

Lessons from Auschwitz 2018

On Thursday 8th March I was lucky enough to be part of the Holocaust Educational Trusts, lessons from Auschwitz project, where we journeyed to the concentration camp Auschwitz- Birkenau. I say lucky because unlike so many other thousands who journeyed here during World War II, I not only went voluntarily, but came away, both of which many never had these choices.

For me the idea that “we learn from history that we do not learn from history” was at first quite accurate, but I now realise that the only reason why this would be true was if everyone was to sit back and not share the lessons they had learned.

The experience was both shocking and moving, but ultimately empowering and reassuring to see that this group of ambassadors are not willing to allow history to repeat itself. I am excited and encouraged by our own ambassadors, Morgan Skett and Zoe Bell, and their ambitions to share their knowledge and understanding in the coming months.

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