

5 March 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 8 Geography Field Trip Lyme Regis

Selwood Academy Humanities Faculty is running a Geography Field trip to Lyme Regis on the following dates:

Tuesday 23 April – 8FRM

Wednesday 24 April – 8ESLW

As part of their curriculum lessons Year 8 pupils will be studying coastlines, the effects of erosion and modern sea defences. They will use their knowledge to study the coast first hand at Lyme bay.

Pupils need to be registered at 7.45 for an 8am departure. We hope to return at Selwood at 3.30pm

If pupils come to school by bus, arrangements will need to be made to bring them in for 7.45am and to be collected at 3.30pm.

Pupils do not have to wear school uniform and will need wet weather gear and good footwear available in case of inclement weather. Pupils will be allowed to bring mobile phones to keep them occupied on the journey. The school cannot take responsibility for any loss or damage to such items. These would be brought at the owner's risk and all pupils will be expected to look after them themselves throughout the day.

The cost of the trip is £15.50. This will pay for the coaches. Please make payment on ParentPay by **Tuesday 26 March**. This cost is non-refundable.

Pupils will need to bring a packed lunch with them. If your child has Free School Meals please indicate on the form if you would like a packed lunch to be provided.

If your child is entitled to Free School Meals you may be able to use your Selwood Activity Voucher.

Payments for curriculum related trips are purely on a voluntary basis, but it is possible that the event may not be able to take place if insufficient contributions are received.

Please complete the form via the link below to let us know if your child would like to go on this trip. A negative response is also required.

<https://forms.gle/QbpL2C5LGbjLeVu57>

Your sincerely

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