## BROOKFIELD'S SKI TRIP







# SANTA CATERINA, ITALY

15—21 DECEMBER 2023

## **OUTWARD/RETURN JOURNEY**

## Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2023

Meet Brookfield School 07:00
Depart Brookfield at 07:30
Depart Heathrow at 13:40 (Flight No BA0584)

Arrive Milan Malpensa at 16:45(local)
Arrive Santa Caterina at 21:00 local (approx)

We will ask all students to text home as soon as convenient.

Hotel Santa Caterina Via Fraita 9 23030 Santa Caterina Valfurva SO Italy

### **RETURN JOURNEY**

**Thursday 21st December 2023** 

Depart Santa Caterina on Thursday 12:00
Depart Milan Linate at 18:50 (local) (Flight No BA 0569)
Arrive Heathrow 19:45 (local)
Arrive back at school 23:45 21st Dec approx



## THE JOURNEY

#### **The Journey**

- → Travel will be by coach to Heathrow airport (approx. 4 hours) then BA Flight 0584 to Milan followed by another coach to the resort (approximately 4 hours).
- → You need to wear comfortable clothes for the journey, not tight jeans.
- → We recommend you wear your ski jacket as these can take up a lot of space and weight in your luggage.
- → Snacks for the coach and plane. Please note drinks will not be allowed through the security at the airport.
- → We advise you not to bring valuable items. We cannot be responsible for possessions if they are lost, stolen or damaged.
- → Headphones for listening to music.

You may need some English money (about £10 - £15) if you want to buy snacks on the plane, although many planes are now contactless.



## **LUGGAGE**

As we will be flying with Britsih Airways you will be allowed one cabin bag and one hold luggage which must meet the criteria below or extra charges will apply.

#### **Cabin bag allowance**

Small cabin bag per person on board— Maximum size 56 x 45 x 25cm.



#### **Liquids**

You can only carry liquids, aerosols and gels in containers of 100ml or less when you pass through security. They should all fit into one transparent, re-sealable 20cm x 20cm bag.

In total, each student can carry a maximum of 1,000ml through security. We would, however, recommend you put all toiletries in your hold luggage to save having to remove them at security. I would also recommend you tape the lids of your toiletries closed to avoid leakage. Make sure that any nail scissors or similar sharp items are carried in the hold luggage.

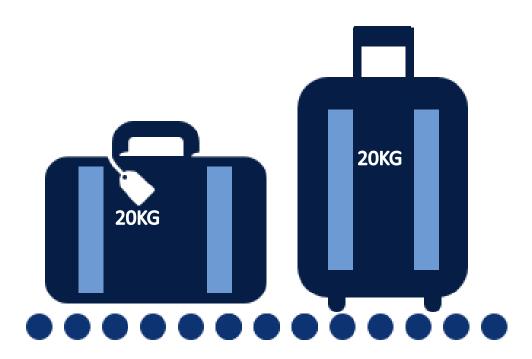
## **LUGGAGE**

#### **Hold luggage allowance**

Maximum size: 90cm x 75cm x 43cm

A standard hold bag is 20kg. The airlines are very strict about this and students will be charged if the luggage exceeds this weight limit. These charges can be quite high so it is advisable to weigh your bag beforehand.

It is advisable to attach a luggage tag to your hold luggage. These will be provided nearer the time.



## **CLOTHING & ESSENTIALS**

Please make sure you have appropriate ski-wear.

**No-one** will be allowed to ski unless they have appropriate clothing. The clothing must be warm and waterproof. Ski Helmets will be given out at the resort.

#### You need:

- Ski socks (3 pairs, at least)
- Salopettes
- Ski helmet is provided in resort
- Ski gloves
- Ski jacket
- Goggles/Glasses
- High protection sun cream, lip salve, after sun
- Layers are the best way to keep warm, polo necks, sweatshirts, thermal vests etc.
- The hotel will provide towels

#### **Après ski clothing**

Mainly casual warm clothing and footwear suitable for walking in snow.



## **INFORMATION**

#### **Money**



Your money will be kept in the hotel safe if given to Mr James. £50.00 (equivalent in Euros) will be more than enough money for the week.

## Do not take very expensive items with you. They are not insured!



## **Behaviour**

We expect a very high standard of behaviour during the whole trip.

#### **Medical /Diet information**

If there are any changes to the information given earlier please see Miss Ridgeway. If any medication needs to be taken on the trip you must complete a medical form and inform Miss Ridgeway.



## THE HOTEL AND RESORT

The hotel is of a good standard, normally reserved for adult parties, and is very close to the lifts. Bedrooms are likely to accommodate 2, 3, and 4 people sharing and all rooms have a private bathroom. Obviously friends will be able to share rooms **but not at the expense of isolating individuals**.

**No-one** will be allowed to go out without permission from a member of staff and certainly **never alone**, and **no-one** will be allowed into another student's room at any time. There are social areas for the students to meet with their friends. **No-one is allowed to use the lift.** 



#### **Information about Santa Caterina**

Santa Caterina is a small, traditional village sitting at the heart of the vast Stelvio National Park, Over the past fifty years it has grown modestly to offer all modern ski resort conveniences, but has retained much of its original charm. There is a 35km ski area including 2 blue slopes, 12 red and 2 black. These are serviced by 10 lifts including the 8-seater gondola connecting S. Caterina to Valle dell'Alpe and the four-seater Valle dell'Alpe chairlift.

## **USEFUL ITALIAN**

**Good morning Boun giorno Good evening Buona sera** Come sta? How are you? Bene, grazie, e Lei? Well, thank you, and you. Molto bene, grazie. Very well, thank you. Allow me; excuse me **Permesso Avanti** Forward, come in Please; don't mention it **Prego** non capisco I do not understand capisce? Do you understand? some bread del pane dell'acqua some water Che ora è? What time is it? How much is....? **Ouanto costa....?** dove? Where? Per favore, posso avere? May I have a ..... please? Si Yes No no **A little** un poco Grazie Thank you Mi scusi

Excuse me

## **USEFUL ITALIAN**

## **Numbers**

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3	tre	4	quattro
5	cinque	6	sei
7	sette	8	otto
9	nove	10	dieci
11	undici	12	dodici

hot,warm (hot tap-C, cold tap F) caldo cold freddo

Very expensive	molto caro
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Chips	fritte
Coffee	caffe
Milk	latte

Boots, skis, gli scarponi, gli ski,

The ski run la pista

My name is ...... Il mio nome è



## **IMPORT CONTACT NUMBERS**

#### **Important contact numbers**

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