

ADEYFIELD SCHOOL

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Dear Parent or Carer

The opportunity has arisen for us to complete both elements of the fieldwork requirement for GCSE Geography on the 6 November 2018. Therefore, we will be visiting Brighton to complete the data collection.

Students should arrive at school for 8:00 am on Tuesday 6 November and we aim to return to school by 16:00. Transport is by school minibus. Students must bring a packed lunch and a snack for break. Students eligible for free school meals will have a packed lunch provided. Students will need to bring a pen, pencil and ruler with them for the day. They are not required to wear school uniform but they are expected to wear warm clothing and footwear, preferably boots, suitable for fieldwork. A waterproof jacket is strongly advised.

The reply slip below and payment should be returned to Student Services no later than **5 November 2018**.

Discrete photography is allowed around the town provided it does not interfere with the enjoyment of other visitors. Something to take pictures with is useful (though not essential); however any such items (camera/phone) are brought at students' own risk. There are shops in the town that students may visit, if we have time, but there is no need for students to purchase anything for this project.

The fieldwork undertaken on the day is essential to passing GCSE Geography where students are required to answer questions in the exam based on the fieldwork data collection. If your child unavoidably misses the visit through illness it is strongly advised that a doctor's note is provided as without this the Examination Board will not allow consideration of missed marks. Even with this, it should be noted that any consideration is entirely at the discretion of the Board and there is a general reluctance to credit candidates marks even in genuine circumstances.

I do apologise for the lateness in notice but if you have any questions or need further clarification please do not hesitate to contact me at the school.

Yours sincerely

Mrs E C Cline
Head of Global Studies

Please return to Student Services by Monday 5 November 2018 – GCSE Geography Course

Student Name: Form:

I give/do not give permission for my child to attend the Geography trip on Tuesday 6 November 2018

I give/do not give permission for my child to walk home from school on return from the trip

Signed: (Parent/Carer) Date:

Emergency Contact Name and No:

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