



STA/SPO
27 February 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

Ski Trip 2021 - Folgaria, Italy

We are proposing to organise a ski trip in February 2021 to the resort of Folgaria in Italy. We will be using Select School Travel, a very experienced educational trip provider, who we have used before. They are offering us an extensive and comprehensive package. The trip is offered to students who are currently in Years 7, 8 and 9 only.

The trip will depart Saturday 6/Sunday 7 February 2021 and return on Friday 12/Saturday 13 February 2021. (Exact departure and return dates to be confirmed). The cost of the trip will be £975 and the package will include:-

- UK airport and resort transfers
- Return flights
- 6 nights full board accommodation including hot lunches
- 5 x 4 hour ski lessons with supervised lunch
- Ski hire of helmets, boots, skis and poles
- 5 day lift pass
- Evening activities during the week
- Highly experienced resort staff available 24 hours a day
- Dedicated resort representative
- Snow guarantee (piste closure insurance)
- Fully comprehensive winter sports travel insurance
- 24 hour emergency contact number and medical assistance service

The following will also be provided within the total cost of the package:-

- A series of ski lessons at Swadlincote Dry Slope Ski Centre in the Autumn term
- A personalised hoodie for group travel days

Additionally, all students will require their own valid passport and a small amount of personal spending money.

If you wish your son or daughter to participate we would ask you to return the parental consent form by Monday 9 March 2020 latest.

Places are limited to 32 students. **If** we are able to offer your child a place we will notify you and would require an initial deposit of £120 to secure the place by 16 March 2020.



The trip will be available on ParentPay; it will not be possible to make the deposit payment via ParentPay until you have been notified that your son/daughter has a confirmed place.

Please note that all payments made to school are non-refundable and that any deposit commits you to full payment of a trip, even if your child is unable to participate. However, after completion of a trip, the school may consider an ex-gratia payment of up to the value of the trip where a student was unable to participate, provided that the school has suffered no financial loss. Any ex-gratia payment is at the discretion of the Regional Head of Finance and is not guaranteed.

The payments will be made as detailed in the payment plan below. The final payment will be required by 16 October 2020 at the absolute latest. Early payment is of course welcome. Should anyone have any questions or issues regarding payments, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Date	Amount
First Payment – Monday 16 March 2020	£120
Friday 17 April 2020	£120
Friday 15 May 2020	£125
Friday 19 June 2020	£125
Friday 17 July 2020	£120
Friday 14 August 2020	£120
Friday 18 September 2020	£120
Final Payment - Friday 16 October 2020	£125
	£975

We are looking forward to another highly memorable and enjoyable trip and hope that your son/daughter will be able to join us.

Yours sincerely

Mrs S Burns
Student Support Officer
Year 9

Miss S Taylor
Pastoral Community Safeguarding
Officer



Parental consent form – Ski Trip 2021 – Folgaria, Italy

Party Leaders	Mrs S Burns and Miss S Taylor
Departure date	Saturday 6/Sunday 7 February 2021 - TBC
Return date	Friday 12/Saturday 13 February 2021- TBC
Accommodation	Hotel Four Seasons or similar
Total cost	£975

Included in total cost of trip:-

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I give permission for my son/daughter to participate in the ski trip and agree to the full payment of £975 by Friday 16 October 2020 at the latest.

Name of student: _____

Year group: _____

Name of parent/carer: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____