

## Information for Parents

What follows is a short informative document on the current political situation in the UK and how it may affect students attending Stonyhurst Language School. It is likely that this information will evolve over time. We understand this may cause concern to some of our parents with regard to sending their child to a residential language school in the UK however we are keeping fully abreast of the situation and will continue to update this document in due course.

## Entering & Leaving the UK after Brexit

The UK has now left the EU and we have entered a transition period until the end of 2020 which travel between the EU and the UK continues as normal. EU students will continue to enter the UK as they do now.

We would like to reassure parents, students and agents that ID card travel remains legal until the end of 2020.

The Government has not yet published its plans for a points based immigration system and so it is unclear exactly what will replace the current regulations going forward.

## Advice from English UK

*English UK* have taken advice from immigration lawyer Pat Saini of *Penningtons Manches Cooper LLP*. He has reassured delegates that whether there is a deal or not, EU students can continue to enter the UK as they do now until 31 December 2020.

***We will update this document in due course as further information becomes available.***

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