

SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent(s),

RE: Year 11 Geography Students – Fieldtrip to Southend

As part of the GCSE Geography course, the Geography Department has arranged a Year 11 trip to Southend High Street on Friday 7th February 2020. Students will use this trip to conduct fieldwork and use techniques which they will need for this summer's exams. All GCSE Geography pupils are expected to attend this trip.

We will leave Southend High School for Boys at 11.00am and make our way to the High Street on foot. Students will conduct urban fieldwork until approximately 3.00pm; at which point we will begin our return journey to Southend High School for Boys, in good time for students to catch contract buses etc. for onwards journeys.

During the course of the visit students will be working independently in small groups. They will not be directly supervised, but staff will be patrolling the area and will be contactable on the school mobile (the number of which will be provided to students)

Students are expected to wear school uniform, and must also ensure they have a warm waterproof coat. Students may bring a packed lunch, but they are at liberty to purchase food during the course of the visit. Students must also ensure that they have any equipment they may require, including pens/pencils/paper etc.

There is no payment required for this trip, however you must complete the school's offsite visit form in order for your son to participate. This is available to complete on Wisepay under the "trip & visit" tab. Please ensure that this form is submitted (by pressing the 'save details' button) by Friday 31st January 2020. There is no need to purchase the item.

If you are happy for your son to be released from the High Street to make their own way home rather than returning with the group to Southend High School for Boys, you **must** clearly indicate this on the offsite visit form.

Yours sincerely,

Miss K McDonald
Trip Organiser

