



# Tavistock COLLEGE

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## SNOWSPORT TRIP 2018

Tavistock College will be running a snowsport trip during the 2018 February half term. The trip will be in the beautiful ski resort of Artesina, in the Italian Alps.

The price is £975 and includes return travel by coach, 6 nights f/b accommodation, 6 days lift pass, 6 x 5 hours per day of ski/board lessons, 6 day ski/board and boot hire, 2x extra après ski activities, hoodie.

If you wish your son/daughter to be considered for a place, please complete and return the slip below with a **non-refundable deposit of £100\*** (\*only refundable if your son/daughter is not successful in securing a place).

Please make cheques payable to DCC with your son/daughter's name, tutor group and trip on the reverse. Please return the payment to the money collection point, located in the concourse, between the times of 8:30am to 9:00am, no later than **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017**. Should we reach the required number before the dead-line your son/daughter can choose to be put on a waiting list.

Places for this trip are limited to 44 and whilst we will initially work on a first come first served basis, we need to take into consideration the chosen activity and the ability level. This criteria is very important, therefore you will need to **return the "Boarding or Skiing" form accurately filled in**. If your son/daughter has got no preferences you can mark the chosen activity in order of preference.

Students' conduct and behaviour around the College will also be taken into consideration when selecting places. The College reserves the right to withdraw a place if, at a later date, their behaviour is considered to be unacceptable. This will be at the discretion of trip leader and head of year.

Please be aware that College policy dictates that students need to be on roll at Tavistock College or part of the Multi-Academy Trust, at the time of the trip taking place.

Further details regarding future payments schedule will be forwarded to you as soon as your son/daughter's place on the trip has been confirmed. Please note that students who fail to comply with the instalment dates will risk forfeiting their place on the trip.

Should you have any further queries regarding this trip please do not hesitate to contact me at the College on ext. 269 or by email [u.bergonzini@tavistockcollege.org](mailto:u.bergonzini@tavistockcollege.org)

Yours sincerely

Umberto Bergonzini



I would like \_\_\_\_\_ Tutor Group: \_\_\_\_\_

to be considered for a place on the 2018 Snowsport trip. **I enclose a £100 non-refundable deposit\***.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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## SNOWSPORT TRIP – BOARDING/SKIING FORM

Please indicate below which activity you would like to sign up to and the level of ability by ticking the relevant box/boxes.

This criteria is very important, therefore you will need to return the “Boarding or Skiing” form, along with your deposit, accurately filled in. If you have no preferences you can mark the chosen activity in order of preference, by simply placing 1 or 2 underneath the activity name.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Tutor Group: \_\_\_\_\_

(Please print)

Activity		Level:	
Skiing	<input type="checkbox"/>	Beginner	<input type="checkbox"/>
Boarding	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lower Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Upper Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Determining your Ski/Snowboard Level

#### ABSOLUTE BEGINNER - 0 WEEK PRACTICE

You discover skiing/snowboarding for the very first time or you don't feel confident enough yet to ski/snowboard on your own. Please consider a few hours practice on dry slopes to 0 week practice as experience on a different gliding surface will surprise the beginners.

#### LOWER INTERMEDIATE - < 3 WEEKS PRACTICE

You can go down green slopes with confidence and even certain blue/red ones. You begin to master your speed and control your skis/board.

#### INTERMEDIATE - 3 - 5 WEEKS PRACTICE

You master your speed and control your skis/board on blue slopes. You can go down red slopes when they are even but have more difficulty when there are moguls.

#### UPPER INTERMEDIATE - 5 - 10 WEEKS PRACTICE

You can ski or snowboard confidently on any kind of slope of the ski area, even if you feel a bit less at ease on difficult slopes (moguls, ice, powder snow...)

#### ADVANCED - > 10 WEEKS PRACTICE

Your experience allows you to adapt your technique to all situations: steep slopes, moguls, different kinds of snow, off-piste etc. You can link carving turns and big turns on any kind of terrain.

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