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Dear Parents,

A geographical fieldwork investigation forms the basis of the coursework which makes up 27.5% of a student's final IGCSE grade. All of the Year 11 geographers will be taken out to collect data for this work on Tuesday 21st September 2021. The Field Studies Council based at Preston Montford Field Centre near Shrewsbury will lead the day. I will be accompanying the group, which will investigate how features of a river change over distance at Carding Mill Valley. The total cost for the day will be £40 and this will be added on to the end of term account.

Equipment needed for the day

Stout footwear	In case of wet weather.
Jacket/waterproof/hat	See above.
Old clothing	We will be outside all day.
Pencil case and paper etc.	Writing gear will be needed in the field/ calculators and rulers in the field centre.
Water bottle	Not included in packed lunch.
Face mask	Compulsory on school transport and indoors at the Field Centre.

The party will leave school at 9.00am and return in time for squads at 4.00pm. School packed lunches will be provided, but **students will need to bring their own water bottles**. Good standards of behaviour are expected and school rules will apply all day.

To succeed at the highest level, students have to collect primary data in the field. It is therefore of the **utmost importance** that all students attend this school led Field Day.

If there are any queries regarding these arrangements please contact me at the College. I look forward to a productive day in the field.

Yours sincerely,

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