



19 September 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Skiing visit to Bardonecchia Italy: Saturday 15 February to Saturday 22 February 2025

Your child has expressed an interest in participating in the Ski trip to Bardonecchia, Italy during February half term 2025. The visit will be offered to current Year 8 and 9 students (Year 9 and 10 at the time of the visit). There will be 50 student places available, accompanied by 5 teachers. The visit will give them the opportunity to learn an exciting new sport in a beautiful setting. Our hotel is the fantastic 3* Villaggio Olimpico with full-board catering for our groups. Only a short walk from the main lifts in Bardonecchia. The hotel hosted athletes during the Turin 2006 Winter Olympics and offers everything you need at your fingertips.

The area is very popular with school groups and offers a vast range of slopes, catering from complete beginners to the more experienced.

We will travel to a London airport by coach for our outbound flight to Italy. After staying at our ski resort for seven nights we will be transported back from the airport by coach to Soham.

The total cost of the trip will be **£1685** per student. This cost will include:

- Return executive coach travel from school to UK airport
- Outbound and return flights to and from Italy
- Overseas transfer to accommodation
- All local taxes
- Helmet hire
- Seven nights full board accommodation in ski resort
- Fully comprehensive travel/medical insurance
- Resort representative service throughout the duration of our stay
- Resort lift-pass for the duration of the trip
- 30 hours of ski lessons by fully qualified instructors (five hours per day)
- Hire of boots and skis for the duration of the trip
- A range of evening entertainment/excursions
- Ski breakage and piste closure insurance.

Not included in the price are, drinks other than water with meals plus hot & cold drinks at breakfast, additional snacks and money for any souvenirs the students may wish to purchase.



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Sample Itinerary

Day	Daytime	Evening
1) Saturday	Flight & travel to resort	Arrival late afternoon – evening meal and social time, collect ski equipment.
2) Sunday	Ski lessons	Quiz night
3) Monday	Ski lessons	Pizza night
4) Tuesday	Ski lessons	Swimming
5) Wednesday	Ski lessons	Ice skating
6) Thursday	Ski lessons	Disco
7) Friday	Ski lessons	Night skiing
8) Saturday	Travel to airport and flight home	Return to Soham

If your child would like to attend they will need to complete the electronic expression of interest form on this link: by <https://forms.office.com/e/NMFf2pDxCH> Thursday 26 September 2023. We will then send out letters of confirmation to the selected students with full details of how to pay. If invited to attend the payment schedule will be as follows:

£255 deposit by 31 October 2023

Payment Plan	
November 30	£110.00
December 31	£110.00
January 31	£110.00
February 29	£110.00
March 31	£110.00
April 30	£110.00
May 31	£110.00
June 30	£110.00
July 31	£110.00
August 31	£110.00
September 30	£110.00
October 31	£110.00
November 30	£110.00

Yours faithfully,



Mr A P Dreuitt
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