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Dear Parents/Guardians

Bishop Wordsworth's Senior Skiing Trip: 8- 15 April 2017

I write to inform you that I have obtained an option for a ski holiday at Tignes, one of France's top resorts, for Easter 2017.

Details of Ski Holiday

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| <u>RESORT</u> | Tignes, France |
| Resort height: | 2100 m |
| Lift range: | 1800 m - 3450 m |
| Marked piste: | 300 km, which includes 19 easy, 95 medium and 11 difficult runs |
| Number of lifts: | 102 |

Tignes is one of the world's top ski areas – linked with the famous Val d'Isere to form the fabulous 'L'Espace Killy', offering superb skiing and snowboarding for all abilities. As one of Europe's highest resorts, Tignes boasts a fantastic snow record with guaranteed snow and a consistently long season which is hugely significant given the lateness of Easter next year. The vast ski area will be more appreciated by the intermediate and advanced skiers. For beginners, there are good nursery slopes and plenty of easy, wide-open terrain for quick progression. Snow-boarding is also available at this resort at an extra cost of **£40** to cover the specialized equipment and specific instructors.

The apartments are less than 50m from the nearest ski lifts and hence there is real door-step skiing. There is easy access to Val d'Isere and the underground funicular to the Grand-Mott glacier. The apartments are in the centre of the resort and there is a supermarket, shops and many restaurants and cafes. The resort also has a sports centre, cinema, swimming pool and bowling alley.

ACCOMMODATION Studios

The studios are for four people; they have private facilities (i.e. bathroom, WC, kitchenette with hot plates, oven/grill, fridge, dishwasher, etc) and are completely self-contained.

EATING ARRANGEMENTS

Boys will have both breakfast and dinner in a local, family run restaurant. Lunch will be provided by the restaurant and taken on the mountain. There are numerous fast food options and a Supermarket if the boys are still hungry.



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COST

The basic trip price will be **£1150**. This is based on **40** paying students. This includes the full Espace Killy area lift pass which allows the skiing of the adjoining Val d'Isere resort.

Included:

Return travel by air
Full Board Studio accommodation with en-suite and self-catering facilities
(Meals will be taken in a local restaurant)
Hire of ski equipment - boots, skis and poles
Helmet Hire
Six 4-hour ski lessons
Fully comprehensive insurance
A six day lift pass
Evening entertainment programme including bowling, 5-a-side football and swimming which is free to Espace Killy pass holders
One group meal at a local restaurant

Not included:

Pocket money
Hire/purchase of ski clothing
Helmet hire
Snowboard hire (£40 approx and a minimum of 8 required)

In order to secure the very competitive price at this top class ski resort, it will be necessary to confirm the booking with a **£250** per head deposit by **Monday 16 May 2016**.

PAYMENTS:

Please pay online via: www.scopay.com. If you need a link code please email amh@bws.wilts.sch.uk (link codes are only needed for online account set up)

If there are any problems or questions please do not hesitate to contact us by telephone at school.

Yours sincerely

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