

# SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

## ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer,

I am pleased to inform you that a fieldwork trip to the Epping Forest Field Centre has been arranged for Wednesday 12th November 2025. This will provide valuable fieldwork skills directly aimed at assisting in the completion of the NEA, which is 20% of the A Level course.

We will be departing from the school by minibus at 8:30am and will be registered and supervised by the geography department staff. Please encourage your son/daughter to wear sensible shoes and dress for the cold and potentially wet weather. They should come equipped with a pen and a notepad as well as bringing their own lunch.

Your child will be expected to return to the school by 5pm, depending on traffic.

If you wish your child to travel directly to and from the Field Centre, please give written consent beforehand. They should aim to arrive at the Centre before 9:30am and expect to leave at 4pm.

While working, there will be times when they will be remotely supervised by staff and it is expected that they maintain high standards of behaviour, even when staff are not present.

The cost to the school of the trip is £46.00 per student and I would be very grateful if you could support the school in helping to cover this cost – you can do so via Wisepay under Trips and Visits. Please complete the form and submit it by Monday 3rd November.

[Year 13 Epping Forrest - 12 November 2025 – Fill in form](#)

If you have any queries regarding the trip, please do not hesitate to contact me at [chi@shsb.org.uk](mailto:chi@shsb.org.uk).

I would like to congratulate your child for their continued effort and enthusiasm in their A Level Geography course.

Yours sincerely,

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