



## THE BISHOP OF HEREFORD'S BLUECOAT SCHOOL

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Dear Parents & Carers,

Sports Tour 2024

The PE department are excited to offer your child the opportunity to be a part of BHBS Sports Tour to Barcelona. This trip will take place during October half term 2024; Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October. This fantastic opportunity is available to those who have demonstrated dedication and hard work in physical education lessons, extra-curricular sports, and fixtures. We would like to offer current Year X and Y students the opportunity to take part in this visit.

The total cost of this trip will be approximately £955 which includes:

- 4 night stay at a 3\* all-inclusive hotel
- All transfers (UK and Spain)
- Return flights
- 2 x professional coaching session
- 1x football match against a local Spanish opposition
- Entry to MasterClass tournament for all football and netball squads
- A full day excursion to Barcelona and Olympic Park
- A full day excursion to Port Aventura theme park
- Evening entertainments including: karaoke, disco and quiz night
- Travel insurance
- Tour shirt

There are 45 places available and if you would like your child to participate and secure a place, please complete consent and payment of the deposit of £250 (which is non-refundable) by Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2023 at the latest. A payment scheme with scheduled dates will be put in place in the run up to the trip, an example of which is detailed below:

14<sup>th</sup> July 2023: £250 (non-refundable)

29<sup>th</sup> September 2023: £117.50

24<sup>th</sup> November: 2023: £117.50

23<sup>rd</sup> February 2024: £117.50

29<sup>th</sup> March 2024: £117.50

26<sup>th</sup> April 2024: £117.50

28<sup>th</sup> June 2024: £117.50

Failure to meet payments may result in your child being removed from the trip.

Participation in the trip is dependent on your child meeting the official entry requirements of and other countries the trip will travel through which will include; their own individual passport that is within date, and is valid for at least three months after the return date of the trip and a valid EHIC/GHIC. The UK Global Health Insurance Card (GHIC) lets you get state healthcare in Europe at a reduced cost or sometimes for free. If you have a UK European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) it will be valid until the expiry date on the card. Once it expires, you'll need to apply for

a GHIC to replace it. If you need to apply for a card, you can do so by the following link:

<https://www.nhs.uk/using-the-nhs/healthcare-abroad/apply-for-a-free-uk-global-health-insurance-card-ghic/>

Any international students will require proof of residency.

This visit has the potential to be an extremely popular one and could get booked up very quickly.

Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at [jchadderton@bhbs.hereford.sch.uk](mailto:jchadderton@bhbs.hereford.sch.uk)

Yours sincerely

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