

Dear Parents,

I am delighted to be able to offer Y8 boys the opportunity to join our four day Spanish trip to the Costa Brava in February half term 2020. We are able to take 30 boys and priority for places on this trip will be given to the Y8 boys who have opted to study Spanish this year. I recognise that boys who are going on the South Africa cricket tour will be unable to join us, but having been on that tour a couple of years ago I know they will have an amazing time and in a busy school like ours, clashes are sometimes unavoidable!

We shall leave school early on the morning of Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> February and fly to Barcelona airport, returning late on the evening of Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> February. The trip includes:

- Minibus transport from the Prep School to Luton airport
- Return flights to Barcelona (with cabin baggage only)
- 3 nights' full board accommodation at the 4\* Platja Park Hotel in Platja d'Aro
- A full day visit to Barcelona, including a tour of the Nou Camp football stadium and museum, entrance to the Sagrada Familia, and a walking tour of Las Ramblas
- Spending an afternoon in a Spanish school, with the opportunity to speak Spanish to the pupils there
- A Spanish language shopping task
- A Spanish cookery lesson
- A football fixture against a local Spanish club
- Evening activities including bowling and mini-golf

The price of the trip is **£675** and can be paid in 3 instalments:

£175 deposit due by September 20<sup>th</sup>

£150 second payment due by November 8<sup>th</sup>

£350 final payment due by December 10<sup>th</sup>

The only additional cost would be money for brunch at the airport on the first day and pocket money for drinks, snacks and souvenirs throughout the trip.

If you would like your son to participate in the trip, please complete this [form](#) and pay the initial deposit on [wisepay](#) by 20<sup>th</sup> September.

Please note that this initial deposit is non-refundable once we have transferred the payment to the tour operator, unless we can subsequently fill your son's place.

If your son joins the trip, further documentation and an itinerary will follow in due course. Should you require any further information at this stage, please do not hesitate to contact me at the school.

Yours faithfully

Mrs. K. Faulkner

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Spanish Trip Organiser