

Our ref: SWI/RKR

4 October 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 13 Visit to Maltby on Thursday 17 October 2024

We are delighted to confirm that your child has been allocated a place on the visit to Maltby on Thursday 17 October 2024 to support course requirements by visiting locations with both human and physical focus that are also studied within lesson.

Students are required to meet at the entrance of Maltby Academy at 1:10 pm. All students are advised to use the academy minibus to make their way across to the visit location. Students will be dismissed directly from Maltby Academy at 2:50 pm. Students who require transport back to Sir Thomas Wharton Academy will be able to access the minibus and return to site as normal.

Fieldwork experiences are an important part of the Geography curriculum and allow students to experience the subject beyond the classroom in a way that we cannot recreate within the academy; as such, we require all students to attend.

Please also note that giving consent, does not automatically guarantee the student's participation in the visit. This is dependent on student behaviour, attendance and motivation.

Due to the nature of the day and potential changes in weather, clothing and footwear worn should be smart, comfortable, and appropriate for the visit. Sensible shoes are also necessary due to the amount of walking planned (trainers/walking boots would be appropriate). Students will also need a bag (school style bag will suffice), in which they can carry equipment to record information such as stationery, camera and notebook. Students will not be provided the opportunity to purchase food and drinks on this visit.

Students will be supervised by members of academy staff during the visit and there will be a trained first aider present as part of this supervision. If there are occasions on this visit where students are casually supervised, students will be briefed ahead of the visit with the meeting points, times and details on how to contact a member of academy staff in the event of an emergency.

Please provide permission for the student to attend the visit by accessing the form here: [Permission Link](#)

Yours faithfully

Mr S Wilson

Teacher of Geography

