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### A PREMIER SKI REGION

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### "WONDERFUL WINTER SPORTS TERRAIN SUITABLE FOR ALL SKILL LEVELS"

With just one ski pass you can ski in the whole of the Salzburg Sportwelt, the Schladming-Dachstein area, the Grossarl valley, Gastein and the Hochkönig region. That is over 860km of well-prepared ski pistes all there for you. Tailored very much towards school groups, most of our accommodation is based near the massive Salzburger Sportwelt – the heart of the Ski Amadé.

Winner of "best groomed pistes" and voted the best ski resort in Austria 2015, the Salzburger Sportwelt Ski area has developed into one of Austria's premier ski regions. Offering over 350km of beautifully groomed piste, the area offers an amazing choice of interconnected skiing made up of three areas, Flachau, Wagrain and St Johann-im-Pongau.

The area boasts one of Europe's best snow records. The resorts central alpine position ensures that whenever a snowstorm arrives in the Alps, from either the South or the North, it is going to fall on the slopes of the Sportwelt area. The season starts in early December and runs through until late April.

The Salzburger Sportwelt invests huge amounts of money annually in the comfort and technology of their 270 modern alpine lifts and cable cars. The resort is covered by over 1000 snow canons, improving the reliability of snow cover and therefore maximizing your ski experience. This area excels at providing après-ski for school groups.

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### THE SKIING

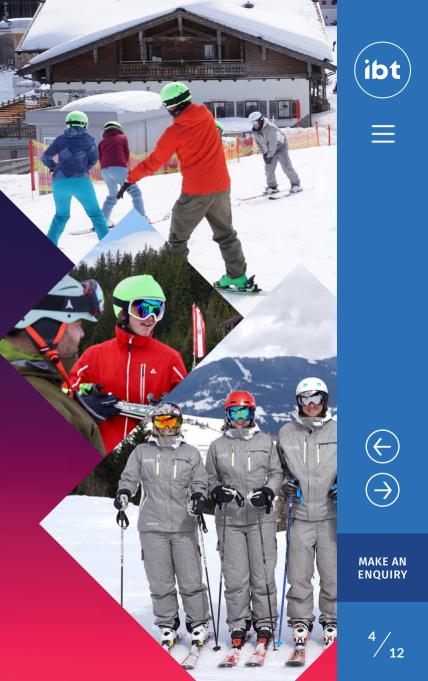
Your students will be totally spoiled for choice with the sheer volume of pistes and slopes in this incredible resort.

Most groups will head up the 6 seat high speed Gondola to the Gondl Stubn meeting point. From there groups can enjoy the wide runs down from the Hirschkogel top station or head over to the superb beginners area at the Kreisten Alm restaurant. Once up and running the groups can really take advantage of the long red and blue runs that spread out from Hirschkogel & Sonntagskogel peak and enjoy the two-valley ski safari over to the town of Wagrain.

Intermediate skiers can explore the whole area as the wide variety of red runs offer great opportunities for a young person to improve their skiing skills. Advanced skiers, will find that the area is not without its challenges; not least the 6km run from the Griessenkar ridge in Flachau.

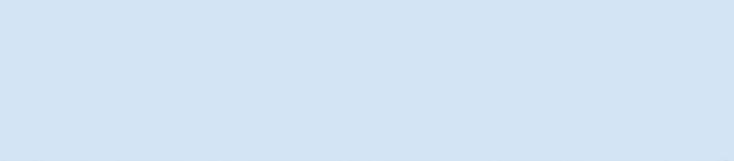
To get the most out of your tour we will ensure that your group will visit each of the areas during your stay by planning a provisional ski timetable based on the current snow conditions. Our ski school partner will be working towards the beginners in your group being able to ski from Flachau to Alpendorf all in one day!

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## SKI AREAS

#### ALPENDORF

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#### WAGRAIN

The magnificent piste of the Grafenberg Mountain will put a smile on everyone's face – the wide open piste with the stunning views across towards the Dachstein Glacier are simply amazing. The long beautiful runs down towards the village, which at 800m gives you a run of over 5km from top to bottom, offers a fantastic teaching area for groups. It is also compulsory that groups visit Uncle Tom's Hut for lunch – conveniently half way down! The welcome you will receive is easily one of the best in the valley.

#### FLACHAU

From Wagrain groups head into the next valley, via the Flying Mozart Gondola, to the home of the legendary Olympic champion Herman "The Herminator" Maier. On the village side of the mountain you will find some of the widest and best blue & red runs in the area. The efficient 'Space Jet' lift system will ensure that you spend more time on the slopes. For more progressive skiers the long winding red runs back towards Wagrain will have you whooping with delight (and looking for new legs at the bottom)!





