



St. Paul's School

MANIBUS POTENTIA STUDIUM ANIMIS

26th August 2014

Dear Parents,

**UPPER SIXTH IB GEOGRAPHY FIELD COURSE TO BOIÇUCANGA  
SUNDAY 2nd TO TUESDAY 4th NOVEMBER 2014**

As you will be aware Fieldwork is an integral part of the IB Geography syllabus and all pupils have to complete a 2,500 word coursework project as part of their assessment (representing 20% of their overall mark). We will be examining issues relating to tourism along the São Paulo state coastline on a three day fieldtrip that will run from Sunday 2nd to Tuesday 4th November 2014.

The group will be leaving school at **07:30** on Sunday 2nd November and will drive in a microbus to Boiçucanga, where we will be staying at the Pousada di Mari ([www.dimari.com.br](http://www.dimari.com.br)). The contact telephone numbers of the pousada are (11) 3021 6838 and (12) 3865 4711. We will carry out investigations into the effects of tourism on the physical and human environment at various locations along the Litoral Norte. The group will return to school at 17:00 on Tuesday 4th November 2014.

The accommodation will be in rooms for two or three people. The pupils will need to bring casual clothes and sensible footwear, a towel and normal toiletries (including sun screen and insect repellent). The pousada has a small pool that pupils will be able to use, though only when supervised by a member of staff. Pupils will need to bring pens and pencils for their data collection and to complete the evening write-up work. They can also do this evening write-up on their laptop computers, though they bring these at their own risk. Photographs will provide important visual data for the coursework, so a camera would be very useful. School is covering the cost of this trip, which includes all meals.

The trip is being organised through Chão Nosso and the group will be led by myself, Mr. Adam Norton (Head of Geography) and accompanied by a monitor from Chão Nosso.

Please note that an authenticated copy of your son or daughter's RG, RNE or Birth Certificate will be required as we will be entering the State of Rio de Janeiro. **For almost all of your children, we already hold these documents.** If we do not have these documents, I will let you know.

**MEDICAL INFORMATION:** It is vital that parents make sure the medical information we hold about your child is up-to-date and contains all the relevant information for going on this school journey. Parents can view the medical information we hold for their children on our confidential online database:

[parents.stpauls.br](http://parents.stpauls.br)

*If you have forgotten your username and password please email [cmk@stpauls.br](mailto:cmk@stpauls.br).*

I will be taking a School mobile phone with me and in case of an emergency you call it. The number is (11) 9 9618-2054.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Adam Norton', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Mr. Adam Norton  
Head of Geography  
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EXCURSÃO U6 IB GEOGRAPHY PARA BOIÇUCANGA  
DOMINGO DIA 2 À TERÇA-FEIRA DIA 4 DE NOVEMBRO DE 2014

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## CANHOTO DE PERMISSÃO

*CONSENT FORM (To be returned by Monday 20th October to Mr. Norton)*

**Autorizo meu filho(a) a participar da viagem acima. Estou ciente de que meu filho(a) participará da excursão e de que um membro da St. Paul's School poderá permitir que ele(a) receba tratamento médico. Concordo com esses termos. Confirmo que as informações médicas contidas no SchoolBase Online a respeito de meu filho estão corretas (parents.stpauls.br).**

*I give my permission for my son/daughter to take part in the above trip. I understand that whilst my son or daughter is taking part on this expedition, that any member of St. Paul's School staff may need to give permission for them to receive Medical Treatment, and agree to this. I can confirm that my child's medical information that the School holds on SchoolBase Online is accurate (parents.stpauls.br)*

Nome do aluno | *Pupil's name* \_\_\_\_\_

Assinatura | *Signed* \_\_\_\_\_

Data | *Date* \_\_\_\_\_

It must be emphasised that, as well as being an exciting experience for your son or daughter they will be representing St. Paul's School. It is imperative that the pupils understand the need to abide by instructions to ensure their own safety and the smooth running of this Field Course. Should pupils decide not to abide by these expectations then the possibility exists that they may be returned home at the parents' expense. We would be grateful if you could reinforce this message at home.

Pupil's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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