



Sutton Coldfield Grammar School for Girls

26th April 2023

Year 10 Geography Fieldtrip to CMV
Friday 5th May

Dear Parent/Carer,

As you are aware, Year 10 GCSE Geography students have their fieldwork visit to Carding Mill Valley on Friday 5th May.

Depart SCGSG at 9.00 am *Arrive at school at normal time. Gather in the dining room at 8.50am.*

Return to SCGSG at approx. 4.00 pm *Students will be able to contact parents on the return journey*

Activities

The trip will enable the students to collect the data required for their compulsory fieldwork which forms part of the GCSE Geography course. The students will conduct a study into the changing characteristics of using a variety of data collection methods to gather the data necessary for their field work. They will also get the opportunity to investigate the river features studied as part of their course.

Personal Kit

Please see the attached kit list which outlines what personal kit should be bought. I cannot stress enough the importance of suitable footwear and a waterproof coat in case the weather is wet. The students will be outside all day and the activities will go ahead in wet weather.

Students should bring a packed lunch and drink with them.

We recommend that electronic items are not bought on the trip but if they are they remain the students' own responsibility.

Medical and Dietary Requirements

If your child has any medical requirements that school are not already aware of please let me know in writing. If your daughter is asthmatic/has an allergy then she must have an inhaler/EpiPen on her person at all times.

If you have any questions regarding the field trip please do not hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours faithfully,

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Kit List

Sturdy pair of shoes – walking boots if owned or trainers suitable for rough terrain

Clothing suitable for a day outdoors e.g. sports leggings

A waterproof coat or sun cream/hat - weather dependant

Personal medication e.g. inhalers, epi pens

Please ensure clothing is suitable for a school trip. Mid-drifts should not be showing.

Small backpack to carry lunch/drink/waterproof etc.

Packed lunch & drink

Spending money – there is a small shop selling drinks, snacks & ice creams at Carding Mill Valley which students may have the time to visit

Stationery – pen, pencil, ruler

Clip board if owned

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