



30th April 2018

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

The Ladies' College and Elizabeth College Geography Departments are delighted to announce the opportunity for your daughter/son to visit Iceland in February 2019.

There will be 20 places available to students with 3 members of staff from both Colleges travelling with the group. The trip is being organised through 'Discover the World Education' and will take place during the half-term break from 16th – 21st February.

Our itinerary will include:

Day 1: After flying into Iceland via Gatwick, we will spend the afternoon of our first day visiting the geothermically active Reykjanes Peninsula and the world famous Blue Lagoon.

Day 2: A visit to the Hellisheiði power station will be followed by visits to the waterfalls of Seljalandsfoss and Skógar as well as the glacier at Solheimajökull.

Day 3: Is a whistle-stop tour of the volcanic landscapes of Skaftafell National Park.

Day 4: We will spend the day at the coast visiting the spectacular basalt columns of Reynishverfi (think Giant's Causeway but on a larger scale!) and arches of Dyrhólaey.

Day 5: Thingvellir has many geothermal sites to explore, including geysers, as well as the spectacular waterfall at Gullfoss.

Day 6: Will comprise of an early morning transfer and flight back to Guernsey via Gatwick.

Places will be open to students currently in Years 10 to 12. Whilst not compulsory to either the GCSE or A-Level course the trip will give our geographers a chance to explore many of the themes they are studying as part of their courses including tectonic hazards and economic development.

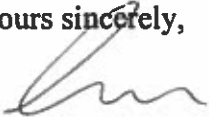
The cost of the trip will be £1,300 per student, which covers all flights to and from Guernsey and Iceland as well as full-board accommodation and professional guide(s) during our time in Iceland. There may be the option of eating out whilst staying in Reykjavik. Please note that the cost does not include travel insurance.

If you would like your daughter/son to attend then we would ask that you pay a deposit of £300 by **Friday 11th May**. This will allow us to secure our flights in good time but would be non-refundable as a result.

Cheques can be made payable to 'The Ladies' College' and can be returned to the Geography staff at either college. Full details of the payment schedule for the remainder of the cost of the trip will follow.

If you would like any further information, please do not hesitate to email Mr McGovern (visit leader): tmcgovern@ladiescollege.ac.gg

Yours sincerely,



Mr McGovern
Geography Department



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DAUGHTER/SON'S NAME:.....

I/we confirm that my/our daughter/son can participate in the trip to Iceland and enclose a non-refundable cheque for £300 payable to The Ladies' College.

Signed:.....
Parent/Guardian