

## Geography News

### Autumn 2019

We have had, as always, another busy term and start to a new academic year in the geography department. In September, we saw Miss West join us as a geography teacher causing the department to have 3 *full-time* teachers for the first time – all thanks to our expanding school. All of us are teaching across the three key stages as well as working together more generally to ensure your daughter receives a high quality geography education that is relevant and interesting.



## Geography News (cont'd)



Additional to our travels abroad, fieldwork has taken place more locally with our A Level students in Hackney (*as they developed their cultural and social geography understanding*) and with Year 11 who spent a day in the Walton-on-the-Naze area honing their fieldwork and enquiry skills (*in readiness of their exams next year*).

Over the Christmas break, please encourage your daughter to keep an eye on what's going on around the world; whether it be related to national or global politics, environmental issues, natural disasters, or anything else – all will relate to geography in some shape or form!



Just before the October half-term, we set off with 41 students, Miss Keith and Mr Baines on our seventh 5 day visit to Iceland. A selection of photos are seen here but, needless to say, we had a truly fantastic time and experienced our best weather yet!



**Mr Saxton, Mrs Hawks & Miss West, Geography**