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Dear Parents/carers

## **Ski Trip 2025**

Following the success of our previous Ski Trips and how over subscribed they have been, we are proposing another trip to Schneebärenland, Austria during the Easter half term in April 2025. We will be leaving school on Friday 4 April and returning on Saturday 12 April 2025. **This trip is open to our current year 7, 8 & 9 students, however as you were reserves on the last ski trip you are getting first priority at a place on the trip.**

We will be skiing in Schneebärenland, which has excellent slopes for all abilities. The resort boasts an excellent snow record and also offers glacier skiing under the same lift pass, guaranteeing snow for our trip. The runs cater for skiers of all abilities, providing an ideal location for beginners and developing skiers with blue and red runs from the top of the mountain. This trip only caters for skiers and there will not be a snowboarding option.

The total cost of the trip will be **£1,260.00** and will include the following:

- All travel costs to and from resort
- 6 nights' full board accommodation in resort
- 5 hours of instruction per day (6 days)
- 6 days' equipment hire
- Full winter medical insurance
- 6-day lift pass
- Daily packed lunches eaten on the mountain
- Evening entertainment
- Personalised ski trip hoodie
- 2 Dry slope ski lessons

Extras to budget for include specialist sports clothing hire such as salopettes, ski jacket, gloves, goggles, meals for the journey out and spending money.

If you wish your son or daughter to participate in this trip, please complete [this form](#) by **Friday 24 November 2023**. **Please be aware that places will not be allocated on a first come first served basis, but we will select 42 students randomly after the deadline.** If your child doesn't get a place, a reserve list will be created and any places that become available will be filled randomly from that list. Opportunities often arise and there is a chance that your child may still be invited on the trip.

If your child is offered a place, we will contact you and ask for a **£100** (non-returnable) holding deposit by **Friday 15 December 2023**. On receipt of this, your child's place will be secured, and you will receive a payment schedule, broken down into relatively easy instalments.

PRINCIPAL: Ms C Cubbage BSc (Hons), Dip Ed, MBA, CMgr FCMi

SENIOR LEADERSHIP: Mrs K Kent BA (Hons) \* Mrs L Turvey LLB (Hons), MA \* Mr N Carroll BSc (Hons), PGCIIP \* Mr R Walker Bsc (Hons) \* Mrs J Coffin, ADSBM

## **ASPIRE**

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We would like to make it clear at this stage that attendance and behaviour will continue to be monitored and we reserve the right to remove your child from the trip.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T Davey', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Miss T Davey  
Teacher of PE

## **SUMMARY**

### **Saalbach-Hinterglemm**

- 6 days of skiing
- 5 hours of lessons per day
- All instruction, skis, boots, poles and helmets included
- 37 blue, 34 red and 11 black runs including famous world cup downhill pistes
- All après-ski included (pizza night, swimming, Austrian skittles, ice skating and a presentation evening including certificates)

### **Accommodation**

- Jugendhotel Puttererschloß, Schneebärenland, Austria
- 4 - 10 beds per room all with an en-suite
- Full board
- Packed lunches on the mountain (or a hot lunch if you ski near the hotel)
- Buffet style breakfast and dinner
- Sole occupancy of the hotel
- Games room including table tennis and table mini golf
- Snack Bar

### **Travel**

- Pick up on Friday 4 April 2025 by our executive coach, travel to Dover
- Dover to Calais ferry crossing
- Travel overnight to Austria
- Arrive Saturday 5 April 2025 in the afternoon
- The coach remains at our disposal all week
- Leave lunchtime, Friday 11 April 2025 from resort
- Arrive home Saturday 12 April 2025 in the afternoon