

# RIPLEY ST THOMAS

CHURCH OF ENGLAND ACADEMY

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Dear Parent / Carer

## **2022 Ski Trip to Zell am Zee, Austria: Friday 11<sup>th</sup> to Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2022** **\*Places Available\***

A small number of places have become available on our 2022 ski trip to Zell am Zee, Austria. This is a trip that was postponed from February 2021. These places are now being offered to pupils who are currently in years 7 to 12.

The Ripley school ski trip is a fantastic opportunity for pupils of all ski abilities, from beginner to expert. We stay in a traditional Austrian ski lodge, enjoy a range of evening activities and ski for 5 hours each day.

We use HTS Total Ski, an established company and this will be our ninth trip in association with them. They are ABTA and ATOL members. The cost of this trip includes:

- Return executive coach travel/ferries
- 5 nights full board accommodation: breakfast and evening meals at the hotel – hot lunch on the mountain
- 5 day lift pass
- 5 days hire of carver skis, boots and poles
- Ski lessons (5 days x 5 hours per day) from qualified English speaking instructors. Tuition will cater for all abilities. Includes a supervised lunch break.
- Fully comprehensive ski insurance including a snow guarantee and parental redundancy cover.
- In resort representation service. 24 hour emergency contact assistance.
- Two off site evening entertainment / après-ski activities
- On site evening activities organised by Ripley staff

Not included:

- Ski clothing, ski gloves, thermals etc.
- Ski helmets, which are **compulsory**.
- Passport (and EHIC if still applicable)
- Pocket money for the trip, including meals en route. We will advise the amount nearer the time although £100 was the advised amount on the previous trip.

**The inclusive price for this eight day trip is £1030.**

If your son / daughter wishes to find out more before applying for a place, Mr Greenacre, Mr Cameron and Miss K Montgomery (Science) are the staff members for them to seek out and chat to.

*Believe.....*

Principal Mrs C Walmsley  
Chair of Governors Mrs J Garnett

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The deadline for applications is Friday 14<sup>th</sup> May. Names will be drawn out of a hat should demand exceed the places on offer.

If a place is offered to your child, a deposit of £200 will be required by Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May in order to secure their place and the final balance of £1030 will need to be paid by 30<sup>th</sup> September 2021.

Yours sincerely

Mrs K Benter  
Assistant Principal

Please complete the return slip below and place in a sealed envelope, marked for the attention of Mrs K Benter, in the Blue Box by Learning Support by Friday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2021.

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**Please return to Mrs Benter via the Blue Box**

**Ski Trip 2022: Zell am Zee**

Pupil's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Tutor Group \_\_\_\_\_

I would like a place for my child on the 2022 Ripley Ski trip. I understand that the cost is £1030 and a deposit of £200 would be required by the 28<sup>th</sup> May 2022.

**DO NOT SEND MONEY WITH THIS REPLY SLIP.**

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_