



Blessed Hugh Faringdon Catholic School & Sixth Form Centre

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Dear Parent/Carer

Geography Trip to Swanage on Thursday 2 November 2023

We have organised a trip to Swanage on Thursday 2 November for 11A/GE (Mrs Guernion's class) and 11B/GE1 (Mrs Vandwani's class) to practice data collection techniques. This is particularly important as your child will be assessed on this element in Paper 3. Paper 3 is worth 30% of the final examination, therefore it is important that your child attends.

In order to facilitate this event, we request a voluntary contribution of **£18.90** per student. This will enable the school to cover the cost of the transport and resources; payment is now available via ParentPay and places will be allocated to Students. Without sufficient contributions it may not be possible to run this event.

Students need to arrive to School at 8am to register. The coach will depart at 8.30am promptly we cannot wait for late students. We will leave Swanage after our field work and return to school at approximately 5.30pm-6pm, depending on traffic.

They will need to bring a packed lunch and drinking water (if your child receives a free school meal then a lunch will be provided). Clothing can be casual but torn jeans, shorts and strappy tops are not allowed. Appropriate comfortable footwear is also important as the day will involve a lot of walking; a waterproof jacket should also be brought on the trip.

If you would like your child to take part, please make the payment and confirm permission via ParentPay by **Wednesday 18 October 2023.**

Places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis as we have a limited number of places and will close earlier if all the places have been taken.

Pupil Premium Funding

If your child is in receipt of the Pupil Premium Allowance and you wish to use this funding to pay for your child's place on this trip, either partially or in full, please contact me directly with this request. Your child will then have a place reserved on the trip. Please email myself: e.alexander@hughfaringdon.org by **Friday 13 October 2023. Unfortunately, after this date we will not be able to consider any further requests.**

Information about Pupil Premium can be found on our website: [Pupil Premium - Blessed Hugh Faringdon Catholic School](#)

Should you have any questions, or wish to discuss this trip with me, please do not hesitate to contact me at School.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs E Alexander
Subject Leader Geography