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<u>Year 6 Purbecks trips</u>

Dear Parent / Carer,

We have two days of local trips coming up in June / July as part of our coastline's topic.

**Trip 1 – Worth Matravers and St. Aldhelm's Head**
Monday 17th June 6TT
Tuesday 18th June 6CR
Thursday 20th June 6SR
**Trip 2 – Fort Henry, Old Harry Rocks and Studland Bay**
Monday 1st July 6SR
Tuesday 2nd July 6CR
Wednesday 3rd July 6TT

We will leave school at 9:00am and plan to return at 3:00pm, however there could be a delay due to traffic so please allow the time frame to shift slightly.

Children will need a packed lunch and drink for these days – hot lunches will be converted into packed lunches for those who have booked meals. We will also take spare bottles of water on the minibuses in case the children run out.

Please can the children wear their PE kit on these days and bring a pair of comfortable trainers to walk in. Each trip involves a 2/3-mile walk. Other clothing is difficult to predict due to the weather – it might be sun hats and sun cream – it might be fleeces and waterproofs. We will inform the children (re clothing) nearer to the date.  On the Studland trip we sometimes have a paddle in the sea, so your child might return with sandy feet… We also view Old Harry and The Pinnacles from a safe distance in smaller, closely supervised groups.

We are requesting a contribution totaling **£6 (£3.00 per trip)** to cover the minibus running costs. **Please pay via the MCAS online system.**

All risk assessments and registers will be completed as is usual with all offsite trips. We will be taking bite/sting cream and sun cream which we will give to children if necessary – please advise us if your child is allergic to any creams – or if you do not want us to give them sting cream.

If you have any questions or concerns, please direct your queries via the school office.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. T Tatham – Year 6 teacher