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Principal: Mrs Rachel Kitley

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to let you know that **in the week commencing 21**st **October**, Year 7 students will have the opportunity to take part in a local Geography field trip to Cowes High Street. This forms part of their Maritime Futures Curriculum where they will be investigating how Cowes has developed into an important Maritime town.

We will be walking from the academy, along the High Street and then walking back to academy during 2 lessons. Students will walk in their class groups and complete their fieldwork booklet to gathering information and Maritime land uses in Cowes.

Students will be travelling in their Geography classes on one of the days listed below:

Monday 21 st October – Period 2-3	7CMB and 7SAW
Wednesday 23 rd October – Period 2-3	7AGR
Wednesday 23 rd October – Period 4-5	7MCV and 7AXD
Thursday 24 th October – Period 4-5	7SRR and 7KLS

They will not need any special arrangements for the day, other than ensuring that they come to school with appropriate clothing for poor weather and in full school uniform. A packed lunch is not required as the trip does not overlap the lunch period.

As part of the transition to Cowes Enterprise College you will have completed an annual trip consent form and so we will use this as consent for this trip and information to support our trip planning.

If we do not have a completed form then we ask you to complete one in order for your child to take part in this trip.

If you do not consent for your child to take part in this trip, or if you need any further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact the Geography Department on 01983 203103 or email info@cowesec.org.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Kelly Wiltshire

Deputy Director for Humanities