



WEST GRANTHAM

Church of England Secondary Academy

31 January 2023

Parent/Carer

GEOGRAPHY FIELDWORK TRIPS

GCSE Geography students **must** complete 2 days fieldwork as part of their GCSE course - one with a physical theme and one with a human theme. This is a compulsory element, and we are required to confirm as a centre that students have completed this to the exam board.

We have arranged for these 2 days to take place as follows:

Trip 1:

We will be travelling to Sheffield City Centre on the 24 February 2023 to cover the human element. Uniform must be worn, along with a warm coat and sensible shoes as there will be some walking involved. We will be travelling to Sheffield by coach and will leave school at 8.45am and return to the Academy at approximately 4.00pm.

Trip 2:

We will be travelling to Skegness beach on the 20 March 2023 to cover the physical element. Students can come in non-school uniform due to the nature of the environment, however, it must be sensible and reflective of the weather forecast. We will be travelling by coach and will leave school at 8.45am and return to the Academy at approximately 4.00pm.

Students will need to bring a pack lunch with them, however, those that are entitled to free school meals (FSM) will have their pack lunch provided by the school.

The total combined cost for both trips to parents is £20. For those who qualify for pupil premium or in receipt of free school meals it will be £10. We appreciate that the trip is compulsory, however, we do have transportation costs to cover and we have subsidised this as much as possible. Payment should be made using Wisepay, the academy's cashless ordering system, before 8 February 2023.

If you would like your child to attend, please complete and return the attached permission slip and confirm your child's place by making payment on Wisepay.

Yours faithfully

Rachel Atkins
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