



25th March 2026

Dear Parents and Carers

RE Legacy Ladder Trip - Advisory Notice

As part of Henley Bank High School's Legacy Ladder, we will be running a trip to Barry Island Beach on Monday 6th July.

This opportunity is for Year 7 students to visit Barry Island Beach on the South Coast of Wales. Full itinerary is to be confirmed, however students will need to arrive at Henley Bank no later than 8.15am on the day, as we will be departing from school at 8.30am and returning to school approximately 5pm.

The aim of the trip is to support the teaching and learning of the coasts topic in Year 7 Geography by giving students first-hand experience of a UK coastal landscape, whilst also providing them with the opportunity to experience some time on a UK beach.

Students will be allowed to wear non-school uniform whilst on the trip. However, this must be appropriate for school as they will still be representing Henley Bank High School. Closed toed shoes are recommended (no crocs), as students will be exploring aspects of the coast. Students should also bring a hat and sun cream. It is recommended that students bring a change of clothing and a towel in case they get wet.

Students will be allowed to bring mobile phones, but will only be allowed to use them when instructed to do so by members of staff. Students will have the opportunity to take a bit of spending money for ice creams, and students will be responsible for their own money. They will also require a packed lunch. A packed lunch will be provided for those students who are entitled to free school meals.

Consent forms will be released after the Easter Holidays. They must be completed for your child to attend the trip.

Yours faithfully

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