



20th January 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: Ski Trip 2027

We are now in the process of planning a ski trip to Kaprun, Austria, which will be on offer to students currently in Years 8, 9 and 12.

The trip will take place on the following dates:

12th February 2027 - 19th February 2027.

There are enormous benefits to be had from outdoor education, residential courses and adventurous activity, and the experience of participating in a ski trip is highly recommended for many reasons including:

- The opportunity to enjoy a healthy, outdoor physical activity in a new environment
- The chance to succeed in a new challenge through learning a new skill
- Helping to build self-awareness, self-confidence and a sense of achievement
- Improving and forming relationships within the school group.

This trip is intended to be fully inclusive and it caters for all abilities from beginner to advanced. This is a fantastic opportunity for your child to engage with their classmates in an unfamiliar setting, discover new places and ideas and most importantly further develop their own skiing skills.

Included in the cost of the trip: Return travel by coach, 5 days' skiing in the resort (including lift pass, ski, boot, helmet and pole hire), full board accommodation, insurance, daily ski tuition (5 hours) in the ratio 1:12 as well as a range of evening entertainment.

This is a great opportunity with a packed itinerary. The cost of the trip is £1678 per student (the cost is projected and may change depending on the amount of pupils taking part). This trip has limited places and places will be offered on a first come first served basis. Please could you register your interest by Friday 30th January via email to admin@henleybankhighschool.co.uk stating the name of the child.

Please note: This does not necessarily confirm your child's place. Students will be put on a list and then a follow up letter will be sent out asking for deposits.

A reminder, passports will be required with an expiry date of at least 3 months after the trip, and any relevant visas if not UK/EU nationals.

Yours sincerely,

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