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Year 7 Geography Fieldtrip: 24th and 26th June 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians,

I am writing to inform you that the **Geography Department** has organised a day of field-work for members of Year 7 on the following days:

Monday 24th June 7L 7G 7R	Wednesday 26th June 7B 7S 7T
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We will be investigating the fantastic limestone scenery of the Yorkshire Dales near Ingleborough. During the field study we will be measuring and observing both the surface and underground features. This will involve a walk of approximately 3 miles and a guided trip down Ingleborough caves. The field-work is designed to give boys the practical skills demanded by the National Curriculum and also represents a valuable addition to their classroom learning.

We will be travelling by coach, leaving Lancaster at 9.00 a.m. and returning at approximately 16.15 p.m. Boys should meet on Moorgate at 08.50 to be registered on the bus. Because boys will be out of school for lunch it will be necessary for your son to bring a packed lunch with him.

It is important that boys come suitably clothed as it is impossible to guarantee fine weather. This should include strong footwear, warm clothing and a waterproof cagoule or jacket. Each pupil will need to bring a pencil to write with, and a file or clip-board to provide a surface for writing on. It is always wise to bring these in a plastic bag to protect written work from any rain. In previous years strong sunshine meant a water bottle, sun cream and a sun hat were most essential; it may be the same this year!

I would be very grateful if you could pay a contribution of £15.00 towards the cost of the trip via wise pay. The cost includes transport and entry to the caves. Permission is assumed once you have paid. If you would like your son to go but are unable to cover the cost please email me.

Medical records are kept by the school so I will have a copy of them. If you need to update me or highlight any medical concerns relevant to this trip please email me so I am aware of it.

If you require any additional information about the day's activities please do not hesitate to contact me: tel. 01524-580600 and atalks@lrgs.org.uk

With thanks for your attention,

Yours faithfully,

Mr. A. M. Talks (Head of Geography)