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Re: Year 8 Geography Field Visit 2023 – Keswick (0010-23DDE)

As part of their Year 8 Geography curriculum, pupils will have the opportunity to participate in one day of fieldwork. This year, pupils will visit Keswick on either Friday 20th October or Monday 23rd October 2023, with the purpose of studying the human impact of tourism in the region.

On the day of the visit, after receiving their morning registration mark, pupils will meet in the main hall at 8.45am ready to depart shortly after. Pupils will be travelling to the destination by coach. We aim to return to Longfield by approximately 4.00pm.

Pupils will not be required to wear school uniform for the visit. However, pupils must ensure they wear appropriate clothing for the weather conditions, as well as suitable footwear for walking throughout the day. Pupils will also need a packed lunch and refreshments. If your child is entitled to a free school meal and would like a packed lunch provided by the school, please indicate this on the electronic registration of interest form.

Please note, due to restricted seating on the coach, each visit is limited to 50 places. If you would like your child to take part, please complete the registration of interest form via the link below. Deadline for registration is midnight on Friday 6th October 2023.

Click HERE to register - Year 8 Geography Field Visit 2023 - Keswick

After this deadline, all expressions of interest will be collated. If the number of interested pupils exceeds the available spaces, pupils will be allocated places via a randomly generated draw. We will then inform parents / carers as to whether their child has been successful in securing a place and on which date.

At this time, we will also ask for parents / carers to make payment for the visit. The total cost of the visit is £15.00, which covers the cost of coach travel. We recommend paying via Parentmail using a valid debit / credit card as this allows you to keep track of your payments and due dates. However, you may also pay by cash, cheque, or card via school reception. Cheques should be made payable to Longfield Academy and should have your child's name and the trip written clearly on the reverse of the cheque.

We ask that payment is not made until places on the visit have been confirmed.













Furthermore, if you have a household income of less than £17,500 or your child is eligible for free school meals, there is a grant for financial assistance that can help pay towards the cost.

An application form for this grant can be requested from reception by calling 01325 380815 or by emailing enquiries@longfield.swiftacademies.org.uk

If you have any further queries regarding the visit, please do not hesitate to contact me via main reception on 01325 380 815 or by email devlin@longfield.swiftacademies.org.uk

Yours faithfully,

Mrs D Devlin

Teacher of Geography