

Ripon Grammar School

17 September 2025

Art study visit to Brimham Rocks and Ripon Walk

Dear Parent/Guardian,

I am organising two short Art Study visits to support coursework undertaken as part of the A level Art Course. As part of the theme 'Environment', the department feels it is beneficial for students to experience a **drawing session at Brimham Rocks** on:

- Thursday afternoon periods 6,7 and 8 on 25th September 2025 for L6X group
- Friday morning periods 1,2 and 3 on 26th September for L6Z group

We would also like to go on a **photographic walk around Ripon** on:

- Friday morning periods 1,2 and 3 on 3rd October 2025 for L6Z group
- Thursday afternoon periods 6,7 and 8 on 2nd October 2025 for L6X group

This session is an important introduction to the A level course, and we **request consent is made via Evolve**, however there is no cost for the visits. We will depart at Ripon Grammar School car park at:

- Friday 8.45 and, returning to the school for 11.20.
- Thursday 1.00pm and, returning to the school for 3.45pm.

We are travelling in the school minibus to Brimham Rocks and on foot around Ripon, the following week. Both events have minimal impact on teaching as we are using an afternoon double art session. The students will require a packed lunch (drinks), waterproof clothing, strong walking shoes, a camera and drawing materials (sketchbooks). These trips will be weather dependent, so the dates might be flexible. I would like to thank you for your continuing support of your son/daughter in Art and Design. If you have any concerns regarding the trip, please contact the school in confidence.

Yours faithfully, F. Henson Head of Art

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