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1st February 2023

Dear parent/carer,

SUBJECT: Compulsory GCSE Geography Field Trip (Friday 24th March 2023)

On **Friday 24th March 2023** we plan to take our Year 11 Geographers to the Yorkshire Coast to fulfil the compulsory field trip requirement of the GCSE Geography syllabus. All pupils must attend as 23 marks of their Geography GCSE exam is dependent upon completion of this fieldwork component.

The school will be covering the full cost of the trip and therefore will be **no charge** to parents/carers.

Times, Clothing and Lunch Arrangements:

Pupils must arrive at school at the usual time of **8:30am**. We will then depart by coach at **8:50am** and return to school at approximately **5pm**.

Pupils are not required to wear school uniform, however, as we are visiting the coast in early spring the weather could be changeable so please ensure your child is wearing suitable clothing and footwear. I would recommend that they bring warm clothes and a waterproof jacket as they will be walking on the beach.

We recommend that pupils bring a packed lunch for the day however there will be an opportunity to purchase items from the shops in Hornsea town centre. Pupils who normally receive Free School Meals will be provided with a packed lunch.

Parental Consent:

In order for your child to attend you will be sent a consent form, via EVOLVE, to your email address. Please complete this no later than Friday 10th March to secure your child's place.

Your child will be covered by the School/Educational Journey Insurance. Should you require any further information with regard to the details of cover and limits of indemnity, please visit the school website. The 'Educational Visits' policy can be found on our website in our [School Policies](#) area.

If you have any queries please contact me via email at sherwood.r@risedale.org.uk .

Yours sincerely,

Richard Sherwood

Head of Geography and Trip Leader

