

October 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

The Geography Department is planning a visit for Year 10 GCSE geographers to Brighton on **Friday 8 December**, which will enable them to collect information to assist with their GCSE studies.

This visit is a compulsory part of the curriculum as they will be examined on it at the end of Year 11. Follow up work after the trip will be based on the data collected and practising for their real exam. We very much hope that all students will attend, as it will put them in a stronger position for achieving well at GCSE.

As the school does not receive direct funding for educational visits, a charge of £6.00 per student is needed to cover the associated costs. To consent, please complete the consent form and make payment via ParentPay. If you do not have a ParentPay login, please email <u>parentpay@seafordhead.org</u> and they will send you an activation letter.

Students should be at Seaford Station at 9:00am to travel by train to Brighton on a group ticket. They will all return on the train, arriving back at Seaford Station at 3:15pm (subject to the latest train timetable) when they will be allowed to go straight home.

There will be indirect supervision at lunchtime, teachers will be located at a set meeting point, and students will be instructed to be with three or more of their peers. Students will be restricted to the Churchill Square area during their lunchbreak.

Students should bring a packed lunch or money to buy lunch in Brighton, together with a clipboard and a pencil. They should wear sensible clothing and bring a waterproof coat in case the weather is wet.

The closing date for the visit is Friday 20 October.

Yours faithfully,

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