Dear Parent / Carer

SKI TRIP 2026

Expression of Interest- Please complete and return by Tuesday 6th May

I am pleased to inform you that The Gainsborough Academy will once again be planning on running a ski trip in 2026.

Pupils from previous trips strongly recommend this exciting adventure. They frequently comment on the excellent facilities, equipment and après ski activities. Staff comment upon the wonderful team and life skills the pupils develop whilst being immersed in a different cultural environment.

The ski trip is provisionally book to depart on 2nd April 2026. The inclusive price will be £1,350, which includes transport, ski equipment, 5 hours lessons per day, full board accommodation, ski insurance and evening activities.

Everyone is invited to express their interest in the trip. However, pupil participation will depend on their level of attendance, punctuality, good behaviour during their time at school and the final decision about pupils who are allowed to take part will be taken by staff running the visit.

Once we have received expressions of interest, <u>we will write to you regarding a deposit to secure a place</u> on the trip. The deposit system will work slightly differently to previous years.

The first deposit will be £150 and is non-refundable. This will be due to be paid by Monday 12th May 2025.

We will then request a second, non-refundable, deposit of £200 by Monday 23rd June 2025.

We are moving quickly to get bookings for this ski trip, to ensure that parents/carers have the maximum amount of time to pay for the trip. The final balance will be due in mid January 2026.

Should you require further information with regard to this trip then please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO MR MILLS IN THE PE OFFICE My son/daughter has expressed an interest to be part of the ski trip planned for 2026. Name of student ______ Current Year Group______ Parent/Carer_____ Signature_____ Date

I understand that final child places on the trip will be determined by attendance, punctuality and behaviour within the Academy.