Suggestions for Following up a visit to The Seven Sisters

- Using survey sheets and key sample the soil in two areas within the school grounds

- Examine the porous properties of water. Measure how much water a piece of chalk will take up.

**Method**

1. Collect a number of pieces of chalk the size of the palm of your hand.
2. Dry them out completely.
3. Weigh the pieces of chalk
4. Place each piece in a beaker of water. As the chalk takes in water it will fizz and make a singing noise. Listen for this.
5. Remove the pieces of chalk and weigh them again to find out how much water they have taken up.

- Visit the local area to carry out a survey to find out how many buildings are made of local stone.