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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

## Lower Five Physical Geography Fieldwork on 14th May

Mr McGovern and I will be taking the GCSE Geography group to the headland at Fort Le Marchant to study the storm beaches and to see the destruction of the sea wall at L'Ancresse Bay.

The opportunity to collect primary data is a requirement of the GCSE syllabus and there will be questions about our work in the GCSE examination next year.

We will leave College by minibus at 10:35 and will be collected at 13:00 so that students can return to College for the afternoon session. Girls may come to school in appropriate mufti and I suggest that trousers, T-shirt, sweatshirt, trainers or walking boots would be appropriate as we will be collecting data on a steep pebble bank. Flip flops or sandals will not be suitable footwear. A light-weight mac with a hood would be useful in case of a shower and sun screen/hat/sunglasses may be necessary if the weather is warm and sunny.

It would be very useful if each student could bring a clipboard, writing equipment, camera (or camera phone) and a small bag with a drink and a packed lunch since we will not be near a shop during the morning.

If the weather report suggests heavy or prolonged rain we will postpone the trip but we will make a decision on the day so students should come to school equipped and prepared for the trip.

Students will be undertaking another field trip in St Peter Port next year, collecting data on a Human Geography theme.

I trust that you will advise me if there are any new or recent medical issues concerning your daughter, about which we should be aware.

Please contact me by phone or email if you need any further information about our proposed trip on 14<sup>th</sup> May.

Yours sincerely,

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