

24th September 2018

Dear Parent or Carer

Re: Visit to River Wyre 2018

On Thursday 11th October we will be taking year 11 geography students to visit the River Wyre. The purpose of the field trip is to collect data and information in order to practise skills for their pre-release assessment. During the day students will be measuring and recording the river velocity, channel width and erosion processes at two designated sites.

We will leave school at 9.15 am travelling by school minibus and be back at school in time to catch the school bus home.

Students will need to bring a packed lunch – if they are entitled to a free school meal and you wish to order a lunch then please indicate on the reply slip. The students will need warm clothing suitable for outdoors (no jeans please), and sensible footwear. They should also bring a water-proof coat, in case of poor weather. Wellington boots or a change of footwear will be required as students will be standing in water.

Copies of written Risk Assessments for the activities are available on request from the Visit Leader. For the visit and journey to be a valid and safe educational experience, sensible active involvement is required from all participating children. It is important that parents/carers contact us prior to the visit if there has been any recent illness of which the Visit Leader should be aware. Parents/carers should provide the school with any updated medical information and any changes to emergency contact numbers.

Lancashire County Council's insurance arrangements do not cover personal accident, or loss/damage to personal items.

Please complete the attached consent form and return to school by Monday 8th October 2018.

Yours sincerely



Mr N. Moorby
Head of Geography



CENTRAL LANCASTER HIGH SCHOOL

Visit to the River Wyre – 10th October 2018

I give permission for my child to take part in the geography field trip to the River Wyre as stated.

My child would like a packed lunch **YES / NO** (please circle).

Student's Name: _____ Form: _____

Parent/Carer: _____ Date: _____