

Dear Parent,

**Year 8 Curriculum Enrichment Day (C.E.D.)
Thursday 24th September 2009**

As part of the Curriculum Enrichment Day (C.E.D.) on Thursday September 24, Year 8 will be participating in a combined activity which will bring together Geography and Art.

In small groups pupils will be given a section of the local Ordnance Survey map and asked to represent the two dimensional features by producing an enlarged 3D art work of the area. Pupils will need to work well as a team and make decisions about the kinds of materials they will use.

To help this day run successfully we would ask that on Thursday 24 September your son or daughter brings a carrier bag of items that would normally be recycled or thrown away. We wish pupils to experience turning waste into art. The kinds of items which would be suitable include:

- Cardboard,
- Bubble wrap,
- Newspaper,
- Magazines,
- Kitchen roll /toilet roll tubes,
- Colourful wrapping,
- Plastic bottle tops,
- Plastic bottles,
- Plastic food containers,
- Silver foil,
- Cloth / material,
- Any clothing that would otherwise be thrown out or recycled,

We ask that if food or drinks containers are brought in, they are washed out first. Containers that have had raw meat or fish must not be brought in.

We intend to take photographs of the works of art and have as many on display as possible after the event.

I trust that your son or daughter will find the activity challenging but enjoyable, as they attempt to represent a part of the local area in art form.

Yours sincerely,

Mr R.D.Osborne.

(Head of Year 8 & Geography Department)

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