

20th January 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of the GCSE Geography course your child has to undertake field work in both a human and physical environment. The Geography Department are planning to conduct fieldwork during June and July of this year.

Your child has the option of attending a residential fieldtrip to the Peak District (maximum number 40) or two one day fieldtrips to Whitby and Manchester.

## **OPTION ONE - THE PEAK DISTRICT**

This trip runs from 21<sup>st</sup> June to the 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2017 and costs £150. The cost includes transport to and from the Peak District and full board accommodation at Hartington Hall Youth Hostel.

This option is limited to 40 students.

## **OPTION TWO – WHITBY AND MANCHESTER**

These trips will run in the weeks commencing the 26<sup>th</sup> June and the 3<sup>rd</sup> July. The cost of these trips is approximately £40 for transportation to and from the two locations.

Your child needs to select a fieldtrip option on the attached slip. If they opt for option one they will also need to bring in the required deposit to secure their place. Two more payments will be expected in February and March.

All students completing the GCSE Geography course must attend one of these options. If you feel you will have difficulty in paying for this please contact the school where assistance may be available to you if your child qualifies.

If you have any questions please contact me at <u>j.peters@valeofyorkacademy.org</u> or 01904 560000.

Yours sincerely

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## **GCSE GEOGRAPHY FIELD TRIP**

## PLEASE RETURN TO RECEPTION BY 27<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2017

Name		Form
Option 1 – PEAK DISTRICT		
•		£50 deposit paid on ParentPay $\ \square$ ents expected, 1 in February and 1 in March 2017
Option 2 – WHITBY AND MA	NCHE	STER
Parent/Carer signature		