

The Priory School

Educating Students for Success in Life

The Priory School Bedford Road Hitchin Hertfordshire SG5 2UR

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Dear Parent / Carer

Skiing Trip – February 2020 Half Term

Working in partnership with Rayburn Travel, The Priory School are very pleased to offer students a Skiing trip to Santa Caterina, Italy during February 2020 half term. We will leave on Saturday 15th February 2020 and return by Sunday 23rd February.

The trip is available for those students who will be in Year 10 and above at the time of the trip. Only students who are registered at The Priory School will be allowed on the trip, so students currently in Year 11 and Year 12 need to think carefully where they are going to be in September 2019.

If you believe your child would be interested, please complete the attached expression of interest form. We will need to ensure those selected have the correct attributes to meet the requirements of the trip and have the confidence of the school that they would maintain our high expectations. We will look at all aspects of their school career including behaviour, attendance (96% or above) and the ability to fulfil the physical requirements of the trip. The school reserves the right to remove any student from the trip prior to leaving if their behaviour deteriorates once they have been accepted.

The trip will be limited to 40 places and be allocated on the criteria stated above. If the number of students who meet the school criteria is above 40, then names will be randomly drawn out of a hat to establish who will go onto the reserve list. We will endeavour to ensure all interested students are able to go on the trip and will be pleased to discuss any issues you feel are covered under the 2010 Equalities Act.

A payment schedule will be set up between yourself and the school. The estimated cost for the trip is £899. This price includes travel, full board and meals, and ski instruction from the ski school at the resort. Unfortunately this does not include ski lessons prior to the trip, personal kit or any spending money students might want to take.

If your child is interested and would like more information, please complete the expression of interest form over the page and return it to Mr Findon by Monday 5th November 2018.

Yours faithfully

R Findon

Mr R. Findon

Mr R. Freeland

Head of Outdoor Education

Head of Key Stage 3

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Expression of Interest Form

We would like more information regarding the Skiing Trip planned for February 2020 Half Term.

| Name of Student: | Form: |
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| Name of Parent / Carer: | - |
| Signed: | Date: |