

22<sup>nd</sup> June 2022

Dear Parents/Guardians

**GCSE Geography: Rivers Study in Arkengarthdale, Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2022**

As part of your son/daughter's studies for GCSE Geography, it is a compulsory requirement that he/she undertakes two pieces of fieldwork – one in Year 10 (a river study) and one in Year 11 (an urban study). To meet part of this requirement, we will be conducting the first piece of fieldwork in Arkengarthdale on **Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2022**.

The students will be under the constant supervision of their teachers, and have been told about the standards of behaviour we expect. They will be told that they will be working with a group of students from their class and that they must not go away from this group on their own under any circumstances. It is essential that on the day all pupils complete each task accurately, as the results will be required by everyone in the year.

Students will need to bring a packed lunch and will not be required to wear school uniform. Sensible clothing (including waterproofs) and **appropriate footwear** (including wellies) is required as the weather can be unpredictable and we will be entering a small stream to take measurements.

We will be leaving school at 9:00am (after registering with their form tutor), and expect to return to school by 3:00pm in time for the end of the normal school day.

Please note, any student on free school meals can book a packed lunch the day before (up to the value of £2.50); If any other student wishes to book a packed lunch, that is fine, but must be done by the day before we go: Please contact Annette De Roche if you would like to do this at [derochea@bedalehighschool.org.uk](mailto:derochea@bedalehighschool.org.uk)

The cost of the trip including transport and insurance will be £6.00.

Please make payment and give consent via Parent pay by **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July**.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

Mr A Childe  
Head of Humanities and MFL Faculty