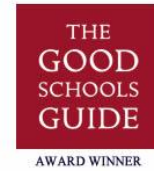




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May 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 9 Field Trip to London on Thursday 13th June 2019

On Thursday 13th June we are planning a field trip to London in order to enrich the curriculum and for students to participate in fieldwork which is an important part of their GCSE course. London provides an excellent case study for many elements of the course and provides a more stimulating environment for fieldwork than East Grinstead. It is hoped that all year 9 geographers will take up this opportunity; however any students not attending this trip will be provided with the necessary support in the classroom to succeed in the relevant sections of the examination.

We will be building on themes covered in lessons, including the post-industrial economy of London, changing transport infrastructure and how urban changes impact the environment. The locations for study will be the Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park at Stratford and Canary Wharf within the London Docklands.

Travel will take place on the Docklands Light Railway while in London and we will journey to and from London by coach. The coach will leave Sackville School at 8.00am on Thursday 13th June 2019 and we aim to return by 5.00pm – although traffic may affect this. Please contact me if travel to and from school will be difficult at these times.

Students should bring a packed lunch and plenty to drink as there will be limited opportunity to buy refreshments while we are in London. Students should wear comfortable shoes for walking around the city and do not need to wear school uniform. Please ensure students have sun cream and a waterproof jacket to cover all eventualities with the weather!

You are invited to make a voluntary contribution of £25.00 which will cover the cost of the visit including transport and other incidental costs. I must, however, tell you that as the school could not bear the cost of the visit, the visit will not take place unless parents, who are able to, are willing to contribute. In the unlikely event that a student has to be removed from the visit due to poor behaviour, we reserve the right not to refund the voluntary contribution associated with this visit. Insurance for all school trips is arranged through West Sussex County Council. Full details of the policy can be found on our website at <https://sackville.w-sussex.sch.uk/parents/school-trip-insurance/>.

Peanuts or peanut related products are not allowed to be taken on any school visit.

Payment may be made via the online payment system. Alternatively a cheque made payable to Sackville School may be sent in.

Please complete the attached reply slip and return with payment by Friday 17th May 2019.

Yours sincerely

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To: finance office

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Name of student _____ Form _____

I give permission for my child to attend the field trip to London on Thursday 13th June 2019.

I have forwarded £25.00 to Sackville School via the online payment system/I enclose a cheque, made payable to Sackville School for £25.00 (please delete as appropriate).

We will use the emergency contact details we have on our database for your child for this trip. If however, the contact details will be different for the duration of this trip, please fill in the details below:

Emergency contact telephone number _____

Emergency contact name (please print) _____

Parent/Carer name (please sign) _____

Parent/Carer name (please print) _____

Date _____

