



HECKMONDWIKE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

MCE/TCC

23 February 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of the Geography syllabus your son/daughter must complete a minimum of 2 sessions of fieldwork in preparation for Paper 3 of their GCSE exam, which is worth 30% of the total marks. This fieldwork investigation must include the collection of primary data.

During the Easter Term of Year 11, students will undertake one day of fieldwork collection on Thursday 23 March or Friday 24 March 2023. Details of which date your child is to attend has been shared with you via email.

The fieldwork will take place in Hebden Bridge and Halifax, three members of the Geography Department will be present to assist and supervise. We will travel by hired coach to Halifax and Hebden Bridge leaving school at approximately 09.00 and expect to return to school at approximately 15.30, dependent on traffic. May I take this opportunity to remind parents that students are expected to display the very highest standards of behaviour and courtesy.

Students should bring a packed lunch and a bottle of water and any routine medication they usually carry, for example inhalers. If your child is eligible for Free School Meals a packed lunch can be provided, please email finance@heckgrammar.co.uk for further details.

Under the School Governors' Charging and Remissions Policy, we request a contribution of £20 towards the cost of this activity. This includes travel and insurance. We must mention that without sufficient funding the trip will be unable to take place.

[Charging & Remissions Policy](#)

The total cost of the trip is to be paid on ParentPay by 10 March. When you make payment via ParentPay you will be prompted to provide parental consent for your child to attend this trip and you will also be asked to input your contact /medical details directly into a confidential section of ParentPay.

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If you have any further questions, please contact me at school MCurrie@heckgrammar.co.uk

The school is, as always, grateful for your support.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Currie', written in a cursive style.

Mr M. Currie – Head of Geography