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Dear Parent,

5 June 2017

FOUNTAINS ABBEY VISIT – Monday 3rd JULY 2017

As part of their preparation for this year's Fountains Abbey Challenge, all third year students are taking part in a half day visit to Fountains Abbey on Monday 3rd July.

We will travel by coach, leaving RGS at 9.15a.m. and returning in time for afternoon lessons. However, we will not be back in time for lunch, therefore students will require a **PACKED LUNCH** to eat on site.

The challenge is a combined literacy, numeracy and PSHCE project, and staff from Fountains Abbey will visit Ripon Grammar School in advance to talk about the site and its World Heritage status. When we visit Fountains Abbey, students will receive a briefing from marketing staff and will then have the opportunity to investigate the abbey grounds. Back at school they will be able to use statistics and the information they have gathered to come up with their own concepts for visitor campaigns, leading to a full morning off-timetable to complete their projects and present them to a judging panel, including Fountains Abbey staff.

The group which won the 2016 challenge will shortly see their event made reality at Fountains Abbey!

Students must wear school uniform, but may bring appropriate footwear to change into if necessary.

The cost for this trip is £6.00, which includes travel by coach and the educational visit fee.

Please complete and return the form below to Mrs Grime, in Room 16, and make payment through PARENTPAY, BY FRIDAY 16TH JUNE 2017.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S Dring
Learning Resources Manager
Literacy & Numeracy Co-ordinator

Mrs Garmory
Head of PSHCE

3RD YEAR VISIT TO FOUNTAINS ABBEY – 3rd JULY 2017

RGS Form

Student's name

Please tick the box to show your agreement with the following:

- I give permission for my son/daughter to visit Fountains Abbey on Monday 3rd July.
- I have paid £6.00 by ParentPay to cover the cost of travel & the educational visit fee.
- I am aware my son/daughter needs a packed lunch for this visit.

Medical issues we should be aware of

Signed:

Print Name:

Date:

PLEASE RETURN TO MRS GRIME IN ROOM 16 BY FRIDAY 16TH JUNE 2017

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