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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Following six successful trips we are offering the opportunity for your daughter/son to take part in our Y9-13 Ski Trip Easter 2016 to Les Arcs, France. The trip will give your daughter/son the chance to learn/develop a new skill as well as use their language skills learned at school to communicate *en Français*. The information below can be viewed in detail at www.halsbury.com

If you would like your daughter/son to take part, please complete the attached form and return with a cheque, made payable to "The Maelor School" for £75 by **Wed 20th May** (this will form part of your non-refundable deposit, £375 in total). Future payments will need to be made at regular intervals prior to departure (£150 by 3rd Wed of each month, Jun, Jul, Sep, Oct, Nov & a final payment of £55/£70 in Dec).

Our trip at £880 is based on taking 40 students. If numbers fall below this level then the price increases to £895.

If by Wed 20th May 2015 demand exceeds supply, places will be allocated firstly to pupils in Y12/13 (academic year 2015/2016), then through a ballot for pupils in Y10/11 (academic year 2015/2016). Any remaining places will be balloted for pupils in Y9 (academic year 2015/2016). Payments will be returned for any students not accepted on to the trip.

Pupils will only be accepted onto this trip if they have a good behavioural record at school and continue to have in the run up to the trip. Pupils will forfeit their place (and their deposit) if we consider their behaviour in school to be unacceptable.

Deposits received after May 20th 2015 will only be accepted if places are available.

Departure Date:	Saturday 26 th Mar 2016
Return Date:	Saturday 2 nd Apr 2016

Ski Resort:	Les Arcs, France
Accommodation:	UCPA
Price of fully inclusive tour:	<u>£880-£895</u>



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TOUR PRICE INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING:

- Return executive coach transport from school including cross channel ferry (Dover-Calais)
- Full Medical and Travel Insurance Cover (No medical excess)- Exclusions may apply
- 5 nights full board accommodation based on multi-bedded rooms (4 per room)
- 5 day hire of skis, boots, helmets and poles
- 23 hours ski tuition
- Evening activities
- Tour hooded top
- 5 day lift pass
- Resort representative service
- Approved Safety Management System
- Ski Breakage Insurance
- Piste Closure Insurance



EXTRAS WHICH NEED TO BE BUDGETED FOR

- Spending money in Euros and £ for outward & homeward journeys.
- €10 refundable deposit for room key & lift pass per person

Students will need to have their own ski jacket, salopettes, gloves, socks and goggles.

Halsbury Travel, proud member of the [School Travel Forum](http://www.schooltravelforum.com). www.schooltravelforum.com

The School Travel Forum is a group of leading school tour operators that promote good practice and safety in school travel.

All full members of the STF adhere to a rigorous Code of Practice and Safety Management Standards that are externally verified each year by Argent, the UK's leading Health and Safety Consultancy specialising in Travel.

The Directors of Halsbury Travel regard safety as of paramount importance. They believe it must take precedence over all other objectives, which is why they have assumed responsibility for the development and implementation of the [Safety Management System](#) to ensure that all reasonable measures are taken so that clients are assured of a high level of safety throughout all of their tour programmes. Further details can be found at www.halsbury.com

Halsbury Travel are committed to:

Facilitate and promote a positive health and safety culture.

Assessing the risks associated with activities and to introduce and maintain appropriate control measures.

Provide safe transport and accommodation by using competent providers, compliant with local, national and/or international health and safety standards.

Provide adequate financial and human resources to implement policy.

Ensuring all staff are competent to apply the SMS.

Establish and maintain effective systems of communication with clients.

Regularly review and, as appropriate, up-date the SMS.

The application of the SMS and the monitoring and improvement of safety standards is the responsibility of all Halsbury Travel staff who are committed to strive to meet the objectives of this policy.

Details of the insurance policy used can be found at http://www.halsbury.com/pdf/2014_Winter.pdf

Please contact either Miss Bainbridge or Mr Williams at school if you have any questions.

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Yours sincerely,

Miss H Bainbridge & Mr D Williams



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The Maelor School Ski Trip Easter 2016



Please hand this form and payment to Miss Bainbridge or Mr Williams no later than May 20th 2015.

I would like my daughter/son to take part in the ski trip in Easter 2016. I understand the selection criteria should the trip be oversubscribed. I enclose cash or a cheque for £75 (payable to the Maelor School), and understand that this will form part of a non-refundable deposit. I also commit to making regular payments towards the cost, prior to departure.

Name (EXACTLY as appears on passport):	DOB:	Form:
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Height:	cm	Weight:	kg	UK Shoe size:
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Helmet size:	55cm Small []	56-57cm Medium []	58cm Large []	Own []
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Ski ability:

- Level A [] Total Beginner (0 weeks)
- Level B [] Able to complete controlled snow plough turn (1 week)
- Level C [] Can ski intermediate slopes (2-4 weeks)
- Level D [] Able to complete controlled parallel turns (5-8 weeks)
- Level E [] An experienced parallel skier (9 weeks+)

Medical info:

Dietary Requirements:

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In addition to returning this form, please ensure **you have included:**

- ✓ **Passport photocopy (needs to be valid until Oct 2016)**
- ✓ **EHIC photocopy (needs to be in date for the trip)**

If you need to apply for a new Passport or EHIC please do so in plenty of time and let us have a copy of your current passport/EHIC. You can renew passports before they expire and the remaining time is added to the new passport.

Please supply a contact email(s) as further information will sent out in due course.

Email address(es):.....
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Signed:.....

Name:.....

Date:.....



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