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8th January 2015

Dear Parent/Carer

Residential Field Trip : Key Stage 3 Geography

As part of our on-going commitment to providing students with opportunities to experience Geography outside of the classroom, I am pleased to offer your son the opportunity to participate in a three day residential field trip.

The field trip will take place on Friday 23rd October until Sunday 25th October, 2015. We will be visiting the FSC (Field Studies Council) centre in Rhyd-y-Creuau in Snowdonia, Wales. In order for this field trip to go ahead, it will be necessary to ask for a voluntary contribution of £190.00 per student, which the school would not be in a position to fund. This is fully inclusive of all meals, accommodation, activities, specialist equipment, hire of waterproof clothing and walking boots. This is extremely good value for money.

Your son will participate in a number of activities including woodland studies, landscape studies, team building activities, abseiling and Gorge scrambling. Students will benefit from the experience of fully trained guides who are dedicated to the education of pupils in the surrounding local environment.

Please note activities on this trip include lots of physical outdoor activity.

If you would like to know more information about the centre you can visit their website via the following link: <http://www.field-studies-council.org/rhycreuau>.

If you would like your son to participate, please complete the slip below, and return it in the enclosed envelope with a non-refundable deposit of £30. Please make your cheque payable to 'St. Margaret's Academy Fund' on the 29th January 2015. The remaining amount outstanding will be required closer to the time of the trip. Please note there is a limited number of places on this trip and will be awarded on a first come first served basis. **Your son should see me (Mrs Williams) personally after handing the envelope to the office to confirm a place on the trip.**

If you have any further questions regarding the trip, please contact me at the school kwilliams@stmargaretsacademy.com

Yours faithfully

Mrs K. Williams
Subject Leader of Geography.

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REPLY SLIP - Snowdonia Field Trip – Friday 23rd October – Sunday 25th October, 2015

Student: _____ Form: _____

I enclose cash/cheque for £80 (non-refundable) for the Geography Field trip to Snowdonia on Friday 23rd October – Sunday 25th October, 2015.

Signed: _____ (parent/carers) Date: _____