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2 September 2026

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 7 'Identity' & 'Finding What You Love' trips – 16 & 17 September 2026

On **Wednesday 16 September and Thursday 17 September**, students in Year 7 will have the opportunity to attend two trips to Butser Hill/QE Country Park and to have an introduction to our Much More Than Just a School Carousel.

The trip to Butser Hill Ancient Farm and Queen Elizabeth Country Park will focus on 'identity' and 'settlement', with students participating in a guided tour, chalk carving, fire lighting and hiking.

The introduction to the carousel will focus on 'Finding What You Love' with students visiting our school farm, the Apex Centre, Park Design and Print, and our school restaurant.

The order that students will go on the trips is below:

Wednesday, 16 September

Butser Hill and QE Country Park - 7CWr, 7LCh/JBn, 7MSt, 7Lfi
Carousel - 7LWi, 7LGr/KPo, 7BTu, 7AGi, 7CWb

Thursday 17 September

Butser Hill and QE Country Park - 7LWi, 7LGr/KPo, 7BTu, 7AGi, 7CWb
Carousel - 7CWr, 7LCh/JBn, 7MSt, 7Lfi

The total cost for both trips will be **£8**. This will include coach travel and access to facilities at Butser Hill, QE Country Park and participation in carousel activities. This amount is non-refundable once we have purchased tickets. However, if the need arises to withdraw a student's invitation due to behaviour, then a full refund will be offered.

The activity will require all students to wear Park PE kit with sensible walking shoes. Also, please ensure students are prepared for the weather with a sunhat and suncream or a waterproof coat as needed, as the trip will continue if it is raining. On both days, students will need to meet in the Theatre for **8:25am** to register before departing Park Community School and will return by **3.00pm**.

If your child is entitled to free school meals, one will be provided for them, otherwise a packed lunch will be required. Please also ensure your child has plenty of water with them.



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If you wish for your child to attend, please return the permission slip and make payment by 11 September 2026. Payment can be made online via Scopay or by cash or card at school reception. Our preference is payment online.

This promises to be an enjoyable day, and I sincerely hope that we can all enjoy this exciting experience.

Yours faithfully

Ms Johnson
Head of Year 7

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Permission Slip

Year 7 Trip to Butser Hill/ QE Country Park and Carousel activities – Wednesday 16 and Thursday 17 September 2026

- ☐ I give permission for my son/daughter..... (print name) to attend the above trip.
- ☐ I confirm I have made payment of £8, and I understand the terms as stated in the letter of 2 September 2026.

Free School Meal required? Yes No

I am happy for my child to walk home at the end of the day Yes No

Signed (Parent/Carer) Date

Contact number

Reply no later than 11 September 2026 (SJO)