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Dear Parent/Carer,

Italy Sports Fest 2019

Following on from our very successful girls' sports trip to Disney Paris we are delighted to offer very exciting girls Sports Tour to Italy in May Half term 2019. This trip will be of 5 days duration. This trip is offered to girls in Years 7,8,9,10 and the sports on offer are Netball and Girls Football.

Venue: Lignano Sabbiadoro, Northern Italy

Transport: Flights and coach

Accommodation: 4 nights in Bella Italia

Dates: 27th May 2019- 31st May 2019

Cost: £850.00

Included:

- 3 days of sports games and tournaments against local teams and English schools
- Training with top coaches.
- 1 full day at a local water park, where they are free to enjoy their free time.
- Access to a private beach, indoor and outdoor swimming pools, sports courts, chill out areas, small water park with slides and fountains.
- One day in Venice (Subject to flight times)
- Accommodation in a purpose build complex targeted especially at sports tours for hundreds of people.
- All meals, flights to Venice and all coach transfers
- Evening entertainment

Not Included:

- Spending money for their free time.
- Money for meals on traveling days

We intend to fundraise for sports kit and students will be asked to help in raising this money. The cost of this trip will be spread over 12 months; the deposit is £150 and 1 monthly payment of **£150.00**. (Made payable to The Marches School) Please ask your daughter to hand this in to Student Services by **Wednesday 28th February 2018**. There will then be another deposit payment of **£150.00** at the end of March taken by direct debit.



The subsequent payment details will be collected by means of a Direct Debit as follows:

- **10 monthly instalments of £55.00**
- Please complete the enclosed form to set up the Direct Debit and return to school with your deposit. The Direct Debit will not be set up until your child's place has been confirmed.

Students will have to be agreed to go onto this trip by the trip leader. If your child should be unsuccessful, then your deposit (cash or cheque) will be returned immediately.

You really do get a lot for your money with this trip, what a fantastic way to spend a half term, hanging out with friends, playing sport and all in the sunshine of Italy.

To participate on the trip, all **students will need to have their own passport** and **European Health Insurance Card (EHIC)** obtainable from the Post Office. Unfortunately, **deciding not to travel at a later stage is not covered by the insurance** and you **will not** be able to claim a refund.

Please note that your child's behaviour and progress during this academic year will determine whether she is permitted to travel.

Please complete the return slip below along with the £150 deposit to student services by **28th February 2018**.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

Yours Faithfully
Miss S E Cooke

Please return to student services, The Marches School, Morda Road, SY11 2AR by 28th February 2018.

Girls' Sports Tour Italy 2019

I would like my child.....of Tutor Group: to take part in this trip to Italy.

I enclose a deposit of £150 with the direct debit mandate.

I understand that another £150 will be taken out as a second deposit at the end of March and this is non-refundable.

I can confirm that my child will be collected from school on return of this trip:

Parent signature:.....Date: