

SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent(s)

RE: Ski Trip 2022, Reserve Lists Students who are able to travel

Further to my recent correspondence, I have now had a meeting with Dr Bevan in order to discuss the latest guidance we have received from SkiTeam4 in regards to our Ski Trip in February 2022.

SkiTeam4 have advised us that in order for students to access hotels, ski lifts and restaurants in Italy; they will need to have a 'super green pass'. **This is only available to those over 12 years of age who are double vaccinated** (14 days prior to travel).

As a result of this, I am now able to offer your son/daughter a place on this trip. Our records indicate that your son/daughter is able to attend this trip on merit of either:

- A. Already being double vaccinated
- B. Having the opportunity (based on the date of the first vaccination) to be double jabbed by 28th January 2022
- C. Is under 12 years of age, and thus exempt from vaccination requirements

Please can you complete the **both** MS Forms below to confirm that your son/daughter does wish to attend the Ski Trip and that they meet the required criteria. I request that this form be completed by no later than **3.30pm tomorrow, Thursday 20th January**. Apologies for the limited notice of this requirement and the urgency of completion; you will appreciate we are under considerable pressure to confirm final numbers as soon as possible.

The total cost of this trip is £985.00, as departure is imminent, we will require the full amount to be paid by **3.30pm on Wednesday 26th January**.

<https://forms.office.com/r/kGTbf6JSCF>

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When we know the exact numbers of those attending the trip, we will organise an information meeting for parents. We will then provide you with a step-by-step guide for what needs to be done before departure, during the trip and on return. **Please not, this will involve a pre-trip test, a test on return to the UK, a COVID vaccination letter (for 12 to 15 year-olds, easily available from the NHS) or the NHS app showing up-to-date vaccination status. Please also note that any costs incurred in these tests are your responsibility.**

With the ever-changing guidelines, this trip has not been an easy one to organise. Despite that, we are thrilled to be able to take this trip forward, albeit, sadly, with reduced numbers. I trust you are in agreement with us that this trip offers your son/daughter an exciting opportunity and experience, and hope that they do decide to join us.

If you have any queries or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,
Mr R Casey



