

Dear Parents/Carers

The Geography Department are running a residential field trip to the Drapers Field Centre, Snowdonia, as part of the A level course which is a compulsory requirement as part of the specification to take part in fieldwork. This will be in collaboration with King's Academy Binfield Sixth Form. Students have to complete a piece of research within the field which is 20% of their final grade. Students, through guidance from the staff, can decide to either investigate a human or physical element of the specification.

Rhyd-y-creuau is a Field Studies Council Centre which is renowned for their high-quality courses and their ability to raise attainment in the support of A level courses. We have used the centre for the last 7 years to support our geographers.

The cost of the trip is heavily subsidised by the school but unfortunately, we have to ask for the cost of their residential place to be covered by parents. This is £375 and is to be paid in full by Monday 3rd February 2025.

The cost of the trip includes the accommodation and meals at Rhyd-y-creuau for the four days, travel costs from Bracknell to Snowdonia by minibus and the cost of the trip excursions while students are at the centre. It is strongly encouraged that your child participates in this trip and to reserve a place for your child on this trip, please make the initial deposit payment and complete consent, emergency contact and medical section on your ParentPay account by Friday 1st November 2024. Should you need to activate your account please email finance@kgaeasthampstead.uk.

Please see attached letter for further details, please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions relating to this trip on 01344 390804 or via email to sarah.buchanan@kgaeasthampstead.uk.

With Best Wishes, KAEP Trips







