Our Ref JP/EH/RMO/Ski Trip 2025

5th December 2023

Dear Parent/Carer



Austria Ski Trip 14th - 22nd February 2025

I am delighted to inform you of a ski trip to Austria in partnership with one of our Matrix Academy Trust Schools, Barr Beacon. This opportunity has become available as Barr Beacon School have spare place on their ski trip.

The trip will be departing on Friday 14th February 2025 and returning on Saturday 22nd February 2025. This trip will take place during the February half term holidays.

Austria is known to be one of the best locations for beginners with a vast number of beginner and advanced slopes to learn on with high quality ski instructors.

The total cost of the trip is £1500 and includes:

- Return coach and ferry trip
- 4 hours per day ski tuition with a fully qualified instructor
- All ski equipment and lift passes. Pupils will need to provide their own ski clothing
- 6 nights full board accommodation
- Evening entertainment with activities such as bowling, pizza night and an evening entertainment programme run by the PGL representative
- Fully comprehensive winter sports travel insurance

This trip is available to pupils currently in Years 7, 8, 9 and 10. Place allocation will be on a first come first served basis and there are 16 places in total. Pupils' behaviour and attendance records will also be taken into consideration. The trip is anticipated to be very popular. Places will be given on a first-come, first-serve basis, in relation to payments being made on Weduc. The final decision of place allocation will be made by Leadership.







If you would like your child to attend this trip, we require a non-refundable deposit of £300, to be made via WeDuc by Wednesday 20th December 2023. Please return the slip together with your WeDuc receipt, to Ms Hanson (Assistant Headteacher) by Wednesday 20th December 2023. We are aware that this is a fast turnaround but unfortunately this is set by PGL in order to ensure the running of the trip. The remaining payments will then be spread over 5 instalments.

If your child is in receipt of Free School Meals you will only be required to pay 50% of the overall cost. The other 50% will be funded by school. Pupils in receipt of Free School Meals must pay the full deposit on WeDuc to secure their space on the trip and Ms Hanson (Assistant Headteacher) will contact you.

You will be informed should your child be successful in securing a place on the trip. A parents' information evening will be held in February 2024 and a final information evening nearer to the departure date.

If you have any queries, please contact Ms Hanson (Assistant Headteacher) by calling 01902-558222 or emailing postbox@wednesfieldacademy.co.uk.

Yours faithfully

Mr Phillips **Headteacher**

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Permission Slip

Name	of Pupil:	Form:
	I give permission for my child to attend the ski trip to A	ustria in February 2025
	I have paid the non-refundable deposit of £300 via my the receipt is attached	Weduc account and
Paren	t/Carer's Signature:	Date:





