



Coopers School



An IB World School

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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Water Sports Tour to Spain : Activities Week 1-5 July 2019

We are delighted to offer your child an opportunity to participate in the above tour. This will be a fabulous experience for the children offering exciting opportunities for team building and a chance to immerse themselves in the local culture.

We have organised a packed itinerary, which you can find attached, with plenty of extra activities to keep everyone occupied!

The trip will also include:

- Return coach travel from school to the airport
- Return flights from UK airport
- Resort transfers
- 4 nights full board accommodation in Caleta Palace Hotel
- Multi lingual activ4 representative on arrival, watersports sessions and excursion
- 4 X 2 hour Watersports Session
- Day in Barcelona and tourist taxi
- Pizza Night

The tour has been organised by *activ4* School Tour Specialists (www.activ4.com) a fully bonded tour operator.

The total cost of the tour will £870 per person and will be spread over five payments:

- An initial (non-refundable) deposit of £175 by 1 November 2018 is needed to reserve your son/daughters place. Followed by:
- £174 by 1 January 2018
- £174 by 1 February 2018
- £174 by 1 March 2019
- Final balance of £173 by 1 April 2019

Please note that the price above is based on 42 paying students. If we are unable to achieve this number there will be an increase in the cost. We reserve the right to remove students from the trip should behaviour be deemed inappropriate.

Please complete the reply slip below if you wish to secure a place. Please note, once the deposit has been paid, this is non-refundable as this will be used to secure the cost of the flights.

Yours faithfully

Miss Y Ball
Tour Party Leader

Senior Vice Principal: Matthew Baker
Vice Principals: Rob Carling | Samantha Chapman | Hazel Hatch
Curious Creative Resilient Respectful Empathetic



Parental consent form for an off-site visit

Re: Water sports tour to Spain : 1-5 July 2018

I agree to (Student name) _____ taking part in the visit and have read the information letter.

- I acknowledge the need for him/her to behave responsibly.
- I confirm I have made my payment on WisePay. This can be accessed through the School Website.
- I give permission for any photographs, which may be taken on the trip of the above-named student, to be used in school displays and/or on the Learning Gateway. Yes / No (please delete as appropriate)

Medical Information:

a) Does the above-named student have any condition requiring medical treatment, including medication? Yes / No

If yes, please give brief details: _____

b) Please outline any allergies, and the type of medication which may be given for pain/flu relief, if necessary:

Contact Information:

Name: _____ Relationship to student: _____

Telephone number 1: _____ Telephone number 2: _____

Home address: _____

Name of family doctor: _____ Telephone number: _____

Alternative Emergency Contact Information:

Name: _____ Relationship to child: _____

Telephone number: _____

Declaration

I agree to the above-named student receiving medication as instructed and to any emergency dental, medical or surgical treatment, including anaesthetic or blood transfusion, as considered necessary by the medical authorities present.

I will inform the Group Leader / Headteacher as soon as possible of any changes in my child's medical or other circumstances between now and the commencement of the trip.

Name (print): _____ Date: _____

Signed: _____ Relationship to student: _____

School Tour – Sample Itinerary

Day 1 - You will depart from a UK airport bound for Spain. On arrival at the destination airport you will be greeted by your activ4 representative and transferred to the Caleta Palace hotel in the coastal resort of Platja D'Aro. Your rep will assist you with check in, ensuring all runs smoothly. Located right on the beach and with direct access to one of the most beautiful coves on the Costa Brava, the complex features great facilities which will help you enjoy your stay; including a swimming pool, sun terrace, internet area, games room, and a restaurant with buffet service and Mediterranean cuisine on the menu. The wide, tree lined promenade has lots of sophisticated shops, restaurants and cafes which makes it one of the best resorts on the Costa Brava. School groups have been coming to the resort for twenty years which is testament to how much it has to offer. There is a room onsite as well as an outside terrace area to hold a variety of evening entertainments for which there are numerous options available.

Day 2 - Each day will start with a buffet breakfast before heading out for the day's activities. Your water sport sessions begin this morning and will be at Sant Pol beach which is just a short transfer away. Your group will be escorted by a local activ4 representative to ensure things run smoothly. You will meet the instructors and begin with a full safety briefing from the beach-master. Groups will then be split and activities really get under way. Lunch will be back at the hotel unless you prefer packed lunches on the beach. The afternoon will be taken up by the second of the water sport activity sessions finishing in time for everyone to return to the hotel and prepare for dinner. As with all areas of activ4 programmes, evening entertainments will be carefully planned for your group and this evening you can walk into the centre of Platja D'Aro. On the way back to the hotel why not call in at one of the many cafes to enjoy Churros con Chocolate!

Day 3 - Today you could spend the day at leisure in Platja D'Aro, enjoy the time to relax on the beach, play beach games or take a walk into town. This evening you may continue your beach games for the evening or opt for a game of bowling or a karaoke night!

Day 4 - Back over to Sant Pol beach to pick up where you left off with the water sports activities. This is one of the prettiest beaches on the coast; crystal waters and backed by lovely protected dunes. By the end of the day the students will have had the opportunity to participate in each activity and after an eventful day you will head back to the hotel. You may wish to end your tour by heading back into Platja D'Aro to party the night away with a disco at Gibb's bar! (extra cost)

Day 5 - Today you will head to the bustling cosmopolitan city of Barcelona. Your group can opt to take a tour around Europe's largest football stadium, the world famous Camp Nou. Meaning 'new ground', Camp Nou was completed in 1957 and is home to one of the most successful clubs in the world, FC Barcelona. Your tour of Camp Nou starts with the visiting team's changing room and a walk through the famous tunnel onto the pitch to enjoy a panoramic view of the stadium. You will also visit the TV Room, Press Room, and the Presidential Box. With so many exciting photo opportunities make sure your cameras are at the ready! You will also get to visit the impressive Barcelona FC Football Museum where you can take a look back over the long history of the club, look at the photographs on display, admire the trophies, sports equipment and team kits from over the years. You will finish your time in Barcelona by heading to Las Ramblas for some shopping time. The students will love the shops, stalls and street entertainers and don't forget to visit La Boqueria Market where the colours and activity are stunning. Unfortunately all good things come to an end and later today you will head to the airport for your return flight.