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IMBERHORNE SCHOOL

Headteacher: Mr Martin Brown

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May 2019

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s)

GCSE Geography Field Trip – Coasts

As part of your son/daughter's GCSE course in Geography, he/she is required to undertake fieldwork outside the school to allow for data collection. This is used as the basis for questions on paper 2 of the exam and contributes to a significant percentage of the final grade. This year we will be completing one day of fieldwork on the coast, visiting Eastbourne, Seaford, Birling Gap, and Peacehaven.

Since the data collected will form the basis of their fieldwork study and data will be shared between students, it is imperative that all students undertake the tasks set in a sensible and diligent manner. Students will be working in small groups.

The classes will be going on the field trips on the following days:

Thursday 16 th May	Friday 17 th May
Mrs Short – 10R	Mrs Short -10Y
Mr Nicholls - 10T	Mr Monckton – 10V

The cost of the trip is **£12.50**. This covers, travel and insurance.

Students will be required to wear their school polo shirt and jumper but do not need to wear their school skirt/trousers as they will be collecting data on the beach, they should also wear trainers or other suitable shoes. We will be collecting the data whatever the weather, so students should also bring along a waterproof coat in case of rain. Students will not be allowed to go into the sea and must follow all safety instructions.

Students will also need to bring a packed lunch, a drink, clipboard and a camera/camera phone. There will not be an opportunity to buy lunch during the day, but we may have time to buy a drink and snack.

Students should meet in the bus bay in front of the school by **8:45am**; there is no need to register first. We will return around **5:00 pm** so it will be necessary for your son/daughter to make his/her own arrangements to get home.

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Please note that we only accept payment for school trips via ParentPay and payment deadline is **Friday 10th May**. Please contact Mrs Botting, Bursar on jbotting@imberhome.co.uk in confidence if you are unable to contribute so that suitable arrangements can be made or if you have any queries or difficulties regarding the online payment.

Please also ensure your son/daughter has any medication that they may need, clearly labelled, and that it is given to a member of staff prior to the trip commencing.

Please make your payment via ParentPay by **Friday 10th May**.

Yours faithfully

Mrs J Short
Head of Geography

cc Mrs J Botting

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