



# All Hallows Catholic College

A Voluntary Academy

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Principal - Mr T Beesley

RE: Year 9 Geography Trip

Dear Parent/Carer,

The Geography Department has arranged a trip for all of Year 9 to Blue Planet Aquarium. Pupils complete a unit of work that links to the content covered during this trip, particularly coasts.

The day includes:

- Coach Travel to and from the aquarium
- A 1hour educational workshop led by experts at Blue Planet
- An Aqua Theatre show.
- Walking tour around the aquarium

**The cost per pupil is £30.** Please pay this via ParentPay, we cannot accept cash. As with all educational visits, we do not wish finances to prevent your child from attending. If you are in receipt of free school meals or have questions about help in paying, please contact the Finance department [trips@allhallows.org.uk](mailto:trips@allhallows.org.uk) or via reception.

Attendance is recommended but not compulsory. Those who do not attend will be expected in lessons as usual.

Pupils will depart from school in groups.

- 28<sup>th</sup> November 9A and 9b will depart school at 9.00am and return for period 5.
- 28<sup>th</sup> November 9C will attend period 1 lesson and depart period 2. They will arrive back at All Hallows' for the end of the school day.
- 29<sup>th</sup> November 9F and 9M will depart period 1 and return for period 5.
- 29<sup>th</sup> November 9N and 9S will attend period 1 lesson and depart period 2. Return for the end of the school day.

Pupils must attend this trip in their full school uniform as they will be attending a timetabled lesson during the school day, and the trip is indoors throughout. Students must bring a **packed lunch and a drink – we will order free school meals for those in receipt of these.**

**Please pay via ParentPay no later than 3pm of Monday 20<sup>th</sup> of November. As with all Geography trips, late payments will not be accepted as we must confirm staffing and coach sizes in advance of the day.** When paying on ParentPay, **there is a tick box for Consent** that replaces 'c forms' for day trips. It remains your responsibility to update the College if your child has any current medical conditions that you have not already informed us of.

If you pull out of the trip you may lose all monies paid. Behaviour will be assessed in the run up to the trip, any adverse behaviour will be discussed and reported to parents and if improvements are not made then removal from the trip may happen and any money paid towards the trip will not be refunded. By accepting a place on this trip, you agree to your child abiding by school rules and staff instructions at all times.

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to get in touch with me. My email is:

[G.Farthing@allhallows.org.uk](mailto:G.Farthing@allhallows.org.uk)

Yours sincerely

Mr G Farthing



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