

March 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **Year 13 Field Trip to Osmington Bay, Dorset**

As part of the A-level Geography course, pupils are required to undertake fieldwork activities beyond the classroom. A three-day residential trip has been arranged to Osmington Bay, Dorset, where students will conduct data collection along the coastline.

This trip not only meets the fieldwork requirements of the course but also provides students with data they can use for their coursework, which constitutes 20% of their final grade. The fieldwork also supports their Unit One studies in Paper 1, which focuses on coasts.

During the trip, students will gain first-hand experience of the coastal landforms and processes they have been studying.

Date:	Monday 29th September – Wednesday 1st October 2025
Transport:	School Minibus
Depart from:	The Sweyne Park School, Bus Bay (times to be confirmed)
Venue:	PGL Osmington Bay, Osmington Bay Centre, Shortlake Lane, Osmington, Weymouth DT3 6EG
Cost:	£306.00
Accommodation:	Full board accommodation – from the evening meal on arrival day to lunch on departure day- Bedding is included.
Included:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Field study modules, including worksheets, course materials, and equipment</li><li>• A programme of adventure activities with instruction, supervision, and equipment</li><li>• A varied evening entertainment programme</li><li>• PGL staff support throughout the booking process and during your stay</li></ul>

The trip will be covered by school insurance and will be accompanied by staff members. This trip requires us to hold spaces and pay a deposit, therefore we will be unable to offer a refund unless there are exceptional circumstances in the event of your child being unable to attend the event. If your child would like to participate in the event please fill in the electronic consent form on Scopay and pay the deposit of £56.00 by the 10<sup>th</sup> April 2025.

The following payment schedule will follow the deposit:

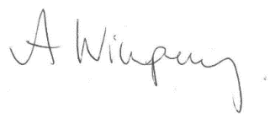
£75	31 <sup>st</sup> May 2025
£75	30 <sup>th</sup> June 2025
£50	31 <sup>st</sup> July 2025
£50	31 <sup>st</sup> Aug 2025

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Any pupils who require medication must ensure that they bring this with them.

If there are any financial difficulties, please contact the Headteacher, Mrs Dines, in the strictest confidence. If you have any queries concerning the trip, please contact me at the school.

Yours Faithfully,



Ms A Wimpenny

Head of Geography