



26th September 2018

Dear Parents/Guardians

Year 8 Geography River Study Fieldwork - Ashdown Forest: 2018

The Geography department have arranged for Year 8 students to visit Ashdown Forest on the dates listed below in order to experience Geography fieldwork first hand:

8W and 8M	-	Wednesday 10th October
8N and 8R	-	Thursday 11th October
8A and 8H	-	Monday 15th October
8G and 8L	-	Friday 19th October

The students will travel by coach and mini-bus and they will leave school at **9.00 a.m.** and return by **3.10 p.m.**

Your child should wear suitable clothing for fieldwork with a waterproof jacket and **sensible walking shoes** (trainers if necessary). Your child will be involved in river measurements and **will need pens and pencils. A packed lunch and plenty of drink will also be needed.** It is important that your child participates in this fieldwork as much of their assessed work this year will rely upon the data and methods used. There will be classroom follow-up although your child will be expected to complete the assessment at home.

To cover the cost of transport a charge of **£8.50 per student** paid by **Wisepay** will be necessary.

Please return the reply slip attached to the Humanities Office or your child's Geography teacher and pay £8.50 on Wisepay by Wednesday 3rd October at the latest.

Please also ensure your child's emergency contact details, medical and dietary requirements that are held on the school system are up-to-date when confirming to attend this trip. Sometimes during school trips photographs/CDs are taken of the participants, please tick the box on the reply slip if you would prefer your child's photograph **not** to be taken during this school trip.

Yours sincerely

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REPLY SLIP

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I am aware that the school has a policy on the safe running of educational visits. I am also aware that the school’s educational visits are always well organised with particular attention to health and safety. I understand that there can be no absolute guarantee of safety, but appreciate that the school leaders of the visit retain the same legal responsibility for students as they have in school and will do everything that is reasonably practicable to ensure the safety of everyone on the visit.

Student’s Name:

Tutor group:

I do/do not give permission for my son/daughter to participate in the trip named above.

I consent to any emergency medical treatment necessary during the course of the visits.

Signature :.....Date :.....

Please note that it is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to provide correct and up-to-date contact and medical information. Please use the parent portal via the school’s website to provide this information, alternatively forms can be collected from Student Services.

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