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LMR/CJ/AMW

24 September 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

Ski Trip Update

We are now in a position to update you about the planned December 2020 Ski Trip to Bormio.

School has decided to defer this year's trip to December 2021. We wanted to give you as much notice as possible, hence the early decision. We are sure you can appreciate this has not been an easy decision, but think that we would all agree in the current uncertain climate of travel, that it is the right decision to ensure student/staff welfare and the security of your money.

What this means; all students still have a place and the deposits will be transferred over to next year's trip. We do appreciate that some students currently in Y11 may be looking at alternative provision for the 2021/2022 academic year and therefore will be unable to attend. We would appreciate you advising us of a change in circumstance as soon as possible in order for us to try and resolve this for you.

Please do not worry if you have only paid the initial deposit at this time, we will need the second deposit of £100 by 31 December 2020. Other than the deposit paid to the travel provider, any additional monies paid to date are secure with school. You will soon be able to pay school directly using ParentPay.

As we all adjust to the new routine, we will be in touch before the end of the autumn term to advise you of the final payment date and provisional departure/return dates. As myself and Mr James are not in a position to meet with the students as a group we would really appreciate you telling your child what the situation is in relation to the trip.

Unfortunately, at this time we can't tell you much more, but will keep you informed of any updates.

Kind Regards Miss L Ridgeway, Teacher i/c Mr C James, Teacher 2nd i/c

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