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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 10 Trip to Flamborough Head and Hornsea

As part of the Geography GCSE qualification, Y10 Geography students have the opportunity to participate in a field trip to Flamborough Head and Hornsea on Wednesday 19th June. Fieldwork is a key component to the paper 3 exam, and students are obliged to have participated in two pieces of fieldwork prior to Summer 2025 exams. This trip represents a piece of fieldwork in a 'physical coastal environment'.

We will depart school at approximately 09.00am and return to school by 16.30pm (approximately) depending on traffic, after this, students will make their own way home. Please return all consent slips by Monday 10th June 2024.

Students should also be aware of the weather forecast and wear appropriate clothing, including a waterproof coat, for the conditions. We will be spending the day outside collecting data on the beach, so it is important that they also choose sensible and comfortable footwear and sun cream. Students are not required to wear their school uniform. Students should also bring with them any personal medication, such as asthma inhalers, that they may need.

In order for this visit to take place, we ask you to make a voluntary contribution of £11.10. There is no obligation for parents to make any contribution, and no child will be excluded from an activity if their parents/carers are unwilling or unable to pay. However, if the school is unable to raise enough funds for an activity or visit then it will be cancelled. All payments must now be made via our e-payment method, ParentPay. You should have already received a username and password for your child's account, but if this has been misplaced, please contact the Finance Office for a reminder. If you do not wish to set up an online account, you have the option to pay cash at your nearest PayPoint outlet; you will need a barcoded letter which is specific to your child and this activity only. Please indicate your preferred payment method on the reply slip. If your child is in receipt of Free School Meals (or there is serious financial hardship), a financial subsidy may be available towards the cost of this activity.

Drinks and a packed lunch are needed for the day - if your child is entitled to free school meals a packed lunch will be provided for them. Please indicate if you require this on the attached reply slip. There will be an opportunity to buy chips and ice cream, should the student so wish. At any point after a student has been accepted on a visit, that place may be withdrawn if the student's behaviour becomes a concern. If this occurs the school will endeavour to refund any monies paid, however if costs have already been incurred and the place is not filled, this cannot be guaranteed.

This Code of Conduct can be found on the school website → School → School Policies → Code of Conduct on Educational Visits



I would be grateful if you could return the reply slip attached directly to the class teacher. Should you require any further information or wish to discuss any aspect of the visit, please telephone or email Mr Griffith.

Yours faithfully

Mr Griffith

Head of Humanities

WINTERHILL SCHOOL – Year 10 Geography visit to the Coast – REPLY SLIP (PLEASE RETURN BY MONDAY 10TH JUNE 2024)

Name of student:

Form:

Geography teacher.....

I give permission for my son/daughter to attend the Year 10 Coast Visit

*I wish to discuss a financial subsidy for this trip. *Please issue a Pay Point letter. *Paid via ParentPay.

*My child is in receipt of Free School Meals, please provide a lunch bag.

*Delete where applicable

MEDICAL INFORMATION/MEDICATION

(Please provide information of any medications that will be required throughout the visit or any medical conditions that we need to be aware of on the visit).

EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS

Name

Relationship

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Contact Number

Signed: Parent/Carer Date:

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