

THE NORTON KNATCHBULL SCHOOL

An International School with Language and Science Specialisms



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Dear Parents/Carers

A visit to:	St Anton
Students Invited to Participate:	Year 11 and Sixth form trip
Date:	Friday 5th April 2019 – Saturday 13th April 2019
Departure Time:	TBA
Approximate Return Time:	TBA
Mode of Transport:	Coach/Ferry
Cost:	£960
Reply & Payment Date:	11th October 2018

The above visit is being organised by Mrs J Pyatt. This is an enrichment residential trip to celebrate the hard work and dedication to GCSE and A-Level studies.

Austria - Hotel Sonne, skiing St Anton is a very popular hotel. The hotel has a restaurant and recreation room with table tennis and darts and pool table. It also has a bowling alley which we can use during the stay and sauna/steam bath facilities. We will enjoy a generous buffet breakfast and evening meal in the hotel. The hotel will provide packed lunches for us to have on the slopes. The hotel is located 300m from the centre of Landeck, which offers cafes, restaurants, a castle and museum. With excellent access to the motorway, daily coach transfer up to St Anton (26km by motorway). The world famous skiing of St Anton am Arlberg offers a huge range of terrain for beginners to expert skiers and is one of the largest interconnected ski areas in Austria.

The cost of £960 includes:

Transport

- Coach transport from your school to resort and use of coach in resort.
- Return ferry transfers from Dover to Calais.

Accommodation

- 6 nights full board accommodation.
- Accommodation is based on multi-bedded rooms for students with twin or triple rooms for accompanying staff.

Skiing

- 6 day hire of skis, boots, poles and helmets.
- 6 day local lift pass.
- 6 x 4 hours ski tuition plus 1 hour accompanied lunch break - based on 1 instructor per 12 students.

Evening Activities

- 3 evening activities: Bowling, Pizza night and Ice skating.

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In accordance with the School's Charging Policy, parents/carers are invited to make a voluntary contribution (details above) towards the cost of the trip. This includes the cost of travel, and all costs incurred above. Payment can be made online via the School's Internet Payment system which is available from:

<http://www.scopay.com/nks>

If you would like to make an online payment, but have not yet been provided with login details, please contact a member of the School's Finance Team.

Alternatively payment can be made by cheque or cash. Cheques should be made payable to 'The Norton Knatchbull School' and your son/daughter's name and form, together with details of the trip should be written on the reverse. All reply slips and cash/cheque contributions should be returned in a sealed envelope to Student Reception. Envelopes containing cheques can be deposited in the drop box, however, cash payments must be made in person by your son/daughter to the Student Receptionist. No responsibility can be taken for envelopes lost because they are not handed over at the earliest opportunity. Please be advised that if there is insufficient interest in the trip, the trip will not run and a refund will be given. Should the trip have to be cancelled for reasons beyond the school's control, including industrial action by outside agencies or adverse weather conditions, refunds will only be made in so far as the School can claim reimbursement. Should your son/daughter withdraw voluntarily from the trip, and the school has incurred prior costs, monies already paid will not be refunded.

Payment Schedule

Payment	Amount	Date
Deposit	£200	11 th October 2018
First Payment	£200	2 nd November 2018
Second Payment	£200	10 th December 2018
Third Payment	£200	4 th January 2019
Final Payment	£160	7 th February 2019

In the unlikely event of an emergency arising during the trip, a Duty Manager mobile number will be issued prior to the trip departing.

Yours sincerely



Mrs J Pyatt
Subject Leader, Business Studies and Economics