



Chenderit School

A VISUAL ARTS COLLEGE

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Our ref: CA/ Geography/Iceland/ejt/ejp

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Dear Parents and Carers

The Edexcel Geography GCSE requires students to complete fieldwork in an urban and physical environment as part of the course. They have already carried out fieldwork along the Dorset coastline to meet the requirements for the physical part of the course. We have chosen to use Birmingham to complete the human fieldwork requirement. We feel many students might have some prior knowledge about this city, and it is easily accessible.

The educational visit will take place on Wednesday 5th February for all of our Year 11 Geographers. During our visit, students will be carrying out a variety of qualitative and quantitative fieldwork techniques in order to assess the quality of life, environmental quality and success of recently redevelopment schemes such as Birmingham Library, Paradise, and New Street Station. Students will also be supporting their primary data collection with secondary research back in the classroom.

The coaches will depart from the school at 8.45 a.m. and return by 2.45p.m. Students must come to school with a sensible **coat/waterproof** to wear over their **school uniform** and sensible **school shoes**. They should also bring a **packed lunch**.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding your child's participation in this educational visit, please do not hesitate to make contact with myself.

We are asking for a contribution of £16.00 to cover the cost of this educational visit. As per our charging and remission policy, this visit will only go ahead if we are able to cover the cost through voluntary contributions. Our preferred payment method is now online, via Parentpay. This can be accessed through the school website or directly at www.parentpay.com. Please contact The Finance Office if you need a Parentpay password or assistance. All trip payment records, instalment payments, and running balances can now be tracked online. (Cash and cheques will also be accepted).

Please can I ask that payments be in by Friday 24th January, so that the details can be finalised.

Yours sincerely

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REPLY SLIP – GCSE GEOGRAPHY VISIT TO BIRMINGHAM ON WEDNESDAY 5th FEBRUARY 2020

I give permission for (Student's Name)..... Tutor Group.....
to attend the visit to Birmingham on Wednesday 5th February 2020

Paid by Parentpay Paid by cash/cheque (*please ✓ as appropriate*)

I also acknowledge that the students will be travelling by coach and that insurance has been included.

Signed _____ (Parent/Carer) Date _____

