

**Ski Trip 2023, Year 7 and 8**

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December to Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2023**

Dear Parents,

We are proposing to take a **ski trip** away with Bedford Preparatory School at Christmas 2023. We will be skiing in the Zillertal area, in the Austrian Tirol. This area offers glacier skiing, as well as several extensive resorts along the valley. **The trip will be an all-inclusive price that will include;**

- Luxury executive coach travel throughout.
- Channel crossing via ferry.
- Full use of the coach within the resort to slopes and apres-ski activities and evening program.
- 5 full days' ski instruction, minimum 5 hours per day.
- Equipment hire of boots, skis, poles and helmet.
- Evening entertainment programme e.g., swimming, bowling, Tyrolean evening.
- Full board accommodation in the BachmayerHof Hotel, Uderns.
- Comprehensive COVID, travel and winter sports insurance.

The hotel is well appointed, with the boys sharing 3/4 bedded rooms with en-suite facilities, and a restaurant offering a range of traditional Austrian food. The Hotel is situated in the village of Uderns, in the Zillertal. The trip will depart on **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December at the end of school and will return on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2023. The trip is open to boys moving into Year 7 and 8 in September.**

Previous skiing ability is not required for the boys.

**Cost – £1390**

If you wish to secure a place on the trip please complete this [form](#) and pay the deposit via Wisepay. We will also require you to complete the Ski profile for your son which can be found [here](#). Please note that we are limited to 50 places for the trip and the deadline for deposits is the 26<sup>th</sup> May. If we have more than 50 deposits then all those in at that point will be placed into a hat and drawn at random, with any excess names also drawn, in order, for a waiting list.

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Our payment schedule will be as follows:

**Deposit - £150 per person by return of form.**

**First payment of £600 per person by 20<sup>th</sup> June 2023.**

**Second payment of £400 per person by 1<sup>st</sup> September 2023.**

**Final balance of £240 per person by 15<sup>th</sup> October 2023.**

Cancellation policy for the trip (days before the departure/percentage of the total cost):

More than 210 days	Deposit
Between 210 to 106 days	40%
Between 105 to 71 days	50%
Between 70 to 35 days	60%
Between 34 and 15 days	80%
14 days or less	100%

We feel the trip would offer a tremendous opportunity for the boys to experience an exciting sport in a challenging but safe learning environment. We understand it will be a major undertaking for the boys and I am more than willing to answer any questions you may have.

Please contact the school via my email if you have any questions.

Yours faithfully,

[Mr Paul Dennis](#)

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