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### **RESORT FACTS**



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No. of lifts 270 No. of trails

Resort height 2168m

144 Skiable areas 350+ km

Longest run 3.2km Snowmaking 90% coverage Lift pass Salzburger Sportwelt

### **APRÉS SKI**

- \* Billiards
- \* Bowling
- \* Pizza night
- \* Mini golf
- \* Ice cream night
- \* Visit to Salzburg
- \* Swimming at Aqua Salza Fun Pool





#### Hotel Alte Post & Schützenhof

Alte Bundesstrasse 3 & 5, 5500 Bischofshofen, Austria tel. +43 6462 2253 web. www.schuetzen-hof.com

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#### HOTEL INFORMATION

This family-run hotel offers a warm welcome, great food and is located close to Alpendorf in the town of Bischofshofen where there are a variety of shops, restaurants and cafés including a pizzeria and ice cream parlour.



#### LOCATION

Situated in the centre of Bischofshofen, close to several methods of transport

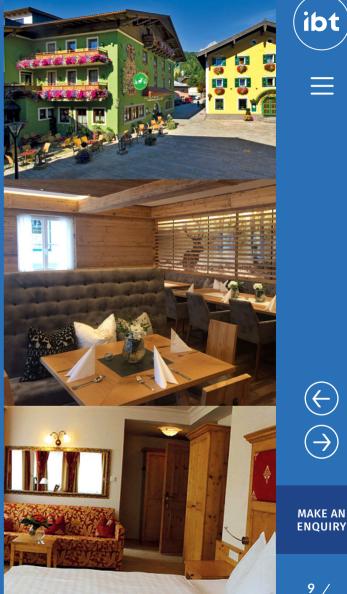


#### ROOMS

Multi-bedded rooms for up to 4 people with private facilities, TV, hairdryer and free wi-fi

#### **FEATURES**

Restaurant, free wi-fi throughout the hotel, rooftop terrace. Wellness facilities including Finnish sauna, biological sauna, steam bath and relaxation room



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#### **Hotel Muhlthaler**

Markt 12, A-5431 Kuchl, Austria tel. +43 6244 5474 web. www.kuchl.at

#### HOTEL INFORMATION

When it comes to customer care they truly know how to go the extra mile, ensuring your stay will be a memorable one. The quality & quantity of food is outstanding, and something that our guests always comment on.



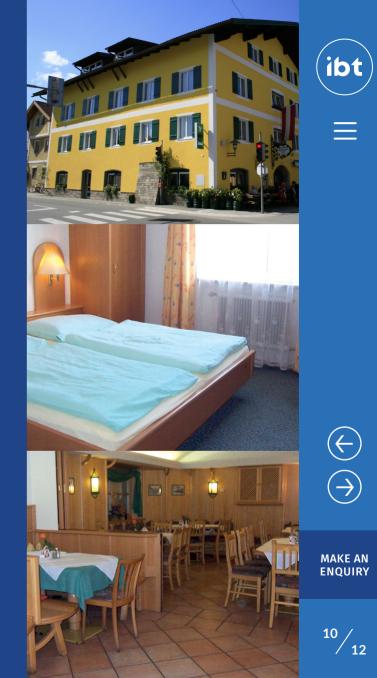
#### LOCATION

Located in the picturesque village of Kuchl surrounded by the Tennengebirge mountains. The hotel is 25 mins from the lifts in Alpendorf or Flachau



#### ROOMS Fully equipped en-suite rooms

#### FEATURES Free wi-fi, restaurant, large screen TV





#### **Hotel Josef**

Sonnberg 12, 5511 Hüttau, Austria tel. +43 6458 7240 web. www.hotel-josef.at

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#### HOTEL INFORMATION

The Hotel Josef is situated 1 km from Hüttau village and is run by Elisabeth & Brigitte Weitgasser and now also Elisabeth's son, Nico, who have well over 30 years' experience working with school groups. Their experience is such that you may find the sisters literally taking charge of your group!



#### LOCATION

In the centre of the Salzburger Sportwelt area, just 15 mins from the lifts at Flachau, and 20 mins from St Johann Alpendorf. With easy access to the motorway, Salzburg, Bischofshofen and Radstadt are within comfortable reach for evening excursions

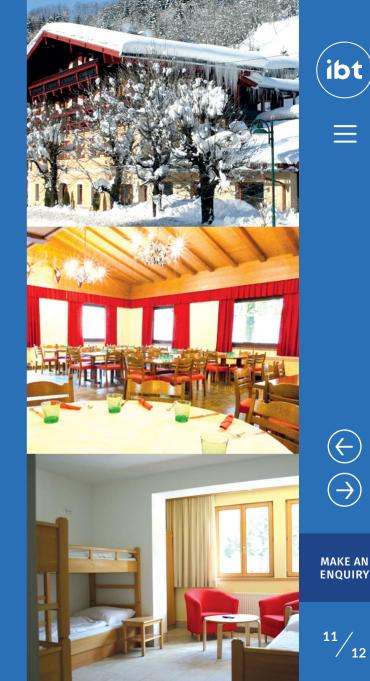


#### ROOMS

Multi-bedded rooms (3–6) with shower, WC, TV & internet

#### **FEATURES**

Two bar areas, meeting room, a cosy "Stüberl" with bar, TV room, games room with table tennis. chill zone with internet corner, mini-movie theatre, ski storage room with hot air boot drying



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