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Dear Parent/ Guardian,

20 April 2018

RE: A2 Geography Field Trip to Liverpool

As part of the A2 course for Geography students have to carry out four days of fieldwork. The students have already carried out two days of these requirements at AS. To fulfil the remaining fieldwork requirements, we are taking the students to **Liverpool and Formby** on the West Coast of England. These sites ensure the students have a large variation of fieldwork data and data collection methods to enable them to write up an independent fieldwork investigation.

The geography field trip will involve an overnight stay and will take place on **Thursday 14 June – Friday 15 June 2018**.

Day 1: The students will depart from Ripon Grammar School at **8.00am on Thursday 14 June** to carry out fieldwork on the urban environment of Liverpool.

Day 2: **Friday 15 June 2018** students will go to Formby and Crosby to investigate coastal environments. The students will **return to school at approximately 6.30pm**.

As the times are outside of the normal school day we would appreciate your cooperation in ensuring the students are safely able to be dropped off and picked up at these times. As the students are staying in Liverpool for one night they need to bring an overnight bag containing a change of clothes, sleepwear, toiletries, any medication they require and a towel. Students will be required to bring appropriate clothing for the field trip as weather conditions can be unpredictable and footpaths can be uneven. Therefore please ensure students have suitable footwear including walking boots/shoes, waterproof clothing, sun cream, clipboard and rucksack. Students will also be required to bring a packed lunch on both days, although there are food outlets available if that would be more convenient. Breakfast and evening meals are included in the price of this trip.

The total cost of the trip is £62.00, to pay for the coach and overnight stay; this is required by Monday,4 June 2018. Our preferred method of payment for this trip is via ParentPay.

Thank you so much for your cooperation in preparing the students for this vital fieldwork. Please do not hesitate to contact me or if you have any queries regarding the trip. Moreover, if there are any issues concerning payment please contact me at the school in confidence as some families may be entitled to financial support keelan-edwardsh@ripongrammar.co.uk

Yours sincerely

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