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Science Department

12th June 2017

Dear Parent/Guardian

### Visit to the Deep (First Form)

As part of your son's/daughter's first year science course we are offering the opportunity for them to view an aquarium and to research one organism in relation to module 7.3, called 'Ecosystems'. As part of the course they will then create a presentation that pulls together everything they have learnt and researched about including classification, variation, food chains and webs, adaptations and habitats.

To support their learning we will be taking them on a visit to 'The Deep', which is Europe's only submariium, in Hull on **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2017**. We will be leaving school at **9.00 am** and we will ensure that students are returned in time to catch buses at the end of the school day. Students will need to bring with them a small bag (there will be no bag storage), a packed lunch (no nuts please) and a pencil case. They may wish to bring a small amount of money as there is a shop from which to buy a souvenir but there will **not** be a chance to buy any food from the café. Smart casual clothes and comfortable shoes should also be worn, and it is asked that crop tops are not worn please.

In order to cover the cost of admission and travel, we are asking you to provide a contribution of **£ 11.50**. The preferred method of payment is on **Parent Pay**. However a cheque made payable to 'Ripon Grammar School' or cash can be handed into Mrs Grime in room 16 during break time. We ask that payment is made by **Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June**. If you are unable to make this contribution, please feel free to speak to me either in person or over the telephone. Alternatively, my email address is [hargreavesc@ripongrammar.co.uk](mailto:hargreavesc@ripongrammar.co.uk)

I would ask that you complete the attached consent and medical forms and return it to myself or a first year science teacher no later than **Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June**.

Yours faithfully

Miss C Hargreaves (Teacher of Science)

Name ..... Form .....

I give my permission for my son/daughter to attend the trip to 'The Deep' in Hull on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2017.

Signed .....

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