

SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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30th October 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

RE: A Level Geography, compulsory visit to Walton-on-the-Naze – 7th November 2023

As part of the A level assessment in Geography, the school has organised for pupils in Year 12 to undertake a day of fieldwork at Walton-on-the-Naze. Here pupils will benefit from the expertise of Essex Wildlife Trust tutors in analysing data collected on the day, which will be of great benefit as students will be expected to answer exam questions on their fieldwork experience.

Pupils will be departing Southend High School for Boys on coach at 8am promptly, please ensure that your child is ready to register by the flagpole at 7.45am. It is anticipated that activities will finish to allow for a 2.30pm departure, with an estimated return time of 4.00pm at Southend High School for Boys.

If your child travels to and from school via a contract bus and you are worried about these timings, please contact me via the school's enquiries email address (enquiries@shsb.org.uk).

Pupils will not be required to wear school uniform on this day, however please ensure that your child is prepared for this trip with suitable warm clothing sturdy walking shoes/wellington boots, gloves and a waterproof jacket (essential). Pupils will also need to bring a packed lunch and other equipment such as pens and paper.

The total cost of the trip is £41. You will find this available to pay on Wisepay under the 'Trips and Visits' section, please make payment by Friday 3rd November 2023. If you have any concerns over making this payment, or if this poses any financial hardship, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Wightman in the Finance office on mcw@shsb.org.uk.

In order for your child to participate in this compulsory trip, you will need to complete the school's "offsite visit form" which can be found below:

<https://forms.office.com/e/gx8qKMwbwY>

Finally, please review the school's code of conduct for offsite visits below:

<https://www.shsb.org.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=1070>

Your faithfully,

Miss Hemmings
Trip organiser

