

## **Year 7 Cross-Curricular (Geography, History, Religious Studies) visit to the town of Rochester in Kent (June)**

At the end of June, our form (and the rest of Year 7) got to go on a trip to heritage town called Rochester in Kent. We went for geography, history and religious education and were able to go inside Rochester Castle and the Cathedral as well complete some geography fieldwork along the High Street.

When in the Castle, we were able to go right to the top and could see for miles and miles - it was an amazing view. From the Castle we could see the River Medway and this helped us to understand the site of the Castle itself.

Later, for RE, we were able to discover the inside of the Cathedral and we were given the opportunity to light a candle which was really exciting. We also got to see a lot of beautiful stained glass windows portraying King Arthur and other stories relating to the Bible.

When visiting the High Street for geography, we were able to talk to visitors as a part of our fieldwork – completing a questionnaire about why they were visiting the town that day.

The best part, however, was the chance to visit one of the sweet shops!

All in all the experience was very exciting, busy and incredibly interesting – but I was very tired by the end!!!



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