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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 11 Geography GCSE Fieldwork trip to Lincoln

On Thursday 30th November 2023 the Humanities department will be taking the Year 11 Geography students on their second and final fieldwork visit as part of the Geography GCSE programme they study. As part of the programme of study, students are required to complete 2 investigations as part of the criteria to studying GCSE Geography. We are required by the exam board to authenticate that students have taken part in these visits.

The second visit will be an investigation of a UK city and we intend to take the students to Lincoln to complete this. We will be investigating urban issues in Lincoln and our visit will start at Lincoln Grandstand which is on the West Common of Lincoln on Saxilby Road. We will then take a short walk from this area into Lincoln City centre. Along the route we will continue to investigate urban issues. We will complete the day in the city centre where we will also have lunch.

We will depart at 9.00am and will return to the Academy by the end of the Academy day. Students will be required to bring their own lunch however, there will be an opportunity within a designated area of Lincoln (which we will be supervising) for them to purchase some lunch if they would wish to do so. For those eligible, a free school meal will be provided.

Students will be required to wear full school uniform for this visit and be prepared to conduct work in the field. Your child should also prepare for all weather conditions for this visit. Students who arrive without basic equipment, incorrect clothing or who demonstrate poor behaviour around the Academy beforehand or during the visit will not be permitted to attend this visit and should issues arise on the visit, they will be sent back to the Academy in an appropriate way. We expect students' behaviour to be exemplary.

I would be grateful if you could complete the reply slip below for this trip. Please return this to Student Services at the Academy by Monday 27th November.

If there are any questions, queries or concerns about your son or daughter attending this visit, please do not hesitate to get in touch with myself at the Academy and I will be more than happy to give additional information.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Mrs Sims'.

Mrs Sims
Senior Vice Principal



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I give permission for my child **(print name in full)** to attend the Geography fieldwork trip to Lincoln on Thursday 30th November 2023.

Signed Parent/Carer

Please return the reply slip to Student Services by Monday 27th November.