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Dear Parent/Carer,

The Geography Department has organised a fieldtrip to Worcester City centre. Year 8 pupils will have the opportunity to investigate 'Is regeneration saving our highstreets?' The data collected from the day will be used to produce a geographical investigation in lessons.

The fieldtrip will take place on Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th June 2023.

Monday 12th June: KIN, MAL, WOO

Tuesday 13th June: ANK, BRE, COT

We will be leaving school at 9:00am and will return in time for the buses.

During the day, the pupils will carry out a range of primary data collection techniques focusing on the shopping centre of Worcester. Activities undertaken will include questionnaires, land use surveys, environmental quality of surveys and pedestrian counts.

Pupils must wear school uniform on the day. However, as they will be on foot for much of the day, they are asked to wear sensible, comfortable footwear. They must bring a **waterproof coat, a packed lunch (including water) and pencil case**. If they have a clipboard that would also be useful.

We would kindly ask for £5.00 to cover the cost of the day, this can be paid for on-line, on the school gateway.

Pupils on the day will not be permitted to purchase items from any shops and will not be permitted to enter any shops. I ask that you ensure your son/daughter is fully aware of this as it is part of our risk assessment for the day. Any pupils found to have entered shops or having purchased items will be sanctioned back at school and may not be allowed to participate in any future school trips.

Safety is of paramount importance when undertaking any field visits in the Geography Department; therefore, the appropriate number of adults will accompany the pupils. Due to the nature of the data collection and the number of pupils taking part in this trip there will be some occasions when pupils will be placed into groups to collect data.

If you have any questions about the day please don't hesitate to contact me crudall@chantryschool.com.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Christine Rudall
Head of Geography