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Dear Parent/Carer

Geography trip to Iceland

In May 2019 the Geography department will be running a 4 day trip to Iceland. Iceland is a fantastic country in which to learn about geography outside of the classroom. We will be focusing on tectonics in particular; this is a topic which is covered in some depth in the GCSE syllabus.

A list of what is included can be found below:

Full board accommodation at the Viking Hotel <http://fjorukrain.is/>

Golden Circle Day

South Shore Day

A swim in a local swimming pool heated by geo thermal power

Visit to Reykjavik (depending on flight times)

Entrance to The Secret Lagoon <http://secretlagoon.is/> (a cheaper alternative to the Blue Lagoon but just as breath taking)

2 x Full Day National Guide

One piece of checked-in hold luggage per person each way

Travel Insurance

All transportation

By booking early we have managed to obtain a competitive price for the trip, despite significant price rises since we last went (Iceland is an expensive country to visit!). We will be departing on **Saturday 25th May 2019 and returning on Tuesday 28th May 2019**. The cost of the trip is **£970** and includes all transfers (to and from the airport), flights, full board accommodation for 3 nights and full guided tours. Apart from a small amount of spending money there is no other money required.

If your son/daughter would like to come on the Iceland trip a deposit (non-refundable) is required. This will enable us to secure the best prices, before they increase. Please could you confirm your interest for the trip by completing the reply slip below and returning it to the **finance department** by **Friday 8th June**. There are **20** spaces available (although if demand is high we will consider taking an additional 10 students), the trip will be filled on a **first come first served basis**.

I will be in touch after this date to confirm your child's place on this trip and to advise you of further payments that need to be made. Nearer the time there will also be a meeting to discuss issues surrounding travel abroad.

If there are any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me on the college telephone number above or by email: ehill@elycollege.co.uk

Yours faithfully

Ms E Hill

Subject Leader Geography





To: Finance Office – Iceland trip 2019 - Ms E Hill

Name of student: **Form**.....

I would like to book my son / daughter onto the fieldtrip to Iceland in May 2019.

I have paid the deposit of £150 (non-refundable) via WisePAY

I have included a cheque for £150 deposit (non-refundable).

Signed (parent/carer).....

Name in capitals

Date