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Headteacher – Mr A Reid, BSc (Hons), MA



Dear Parent/Guardian,

16 September 2025

Haygrove School Ski Trip – Cesana Torinese, Italy – March/April 2027

I am delighted to announce that Haygrove School is planning a school ski trip to Cesana, Italy, which will take place 27th March – 3rd April, 2027.

The week's skiing will be spent in **Cesana Torinese**, which is the central village within the Milky Way ski area. Cesana provides a good choice of slopes from which to progress during the week, whilst the traditional village offers a warm welcome to school groups with plenty to do off the slopes. The ski area has a high point of 2570m and has a good snow record, with the resort closing towards the end of April. We will be staying at the Hotel Solaris, which is close to the ski lifts and village centre. Each multi-bedded room is ensuite, with other social spaces for the students to enjoy.

Based on a minimum of 40 students the price is **£1,400** (including a non-refundable £200 deposit). Deposits will be refunded if the trip is cancelled due to insufficient uptake. Please note that the trip may run if there are fewer than 40 students, but an additional cost may be added by the travel company. Once we confirmed the trip will go ahead we will confirm the final balance. Students entitled to **FSM** may also be eligible for further support, dependent upon individual circumstances. Please contact finance or Mr Stott for further information.

Travel will be by coach from school to the resort. This will enable us to make the most of the surrounding villages and ski area. The cost of the trip will which will include the following:-

- Coach travel to and from the resort, including use of the coach in resort
- 6 nights full board accommodation, including packed lunches on the slopes
- 6-day lift pass
- 6 days of 5 hours fully qualified ski lessons
- 6 days hire of skis, boots, poles and helmet
- Evening entertainment programme (subject to availability)
- Full insurance cover, including snow guarantee, piste closure and ski breakage

Not included:

- Meals on outbound journey
- Spending money
- Ski clothing (a suggested kit list will be provided later, some items available through school)
- Visa for travel

Suggested Payment plan

1st deposit - £200 – Friday 3 October 2025 – Mandatory to secure place

1 st December 2025	£200	
1 st February 2026	£200	
1 st April 2026	£200	
1 st July 2026	£200	
1 st October 2026	£200	
12 th December 2026	£200	Full balance must be paid





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Criteria for booking

All students must have a valid passport and GHIC Card (search Global Health Insurance Card). Students will also need to apply for a ETIAS Travel Authorisation. This will be your responsibility to ensure this has been applied for, as this links to your child's passport. Cost is expected to be £20. As this is a new document, the applications aren't open yet. More information can be found at <https://travel-europe.europa.eu/etias>

All places on this visit are subject to good attendance and behaviour and the Head of Year has the right to withdraw a student from a visit if these criteria are not met. Emergency contact and medical information will be taken from information previously provided by you and held on the school's management information system. It is therefore essential that you notify the student services office if this has changed.

If you would like your son/daughter to participate, please sign and return the consent form below via your child to the Finance Office by Friday 3 October. **Payment can be made online via Scopay or by cash/cheque for this trip. If you sign up but do not complete payment your child's name will be removed from the trip.**

Yours sincerely

Mr T James.
Head of Year 7

Haygrove School: Ski Trip, Italy - 27th March 2027 – 3rd April 2027

Please return to the finance office by October 3 2025

Child's Name _____ Current Tutor Group _____

I wish my son/daughter to be allowed to take part in the above mentioned activity/visit and, having read the information sheet, agree to his/her taking part in any or all of the activities described. I understand that, while the establishment staff in charge of the party will take all reasonable care of the young people, they cannot necessarily be held responsible for any loss or damage suffered by my son/daughter during the activity/visit. All activities/visits are covered by public liability insurance and trips outside the County are usually covered by comprehensive travel insurance. Details of cover are available from the establishment on request. I have read, understood and agree to the Declaration and Explanatory Notes on the reverse of the attached letter.

We are unable to give refunds due to illness due to paying for activities and transport in advance.

If your child withdraws after we confirm the trip you will lose your deposit and will be liable for the full cost of the trip unless a replacement is found.

Signed _____ Parent/Guardian Date _____

Please print name _____ Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss

Dietary requirements: _____

Medical conditions: _____





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EXPLANATORY NOTES - This form serves several important functions.

It confirms your knowledge of and your agreement to your child's participation in the planned visit.

It advises you that the Haygrove School Academy Trust will NOT necessarily be legally liable for every type of loss suffered by a child whilst on a visit.

It contains information about your child together with your consent to medical treatment if required.

It gives the supervising staff immediate information on how to contact you in an emergency.

If this form is not returned your child will NOT be able to participate in the visit.

If you wish to discuss the contents, please contact our Educational Visit Coordinator, Mrs L Mills at Haygrove School.

Data Protection. Haygrove School Academy Trust, as the data controller, will fulfil its data protection obligations by treating all personal data, held manually and on computerised administrative systems, with due care and confidentiality. Personal data will only be disclosed in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998, and the purposes registered by Haygrove School Academy Trust. Data collected is used for registration and monitoring purposes, and emergency contact information.

Declaration

Having read the information sheet, I agree to my child taking part.

I understand that all reasonable care will be taken of my child during the visit/activity and that he/she will be under an obligation to obey all directions and instructions given and observe all rules and regulations governing the visit/activity.

I understand that if my child seriously misbehaves or is a cause of danger to him/herself or to others, then he/she may be sent home early from the visit/activity. In such a situation, there will be no obligation on the school/establishment to refund any money.

I agree to my son/daughter receiving medication as I have instructed in this form and any emergency dental, medical or surgical treatment, including anaesthetic or blood transfusion, as considered necessary by the medical authorities present. I understand the extent and limitations of the insurance cover provided.

Eligibility for Free School Meals

Parents/carers who receive any of the following are entitled to free school meals:

Income Support (IS)

Employment Support Allowance (Income Related)

Income-based Job Seekers Allowance (IBJA)

Guaranteed Element of State Pension Credit.

Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999

Child Tax Credit without Working Tax Credit with an annual taxable income (as assessed by HMR&C) of less than £16,190

If you have recently become unemployed but are still receiving working Tax credits, you may be entitled to free school meals. please call Somerset County Council on 0845 345 9122 for advice. A full leaflet and application form are available from Somerset County Council: www.somerset.gov.uk and search on "claim free school meals"

