



September 23

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you are aware your child is required to complete an independent investigation (NEA) that is worth 20% of their final A Level grade in geography.

Our trip to Nettlecombe FSC will have been very useful in giving the students ideas of fieldwork techniques required to complete the NEA. The students are now required to carry out their own investigation based on what they learned at the centre. To accommodate this, we are running two fieldwork data collection days on Thursday 21 and Tuesday 26 September. Students will only be required to attend on one day only, depending upon their chosen location for their investigation.

The day will comprise of independent data collection and the possible days are:

Thursday 21 September:

Students investigating the location of Seaford or Birling Gap will meet at 8:45am in the Arundel Site canteen and will travel by mini-bus to the chosen locations. They will then work unsupervised in small groups to collect their data. Staff will be available nearby to offer support when necessary.

Tuesday 26 September:

Students investigating the location of Brighton will meet at 8:45am at Seaford library bus stop and will travel with staff by bus from Seaford. They will then work unsupervised in small groups to collect their data. Staff will be available to offer support when necessary.

It is important to note that some students may need to collect their data in their own time if the location they require is further afield.

Consent for this trip needs to be given via ParentPay, I would be grateful if this can be completed by Monday 18 September.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

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