



9 January 2023

### Year 10 Dorset Residential Trip

Dear Parent/Carer,

Your child has expressed an interest in attending the geography residential trip to the Dorset coast. We are running this trip in order to help them apply their geographical understanding of our 'coastal landscapes' topic and experience one of their case studies.

The trip details are as follows:

<b>Date</b>	Friday 17 March 2023 to Sunday 19 March 2023
<b>Time</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Depart from Hodge Hill College at 12pm on Friday 17 March 2023</li> <li>• Arrive back at Hodge Hill College by approx. 6pm on Sunday 19 March 2023</li> </ul>
<b>Location</b>	Dorset Coast
<b>Accommodation</b>	Pupils will be allocated single-sex dormitories at: My Time Outdoor Centre, Off Renscombe Rd, Worth Matravers, Isle of Purbeck, Dorset, BH19 3LL
<b>Travel</b>	School Minibus
<b>Cost</b>	£75 – includes travel, accommodation and breakfast/lunch for both days
<b>Meals</b>	Pupils will be provided with breakfast and lunch. They will need to bring money for their evening meals as well as any spending money
<b>Clothing</b>	Pupils will be required to wear comfortable casual clothing and bring their pyjamas and toiletries
<b>Staff</b>	Hodge Hill College Staff
<b>Insurance</b>	The City Council covers all legal liability of the Council to young people on the visit but does not provide personal accident cover where the Council has no liability. A full risk assessment for the entire trip has been completed by the school

Further details including emergency contact details and itineraries will be communicated by the end of February 2023.

#### Payment Plan

	Amount	Due
<b>Non-refundable deposit</b>	£30	Friday 20 January 2023
<b>Second payment</b>	£25	Friday 10 February 2023
<b>Final payment</b>	£20	Friday 3 March 2023

There are only 24 spaces available for this trip and places will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis, with pupils' effort and behaviour in their geography lessons also being considered. To secure a place for your child on this trip, you must complete the consent form and pay the non-refundable deposit of £30 via ParentPay by **Friday 20 January 2023**. After this date, places will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Please note, the Trip Leader reserves the right to remove any pupil from the trip *if* their behaviour in school is unsafe or concerning.

If you have any questions or would like further information about this trip, please contact me on 0121 783 7807.

Yours faithfully,

*C Ambler*

Miss C Ambler

**Director of Learning: Pastoral Curriculum**