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Austria Ski Trip 2022

Dear Parent / Carer,

We are writing to inform you that we are postponing the parents' information evening on Tuesday 7th December 2021.

We are unable to provide a clear update on the trip due to the changing restrictions both in the UK and abroad. This has meant that Ski Team 4 are not in a position to confirm arrangements for the trip. It would be irresponsible of us at this time to ask for parents, students and staff to meet (given increasing restrictions) when we are unable to provide a final update.

We have been informed by Ski Team 4 that there are several options for the Ski Trip 2022:

- The trip continues as scheduled if restrictions allow (this option may include additional testing, the cost of this is not included in the cost of the trip).
- The trip continues but to a different country where restrictions allow (Ski Team 4 have sought similar accommodation at resorts in the Italian or Spanish Pyrenees. Any changes regarding this would not be made without first communicating with parents).
- The trip is to be cancelled due to restrictions meaning we cannot travel and a full refund will be provided. A full refund also applies if the trip were to go ahead and your son/daughter was unable to attend due to testing positive and needing to isolate.

We are expecting further updates from Ski Team 4 on the 5th January 2022 and will communicate these with you as soon as we are able.

In the meantime, we continue to plan and risk assess for the trip going ahead. We have therefore attached a suggested [kit list](#) for students' who have not skied before to allow students and parents time to collect necessary kit. We have secured a 10% discount on orders over £25 with Ski Togs (<https://skitogshire.co.uk/>) who will deliver orders free of charge to the school. We would also like to reiterate that students who have not skied before would benefit from lessons in this country ahead of travel (The Ackers dry ski slope in Birmingham or Tamworth Snowdome are options) although this is not mandatory.

We apologise that we are unable to provide you with further detail at this stage but please be assured we are doing all we can to secure a safe and enjoyable trip for all.

Yours sincerely

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Trip Leader

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