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Dear Parent/Carer,

I am pleased to write to you regarding The King's School's overseas trips for 2022-23. Whilst we still intend to approach the rest of this year with some caution, we are enjoying great trips both locally and nationally which are adding value to our students' education. The following is not an exhaustive list of planned trips and we hope that you understand that our intention with this early information is to allow you to make an informed decision.

Trip	2022-23 Year group trip offered to	Dates	Estimated cost	Maximum students	Notes
Snowsports	8 to 11	11 - 18 February 2023	£1,150	44	Moved to February to allow 2022-23 Year 11 cohort to attend. Note: Snowboarding has an extra cost.
CERN	10	31 March - 3 April 2023	£500	30	Visit the Large Hadron Collider, the world's largest and highest energy particle collider.
Iceland	10	July 2023 (4 nights)	£1,100	30	Launched September - October 2022.

Detailed letters for Snowsports and CERN will be published to all relevant year groups on 7 April 2022, with a link to make payments online from that date. The Iceland trip will be launched in the same way, during September or October 2022.

As the current Year 10 cohort have not yet had an opportunity to attend an overseas school trip due to the pandemic, they will be given priority on the ski trip over other year groups. After this, places will be allocated on a first come first served basis. In the event that trips are oversubscribed we will create a reserve list.

A discretionary source of financial help is available to help families who have difficulties in paying for educational visits. Payments are discretionary and if awarded do not need to be repaid. An application form is available by contacting TKS-SLO@kings.patrust.org.uk and the completed application form should be sent to the Student Liaison Officer for your child's year group.

Yours faithfully,

Mr A Holland Assistant Headteacher



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