



June 2023

Ski Trip - Austria 2024

Dear parent/ Carer,

Following the success of past ski trips, a booking has been made with IBT Travel for Saturday 30th March – 6th April 2024 and will be open to current Campion School students in years 7 - 12. This is a fantastic opportunity for young people to either improve their skiing or, to be assessed for GCSE PE or experience it for the first time. We will again be staying in the resort of Salzburger Sportwelt, Austria.

The basic cost for skiing is £1180.

The trip will include:

- Transfer by coach, return Dover / Calais ferry crossing and all appropriate taxes
- 5 nights dinner, bed and breakfast in a hotel and **5 days hot lunch** on the mountain
- Hire of ski equipment including helmets
- **5 days of 5 hours instruction and 1 hour lunchtime supervision**
- Full comprehensive insurance cover.
- 5 day ski pass for all lifts at the resort
- Ski test and certificate
- Après Ski (evening entertainment package)

Not included are:

- Pocket money
- Ski clothing
- Price fluctuation due to civil or political change
- Meals en-route and drinks with meals other than breakfast

There are a limited number of places on this trip and these will be allocated on a first come, first served basis, once all online forms and the deposit of £300 is paid via parent pay. **Each pupil will need their own passport and EHIC/GHIC card** and to make their own arrangements to hire/buy ski clothing. It is the responsibility of the parent/carer to ensure all necessary VISA are in place where appropriate. We are able to support by providing the appropriate paper work but we are unable to apply for a VISA on your child's behalf. Details of EHIC/GHIC cards can be found at:

<https://www.nhs.uk/using-the-nhs/healthcare-abroad/apply-for-a-free-uk-global-health-insurance-card-ghic/>





Payment Schedule

Below is the payment schedule outlined by IBT travel. It is essential that these deadlines are met to not void the contract we have entered with IBT Travel.

Payment	Amount	Deadline
Deposit	£300	08/09/23
2 nd installment	£220	06/10/2023
3 rd instalment	£220	10/11/2023
4 th installment	£220	15/12/2023
Final installment	£220	05/01/2024

Cancellation Policy

The deposit of £300 is **non-refundable**, so, if your child decides that they don't wish to take part in the trip once the deposit is paid then you will lose your deposit. If you need to cancel having paid the second instalment then you **lose both the deposit plus the second instalment**. If, for whatever reason, you decide or need to cancel after the 2nd installment but **84 to 29 days prior**, you would lose **70%** of the whole amount off the trip. If you cancel between the **15 to 28 days prior** then you lose **85%** of the cost of the trip and finally if you cancel **14 days and under** prior to the date of departure, 30th March you will lose **100%** of the cost of the trip.

We reserve the right to withdraw students at any time prior to the ski trip, should their behaviour in school be deemed unacceptable as per the schools behavior policy and our behaviour contract, or if their attendance falls below an acceptable level. In this instance the cancellation policy will apply. Where a replacement can be found, the deposit will be forfeited.

How do I sign up for the trip?

If you wish for your child to take part in this trip please read the behaviour contract attached and complete the Google form by clicking the link at the bottom of the behavior contract. **To secure your child's place on the trip you must pay a non-refundable deposit of £300.00 is paid VIA ParentPay ONLY and complete the Google form before the 08th September 2023 in order to secure your Child's place.**

If you have an issue with ParentPay please contact Kellie Clayton on k.clayton@campion.northants.sch.uk

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact either myself or Mrs Harvey.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Brady– Ski trip leader

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Mrs Harvey – Deputy ski trip leader

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Behaviour Contract

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Ski Trip is a privilege that few students have the opportunity to experience. In the interest of health & safety and the enjoyment of all students on the trip, the team of staff will only take those students who show a positive attitude, have a good attendance at school and demonstrate characteristics that will serve to make it an enjoyable experience for everyone.

We will be implementing a behavior policy for all students allocated a place on the school ski trip. Below are examples of behaviors which will be monitored and could trigger being removed from the trip. Please note these are examples only, this list is not exhaustive.

- Poor attendance
- Aggressive towards others
- Bullying
- Repeated non-completion of work
- Excessive number of negative behaviour points
- Any internal or external exclusions
- Any isolations due to behaviour
- Rudeness towards members of staff

Any misbehaviour whilst we are away will be dealt with in accordance with school policy.

There is to be no use of drugs (including smoking/vaping) or alcohol and any posting on social media should be carefully considered. Students are NOT permitted in each other's rooms but must instead use the designated social areas within the hotel. In extreme circumstances we reserve the right to arrange transport home for your Child.

If your Child fails the behavior contract they will be removed from the trip and if a reserve is available they will take their place. In this scenario you would lose your deposit. If no reserve is available you would forgo any monies paid up to that point.

To access the reply form, please click the link below. A deposit of £300, payable via ParentPay is required prior to the 8th September 2023 to confirm your Child's place on the trip

Your Sincerely,

Mr Brady - Ski Trip Leader

Mrs Harvey - Deputy Ski Trip Leader

Trip reply form: <https://forms.gle/iPhFVRUqzXV4vBJ57>