



FEARNHILL SCHOOL

Headteacher – Mr T Spencer, BSc

Our ref: NFR/CWR

24th June 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

GCSE Geography Coursework: Trip to Walton on Naze, Essex - 15th July 2024

An element of the GCSE geography is to complete field study work and to provide this opportunity we will be taking Year 10 Geography students to Walton on Naze beach. This field trip, and the work that follows it, is essential if students are to satisfy the exam specification. All students are expected to attend this field trip. Students will gain the necessary field work skills that they will need in their upcoming GCSE examinations.

The trip will take place on **Monday 15th July**. The coach will be leaving Fearnhill School at 8:40am and students should attend registration in the School Canteen at 8.30 am. We will arrive back at Fearnhill School by 5pm.

Students may wear their own clothes but must be suitable for the day, including sensible shoes and a coat. Footwear must be suitable for walking some distance. Wet weather gear is advisable even if the day is forecast sunny and a few layers of warm clothes are better than one thick jumper. Students will need to bring a packed lunch, plenty of water, plus sun cream if the weather forecast is sunny. If your child is in receipt of free school meals and you wish your child to be provided with a packed lunch for the day, please email admin@fearnhill.herts.sch.uk by Wednesday 10th July.

We are asking for a voluntary contribution of £16 per student towards the cost of the coach transport. Payment will need to be made via the School Gateway by 23rd July, the last day of term (we are unable to accept cash or cheques). If you have any concerns about payment for this trip, please email Mrs Rainbow (School Business Manager) hazel.rainbow10@fearnhill.herts.sch.uk to discuss in confidence. If insufficient contributions are received we may have to cancel this trip.

As you have previously completed a global consent form for school trips and other off-site activities for your child, you will have already given your permission for them to participate in this trip, if this is not the case your child will be given a consent form for you to complete. Please inform the School office if any of your contact details have changed.

We look forward to an enjoyable trip where we expect the same high standards of behaviour as in School. The School reserves the right to withdraw any student at any time, if they have behaviour issues in accordance with our policy. Please do not hesitate to contact me at school if you have any further questions about the visit.

Yours sincerely

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