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Dear Parent/Carer,

I thought that I would take this opportunity to write and update you on our trip to Andorra $18^{th} - 25^{th}$ February 2023.

As I am writing to you, it means that you were successful in gaining a place for your child on the trip. There will be 42 of us on the trip which is a great number to take. Four adults who are all teachers and competent skiers will be accompanying the trip. It promises to be the trip of a lifetime – I know I am excited already!

A reminder of the following things that you should have in mind in order to ensure a smooth running of events from this point. The payment schedule has been set as follows-

- a second instalment of £250 by 05/07/2022;
- a third instalment of £250 by 30/08/2022;
- a final instalment of £250 by 06/12/2022.

I have passed on our non-refundable deposits to Rayburn Travel and sticking to these dates will allow us to meet our commitments to the booking.

To pay please follow the same procedures on Parent Pay. Please let me know if there are any problems and I will endeavour to solve them.

At this moment in time, to be able to take part in the trip students will either have to have had their full vaccination cycle to protect against COVID-19 or be able to produce a negative PCR test (parents will be required to organise this and give us the necessary paperwork on departure). Please be advised that as we found last year – this advice may change and we will keep you informed of what is required when necessary.

Pupils will have to have their own passport to travel. Please can you get on the front foot with this by checking that the expiry date on your child's passport is at least six months after the date of travel or start to apply for a passport if your child does not possess one?

I will write to you in September / October with a date for our parents evening which is always a worthwhile and exciting rite of passage in our preparations.

Yours sincerely,

Mr L.S. Parry Trip Leader