



Lees Brook Academy

July 2023

Dear Year 9 Parent/Carer,

As the core of your child's education, no one doubts the importance of classroom learning. However, we should never underestimate the power of a school trip in developing a young person's cultural capital as this is one of the key ingredients a student will draw upon to be successful in society, their career and the world of work.

With this in mind, we have made the decision to take every child on a school trip on Friday 14th July at no expense to families.

Year 9 pupils will be going to Scarborough for the day on Friday 14th July.

On the day of the trip, Pupils will leave Lees Brook Academy at 6.20am. The programme of events are as follows: (times are approximate)

6.20am Bus departs from school – Please note that the coach will stop at service stations both to and from Scarborough. Pupils will be able to purchase food and drink if they require.

10.00am Arrive at Scarborough Sea front

10.00- 11.00am Walking tour of Scarborough along the seafront with staff and pupils **Ensure you have appropriate footwear and clothing**

11.00am Meeting with all pupils regarding rules and responsibilities. Pupils will then be allowed to explore the area in small groups. They will be remotely supervised throughout the remainder of the day.

1pm Lunch on the beach– **PUPILS MUST BRING A PACKED LUNCH OR MONEY TO PURCHASE FOOD.** Pupils on free school meals will be provided with a packed lunch.

12.45pm- 3.00pm Continue exploring the area in small groups

3.00pm – bus departs Scarborough and travels back to school. **PUPILS WILL BE DISMISSED FROM LEES BROOK ACADEMY ON RETURN AT APPROXIMATELY 6.30-7.00PM.**

Please ensure your child has appropriate footwear and clothing as this event will be mainly based outside. Pupils can bring spending money if they wish but they will be responsible for this. There will be lots of opportunities to visit shops, amusement arcades, purchase ice creams and fish and chips and there is also a funfair which pupils will be allowed on. Pupils will need to bring spending money for these opportunities. Pupils will not be allowed into the sea except for paddling on health and safety grounds.

If you wish your child to stay in school on that day, learning will resume and classes will be collapsed.

If you have any questions, please contact Miss Wilkinson.

Many Thanks

Mrs C Watson
Principal