



HECKMONDWIKE
GRAMMAR SCHOOL

RGT/JDN

22 September 2023

Dear Parent / Carer

Following a request from parents we have been asked to consider organising a ski trip for this academic year. Whilst we understand that this is rather a late addition, we have managed to work with a great local company to put a package together. We also appreciate that the cost may be prohibitive for some families and there will be subsequent ski trips in 2025 that students can partake in. However, we wanted to find out if there would be any appetite to run a trip in the first week of the Easter break, going Friday 22nd March 2024, for years 7, 8, 9, 10 & 12 only.

The trip is likely to be to Folgarida, Northern Italy, which is high enough to guarantee(ish) skiing, and includes ski equipment hire (excl. clothing), half board, 6 days of skiing (4 hours per day), all evening entertainment and accommodation as well as return flights and travel to and from school. The cost will be approximately £1450. The trip will be open to all levels of skiers, and we will organise trips to indoor ski slopes in the run up to the trip (at an extra cost). We will also try to organise a payment scheme so parents can spread the cost of the trip.

If you would like to put your child's name down at this point, please can you follow the link below or use the QR code to access and complete the form. If we could ask you to complete this by 29 September - as you will appreciate if this trip can go ahead, we have a lot of organising to do. At this point we are wanting to find out if there is enough interest to run the trip. Once again, we appreciate that it is a short turnaround time.

<https://forms.office.com/e/hyH8Gfyier>

Yours sincerely,

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