

"A learning community in pursuit of excellence"

10<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Dear Parents/guardians,

LSA High School are planning a visit to Zell Am See, Austria in the summer of 2024. Departing from LSA High School on **Friday 19th July 2024 – returning on Saturday 27th July 2024.** We would very much like to offer your child this fantastic opportunity to see Austria in summer and experience the amazing water and land activities on offer.

This will include six nights in Junges Hotel, Zell Am See, Austria. High quality, luxury Coach from school to Austria and return. Ferry crossing from Dover. All food and drink at mealtimes. All equipment needed for all activities. Evening entertainment and insurance.

Not included – spending money, meal enroute and personal clothing

- Activities include (TBC)
- Unlimited use of the Schmitten and Kitzsteinhorn cable cars.
- Public lakeside outdoor bathing areas and indoor swimming pools in Zell am See daily.
- Canoeing.
- Kayaking.
- Stand up paddle boarding.
- White Water Rafting on the Salzach River.
- Guided Biking around the lake and region.
- Gorge walk.
- Visit to the Glacier at Kaprun including Gondola and Europe's highest Cable Car.
- Narrow gauge railway visit to Krimmel falls, spectacular waterfalls.
- Kaprun to use Rodelbahn (metal tracked toboggan).
- schmittenhöhe nature walk.
- Night entertainment, lake walk, disco, quiz, karaoke, group games etc.

A non-fundable deposit of £150 (minus admin and insurance fee of £40) will secure your son or daughter a place. Payments are as follows:

Deposit July 2023	£150
25th August 2023	£300
25th November 2023	£300
23rd February 2024	£300
25th May 2024	£275
Total	£1325

Cancellation charges will apply as follows:

- £350 in total up to November 2023
- £900 in total up to February 2023
- £1100 in total up to March 2024

All students will be expected to have a good level of fitness. This is a physically demanding visit and we wish for your child to be fit enough to enjoy and deal with the physical demands of what is a challenging week.

All students must have a valid UK passport with six months validity remaining after the end of the visit. If a non-UK passport is held then it is your responsibility to ensure that a valid visa is in place if required. Countries to be visited whilst in transit may include UK, Austria, Germany, Belgium, Luxembourg, and France. Whilst a group insurance policy will be in place, it is strongly advised that all participants also carry a GHIC Health Card. Available on the GOV website.

Students' behaviour and conduct throughout the school year will be taken into consideration and may result in them being removed from the visit with the possibility of no refund given. The final decision on this will be at the discretion of the head teacher.

If you wish your child to participate in Summer Austria visit 2024, please complete the permission slip and return to Ms Pumphrey

Yours sincerely,

Ms Pumphrey Visit Leader

## **To Ms Pumphrey**

## Austria Summer 2024

I wish for my child to participate in the Summer activities visit to Austria on **Friday 19th July 2024** – **returning on Saturday 27th July 2024** and confirm that I will pay the deposit of £150 through Parentpay once I have received confirmation of my child's place on the visit.

Student Name:	 Form:
Parent/Guardian signature: _	 Date:

Please note once your child has secured a place on the visit all payments will be made via the school parent pay system. LSA High school will not expect cheque or cash payments.