



September 2018

**Geography Fieldtrip to:
Castle Head Field Centre,
Grange-over-sands, Cumbria**

**Monday 17th September to
Friday 21st September 2018**

The Polesworth School
ENSURING EXCELLENCE

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Dear Parents/Carers

Now that the new term has started it will not be long until we embark on the fieldtrip to Grange-over-Sands, as stated in the original letter students will be collecting data for their coursework which is worth 20% of their final A-Level grade.

Students will need to be at school at 8.15am on Monday 17th September (please bring a packed lunch) and we aim to be back at 3.30pm on Friday 22nd September (dependant on traffic conditions).

We will be staying in fully catered accommodation at Castle Head Field Study Centre in Grange-over-Sands (<http://www.field-studies-council.org/centres/castlehead.aspx>). While we are there we will do fieldwork on coastal processes, river management and rural and urban areas (the itinerary is flexible depending on the weather)

Students need to bring appropriate clothing, including sensible footwear and waterproofs, also please bear in mind that the weather can be very changeable in the Lake District. It is very important that students are prepared for all conditions, hot, cold, wet, dry and everything in between!

Please can you return your child's medical form if you have not already done so promptly to the finance office at school.

If you have any questions do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours Sincerely

Carmen Hockridge
Head of Geography