



Tudor Grange Academy  
Dingle Lane  
Solihull  
West Midlands  
B91 3PD

April 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian

### MASTERCLASS YEAR 9 & 10 RUGBY/FOOTBALL/NETBALL SPORTS TOUR TO BARCELONA

Your child has expressed an interest in Sports Tour to Barcelona taking place in the first week of Easter Holidays 2020. This trip is open to current year 8 and 9 students and will take place in April 2020 when they are in year 9 or 10.

This is an exciting opportunity for our students to experience rugby, netball and both girls and boys football in the glorious Spanish sun. The tour will not only feature coaching by professional UK coaches, but also fixtures against a multitude of teams from both Spain and the UK. Alongside this, there will be a variety of excursions and opportunities to experience Spanish culture.

This is first and foremost a sports tour and our aim is for the students to develop their skills, knowledge and understanding of their main sport as well as enhancing their communication and teamwork. Sports tours are renowned for developing strong bonds between players and creating experiences and memories that they will cherish for a lifetime.

The total cost of this trip will be £850 per person. This includes all coaching sessions, fixtures, travel expenses, all meals whilst in Spain (excluding theme park meal), two personalised training tops and all other excursions. This represents excellent value for this jam-packed tour with the only extra expense being pocket money, which should be very little considering everything is catered for.

The main details of this trip:

- Dates: Depart Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April and return Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2020
- Travel: Flights from Birmingham International (TBC – this may change to a London airport)
- Accommodation: 3\* Hotel in Salou
- Food: Full Board
- Equipment: All specialist equipment provided. Two training/playing tops included in the price.
- Instruction: Fully qualified UK professional coaches to give structured and specialised sessions.
- Other excursions: PortAventura Theme Park and Nou Camp Stadium Tour

If you wish your child to be included on this trip please complete the attached slip and return it to **Mrs Danielle Chambers in Oak Admin Office**. Letters will not be accepted by any other member of staff. The opening date for handing in letters will be **Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April**, closing date is **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2019**.

We envisage this trip being very popular, and we will be awarding places on a first come, first served basis. We will also take your child's behaviour and conduct in school into consideration.



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If your child has been successful in gaining a place on the trip, they will receive a second letter requesting full consent and a non-refundable deposit of £150 that will need to be paid by April 30<sup>th</sup> 2019.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you require any further details.

Yours sincerely



Miss A Carter  
Head of Girls PE and GCSE PE Co-ordinator  
Tour Leader



Miss L Johnstone  
Teacher of PE  
Assistant Tour Leader

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April 5<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> 2020**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Year Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Tutor Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Sport Choice (please tick more than one if they apply to you):

Rugby

Netball

Girls Football

Boys Football

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return to Mrs Danielle Chambers in the Oak Admin Office (bottom floor of Oak)  
by Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

**No other members of staff will accept these reply slips so please ensure they go directly to Mrs Chambers.**