal is served with free time until lights out













- \*After waking up, make your way to the restaurant for breakfast. You will also make your packed lunch
- Check out of the hostel, remembering to strip your bedclothes
- ❖ Meet at the coach for 10.00, ready for the journey to Rotterdam Zoo
- Spend the day at Rotterdam Zoo before returning to the Coach for the trip to the ferry port

- \*Arrive at Rotterdam Ferry Port and embark onto the ferry
- Settle into your shared rooms, and make your way to the all you can eat buffet for dinner (Note only water is included)













- \*After waking up make your way to the restaurant for breakfast
- Disembark the ferry by foot and make your way through immigration, and join the coach and driver
- Travel to back to College, arriving by around 13.00.













# **ACCOMMODATION & LIFESTYLE**



### **Ferry**

Shared 4-person cabins are provided on the overnight ferry.

Breakfasts and dinners are included for the outbound and return.

The ferry includes a range of services on board in including a Costa, shops and a range of entertainment













# **ACCOMMODATION & LIFESTYLE**



### **Accommodation in Arnhem**

Accommodation at the Hostel in Arnhem is in 6person rooms each with their own bathroom facilities, bed packs are provided. Breakfast and dinner are provided at the hostel with a packed lunch (self-prepared) on days 3 & 4.

#### **Room Allocations**

2 x 4-bedroom rooms for male students

2 x 6-bedroom rooms for female students

Towels are not provided at the Youth Hostel







# **ACCOMMODATION & LIFESTYLE**



## **Accommodation in Arnhem**















# FERRY INFORMATION



## Departure from the United Kingdom | Arrival to South Africa

- Sailing commences at 20.30, arriving in Rotterdam at 07.30 the next day
- There is no luggage allowance; however, you must be able to carry/move your luggage.
- We recommended a small overnight rucksack for the ferry and a small/mediumsized suitcase for the youth hostel



## TRAVEL DOCUMENTS



#### **Travel Documents**

18/06/2025

Final Documents Issued 2 weeks before departure

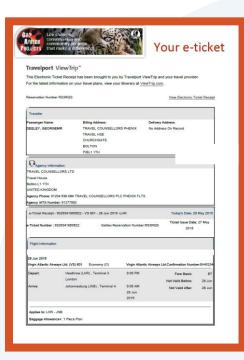
Emailed to your personal and/or college email address

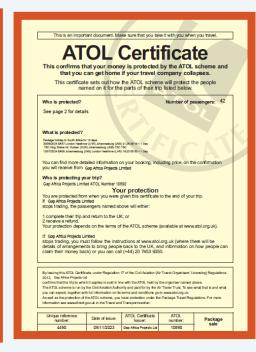
Print and take copies

Boarding passes issued at the airport

## Passports!









https://gapafricaprojects.com/25-4595/



## **Suggested kit list**

- Short sleeve shirts
- T shirts
- Comfortable walking shoes
- Rain jacket
- Sweatshirt/Fleece
- Padded parka jacket/windbreaker warm
- Socks
- Warm Hat (for winter) /Hat for sun protection
- Gloves for warmth (for winter)
- Changes of casual clothes for evenings
- Underwear
- Sandals / flip flops / comfy shoes to wear
- Towel
- **Toiletries**
- Personal medical items

## Other useful items

- · Refillable water bottle
- Camera
- Spare batteries
- Sunglasses /Sunscreen
- Mammal/bird book
- Notebook/diary

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## Climate

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### **Currency & Credit Cards**

The currency for the Netherlands is the Euro

Foreign exchange may be arranged supermarkets or post offices in the UK.

It is not recommended that travellers carry large sums of cash, keep a reasonable amount on hand and primarily use credit cards.

All major credit cards are widely accepted.

Travel Cards are very useful; preload before travelling and the best exchange rate is used.

Wise Travel Card offers up to £500.00 with no transfer fee for GAP Africa Projects travellers

https://wise.prf.hn/I/XZJx9gq



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#### **Phones & Internet**

Mobile phone coverage is good at the accommodation, although there may be some areas where there isn't any coverage.

Some Wi-Fi is provided free of charge at the accommodation.

We have partnered with Holafly eSim provider 5% discount use code GAPAFRICAPROJECTS

### **Benefits of an eSIM**



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#### Insurance

Personal travel insurance is compulsory. Travel insurance does not need to be expensive and there are many good deals available for backpackers etc. Always be sure to check the insurance details to make sure you are covered for Covid 19, theft, loss, illness and injury. Check to see if your medical benefits are paid out as they incur or on your return home.

https://www.truetraveller.com/?tag=4480



You should select 'Adventure Pack' as this will cover you for the type of activities you will undertake during your trip

## **Passport Requirements**

It can take up to 6 weeks to obtain a passport – remember to start this process in plenty of time.

Your passport needs to be valid for at least 30 days beyond your intended stay and have at least two blank pages.

### Stay safe overseas – KBYG

The better prepared you are when you travel abroad the safer you will be. The Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office offers 'Know Before You Go' travel advice, including simple precautions you can take before and during your trip.

To find out more, check out their website:

https://www.gov.uk/browse/abroad/travel-abroad

## **Visa Requirements**

A visa is not required for British Passport holders, all other nationalities should check the requirements via the website below.

https://www.government.nl/topics/immigration-to-thenetherlands/question-and-answer/which-visa-do-i-need-totravel-to-the-netherlands



## **Hints and Tips**

- If you're a fussy/picky eater bring snacks, purchase items at the ASDA stop, and purchase your main meal at the zoo during the day
- Bring a small overnight bag for the ferry
- There is no Wi-Fi in cabins whilst aboard the ferry (only in public areas and at cost)
- Do not use mobile data on the ferry.
- Keep yourselves safe on the ferry.
- Pack a towel for the youth hostel.
- Card payments are accepted everywhere.

**Towels are not provided at the Youth Hostel** 

## **USEFUL APPS**



## **Useful Apps for Next of Kin**

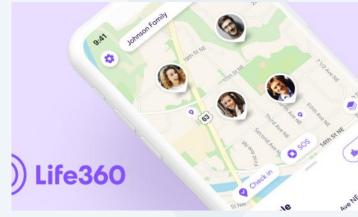
We recommend that Next of Kin also download and set up the following app, we have found this to be useful in knowing where are students whilst on the trip!

Flightrader24 – very useful for tracking flights, showing departure times, any delays and flight location in travel.

Life360 – is great for following them on their journey.

Merlin bird app







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### **Rotterdam Zoo**













