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SEA/ST/da/Carding Mill Valley

24th September 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

**Visit to Carding Mill Valley, Shropshire
Friday 25th October 2019**

The Geography Department are delighted to give your child the opportunity for a field trip to Carding Mill Valley, Shropshire.

The trip will give your son/daughter visual learning linking to their GCSE grade, however, it is also a **compulsory element of the examination specification**. Pupils will be asked questions about their fieldwork during their Geography examination which will be worth 25% of their final Geography GCSE.

Pupils will be required to be at school for 7.30am in order for us to depart promptly at 8.00am. Pupils will travel by coach accompanied by staff from the academy. We will arrive back at school at approximately 5.00pm. We therefore ask that you make arrangements for your child to be collected from the academy.

As we will be visiting a river location in a cold month and weather is unpredictable, please ensure that your child is dressed appropriately, wearing warm clothes including a coat, hat, and gloves with waterproofs if possible. We also suggest pupils wear wellies or walking boots, but trainers would be acceptable if comfortable.

Pupils will need to bring a packed lunch, pupils entitled to free school meals will have a packed lunch provided.

Please complete and return the attached consent form to the Main Reception by Wednesday 16th October 2019.

Yours sincerely

A Seager (Mr)
Headteacher

