



NOTTINGHAM  
FREE SCHOOL

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s)

19th May 2016

**Year 7 Trip to Nottingham University Highfields Park - Wednesday 22 June 2016**

As part of the Nottingham Free School Year 7 geography and science curriculums students need to undertake field work and on Wednesday 22 June we will be taking the students to Nottingham University Highfields Park to conduct this work.

For geography we will be looking at microclimates and assessing different areas of the site and for science we will be undertaking a study of different habitats and learning different scientific sampling techniques. Field work is an integral part of geography and science, students need to learn how to conduct and present their findings in these subjects, which will be examined in Year 8.

Students are not required to wear school uniform, but will need to wear sensible outdoor clothing and they will be required to bring a packed lunch. If your child is a recipient of free school meals then their lunch will be provided by the school. We shall be departing school at 9:30am and arriving back at school at approximately 3:30pm. The only cost for this trip is for transport and we are asking for a £5 donation to contribute toward travel expenses or £2 if your child receives free school meals.

It is of vital importance that all students conduct themselves appropriately outside school and show respect towards members of the public. We also expect all students to follow staff instructions to ensure health and safety procedures are followed.

**Kit list:-**

Trainers/wellies,  
Warm jumper/jacket,  
Leggings/tracksuit bottoms/waterproof trousers (no jeans),  
Waterproof jacket/cagoule with hood

If you would like to discuss this further please do not hesitate to contact either Mrs Douglas or myself at school, either by telephone or the school email.

Please complete and return the attached reply slip by Friday 27th May.

Yours faithfully

Mrs B Inglis  
Lead Teacher of Humanities

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**Please complete and return the below reply slip to the School Office by Friday 27th May**  
**Year 7 Nottingham University Highfields Park – Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2016**

Name of Child: \_\_\_\_\_ Tutor Group \_\_\_\_\_

- I/ We agree for our son/daughter to attend the above trip
- I consent to my child receiving medical treatment in the event of an emergency
- I am aware of the nature of the programme my child is about to take part in and I understand I can obtain more detailed information by telephone/in writing from Mrs Douglas or Mrs Inglis
- I have told my child to pay particular attention to staff giving advice on matters of safety, behaviour and general procedures
- I consent to my child taking part in all activities organised by the staff in connection with the programme
- I enclose a donation of £5 (£2 if you are in receipt of Free School Meals) to contribute towards the cost of transport for this trip

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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