

10<sup>th</sup> January, 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

### **Ski/Snowboard Trip 2021**

We would like to book the next ski trip and give our students the opportunity of a life time to go again or try it for the first time. Ski trips are a great expense and we would like to give our students and families more time to save and pay for these trips so students can take advantage the wonderful opportunity. The next ski trip will be either Easter 2021 depending on numbers and deposits paid by February half term 2020 of £75. Any deposits paid will secure your child's place on the ski and snowboard trip.

We will be going to either Austria or Italy, depending on the best ski package deal and staying in a lovely three star hotel accommodation, with good facilities for students, including a games area, lounge and evening entertainment. Included in the price is travel to the ski resort and back by executive coach, hire of all ski equipment skis, ski boots, poles and ski helmet or snowboarding equipment (ski clothing is not included - ski jacket, salopets, gloves etc) 5/6 day ski pass, ski instruction and lessons, souvenir ski hoodie, dri ski session, ski pass deposite, ski awards, full board accomodation with 3 evening entertainments (bowling, swimming, quiz, pizza evening and ski awards)

The date of the Academy ski trip will be the first week of the Easter holidays 2021 and specific dates will be confirmed later, once the ski package deal is booked. There is an information evening on WEDNESDAY 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2020 at 5pm for students and parents.

The cost of the ski trip will in the region of £970, but will vary slightly based on final numbers and the ski package deal. Your child will have a wonderful and amazing week and I hope you agree that this is a wonderful opportunity. If you would like your child to be considered and would like to book a place on the trip as numbers are limited, please complete the reply slip, enclosing a deposit of £75 by February half term, returned as soon as possible in a sealed envelope clearly marked with you child's's name, tutor group , and 'Academy Ski Trip 2021'. Please make cheques payable to THE BOURNE ACADEMY.

**Ski deposits are non refundable** once a place has been allocated and this secures your son/daughter's place on the 2021 TBA Ski & Snowboard Trip. Monthly payments of about £70 over 14 months to help spread the cost, and a final payment due in by February half term 2021, before we depart - dates will be confirmed by a second letter next half term and a second payment of £75 due by the end of March 2020.

The deposit does not guarantee you a place. There are limited numbers so it is on a first come first served basis and students may be put on a waiting/reserve list. We are pleased if your child would like to come on the Academy ski trip, but we reserve the right to withdraw them from the trip if they choose to break any Academy rules.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support and for you allowing your child an opportunity of a lifetime!

Yours sincerely

*M. Child*

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**THE BOURNE ACADEMY SKI/SNOWBOARD TRIP 2021 reply slip**

Please return to **Mr M Child**, in the PE Office.

Name:

Tutor group:

I give consent for my son/daughter to attend the Academy **Ski/Snowboard trip 2021** and enclose a deposit of £75, and await further details.

I want to:                      SKI                       or                      SNOWBOARD

Please tick which activity you would prefer to do (there might be a snowboard supplement)

Student's skiing experience (*please circle*) None 1week 2weeks 3weeks 4weeks +

Student's boarding experience (*please circle*) None 1week 2weeks 3weeks 4weeks +

Parent/carer contact email address \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_