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Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are thrilled to share some exciting updates about the upcoming ski trip! With everything now coming together, we're looking forward to an unforgettable adventure in the snowy slopes of Bardonecchia. Below are a few key details to help you stay informed and prepared.

## Payment

A huge thank you to all the families for completing your payments. With the trip now fully paid, we are ready to finalise the finer details to ensure the experience is both smooth and enjoyable for everyone.

## Meet the Tour Operator - Halsbury Travel

We are pleased to announce that Joan Mence, a representative from Halsbury Travel, will be visiting the school on Thursday 24th October at 6pm. Joan will be giving a presentation that covers all the essential details about the trip, including transport, clothing and equipment, accommodation, safety, and the slopes—as well as some insights into Bardonecchia itself. There will also be a chance for you to ask any questions. While this meeting is optional, we strongly encourage all families to attend so that everyone is well-informed and ready for the adventure ahead! This meeting will take place in the school assembly hall.

## Staffing

We are delighted to welcome Mrs S. Ward from the Drama Department to our staff team for the trip. Her energy and enthusiasm will make her a fantastic addition to the group, and we are excited to have her on board.

We are pleased to confirm the final list of staff members who will be accompanying the students on this exciting ski trip:

- Mr D. Jack (Group Leader)
- Ms K. Cook
- Ms B. Shearer
- Mr G. Nicol
- Mrs S. Ward

Each member of our team is dedicated to ensuring a safe, fun, and memorable experience for all.

## EHIC Cards

Thank you to those who have already provided a copy of your child's EHIC card. At present, we have received around 30% of these. If you have not yet submitted a copy, please do so as soon as possible by handing it in to Mr Jack. These cards are important to ensure the safety and care of all participants while abroad. **Can I ask that all families hand in a copy of the EHIC cards to the school by Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November?** If you need any help applying please do not hesitate to get in touch.

## Final Pre-Trip Meeting

We will be holding one final meeting on **Wednesday 13th November at 6pm**, which will offer a last opportunity to ensure all paperwork is completed, room assignments are confirmed, and any remaining questions are addressed. We highly recommend that all families attend this meeting to ensure everyone is fully prepared for the trip.

We are counting down the days until we hit the slopes and can't wait to share this incredible experience with your children. If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to reach out. Don't forget to regularly check the webcams that can be found on the excursion website.

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/gc/skipss/>

Best regards,

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