

11th September 2024

Dear parent/carer

GCSE Geography Fieldtrip to Hornsea Wednesday 2nd (11A) and Thursday 3rd (11B) of September, depending on GCSE class.

As part of their GCSE the Key Stage 4 Geographers are required to undertake both Human and Physical fieldwork investigations. This fieldwork is the basis of a geographical enquiry that will be assessed in the GCSE Paper 3 exam at the end of the year.

The Hornsea fieldtrip will take place on either Wednesday 2nd and Thursday 3rd of October, students will be told which day they will be attending the trip as this corresponds to their teaching group. This is a coastal study which will involve work such as field sketching, measuring beach dimensions and evaluating the effectiveness of different coastal defences.

The fieldtrip will take place during the school day but please note that pupils will need to be prompt as we are leaving at 9am. The pupils will spend most of the day outside and therefore should be equipped with clothing for potentially cold/ wet weather, wear comfortable footwear to be on a beach and have writing equipment. School uniform will not have to be worn. Pupils need to bring a packed lunch and drink. Students in receipt of Free School Meals are entitled to a packed lunch provided by the school kitchen. Please email me directly on satkinson@boroughbridgehigh.com as soon as possible and I can arrange it in advance.

We would appreciate a contribution of £18.75 which covers the cost of transport and insurance. Please pay and give consent via Parentmail by Tuesday 24th September. If any medical condition has changed please would you also inform the school office.

If the above presents any problems, or you have any queries about this work, please contact me at school.

Mr S Atkinson Head of Geography

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