COPTHORNE
PREPARATORY SCHOOL

Year 7 Geography Fieldwork - Birling Gap on Monday 10 June

04 June 2019

Dear Year 7 Parents

You may be aware that as part of the Geography Common Entrance exam each pupil is required to produce a fieldwork project. This constitutes 20% of the final mark next year so is an important part of the exam.

We are going to collect the data for this project as a Year Group on Monday 10 June. It will be a coastal study based on Birling Gap in East Sussex and will be completed in school time.

Travel will be by school minibus. Timings will be available, when I have the full programme for the day and a packed lunch will be provided by the school. Please do supply your child with an adequately sized water-bottle and a daysack/rucksack.

Pupils should wear appropriate home-clothes/footwear/sunscreen for the weather, a coastal walk and walking on a stoney beach. Pupils may bring a camera as photographs will obviously supplement the study and its presentation. Any equipment needed will be provided.

The fieldwork is being supported by the National Trust and we have use of their educational facilities at the site for the day, as such there is a small charge of £5 for this, which will be added to the Summer Term bill. Should you have any questions about the trip please do not hesitate to contact me by email at the following address: dcarrick@copthorneprep.co.uk.

Kind regards

Mr D Carrick