

In service Training Day

21 November	Hemel Hempstead
22 November	Hemel Hempstead
23 November	Tamworth

Successful applicants are required to attend one of our in-service training days. During the day the following issues are addressed:

- Roles and responsibilities of the tutor/guide
- Review of policies for 2023 / 2024 season
- Movement analysis
- Cause and effect as basis of teaching sessions

All new applicants offering their services to the company for the 2023/ 2024 ski season are expected to attend one of the above.

On slope sessions led by PSIA trainer or coach

Resort Training Week

Stubai Glacier, Austria
28 October to 4 November 2023

Very popular with our tutor guides is the resort based training week. The following sessions are scheduled for participating individuals:

- Qualification revalidation day
- Personal performance (led by PSIA /BASI trainer)
- Lesson planning & animation of content
- Effective communication and teaching
- Analysis of performance

A separate trainee course will be available to individuals preparing for certification. Content will focus on the development of personal skiing and teaching skills.

Application Procedure

Please complete and return these forms

- a) Application form
- b) Availability sheet
- c) Disclosure & declaration form

Copies of the following documents should also be included:

- d) Ski Instructor or coach licence
- e) First Aid certificate
(relevant to outdoor activities)

All individuals will be notified in writing of the outcome of their application.

Full details of roles and responsibilities will be forwarded to tutor/guides with confirmation of tour offers.

Should you require more information please do not hesitate to contact us. We can even put you in contact with current tutor/guides for an experienced appraisal of placements with our tours.

We look forward to hearing from you!!



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Welcome to Astons!

'Ski Astons' specialises in skiing & snowboarding holidays for schools and has been organising tours all over Europe for over 40 years.

Renowned for its professionalism, Ski Astons boasts an experienced team who work hard to maintain its established reputation of personal service and attention to detail.

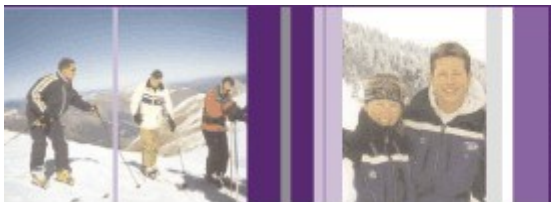
We pride ourselves on offering tailor made tours to suit the requirements of each group. With a mission statement of 'Total Care' students are in safe hands from the moment they board the coach until the time they are returned home.

Ski Astons operates mainly in school holiday periods and offers occasional weeks throughout the season. Many of our tutor/guides are in full time employment or education and generally join us during their annual leave.

Our 'adopted family' grows annually, resulting from new applications in conjunction with our high re-application rate. It is imperative that applicants fulfil the minimum criteria to be considered. Please note that our trainee system is available to those who wish to enhance existing skills to reach the required standard.

With limited placements for Christmas, New Year and early Easter tours, priority will be given to those individuals committing to peak weeks (February / Easter).

We should like to thank you for your enquiry and look forward to receiving your application soon. Please read the following information before completing the application form.



Ski Tutor/Guide Vacancies

Our tutor/guides are professionals in their field. They have good communication and motivational skills, and enjoy working with children.

Qualifying Criteria:

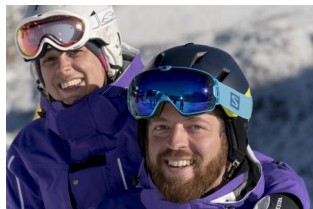
- Possess current snowbased ski leader /instructor qualification (minimum BASI 2 or equivalent)
- Possess current first aid certificate
- Available for the February half term / Easter
- Must be willing to join the evening entertainment programme in a motivational capacity
- Should be enthusiastic and enjoy introducing snowsports to children (10 to 18 years)

Typical Ski Day :

07:30	Breakfast
08:30	Depart Hotel
09:00	Take responsibility for designated group
11:30	Lunch Break—free time
12:30	Resume responsibility for ski group
15:30	Return to coach park
17:00	Ski tutor/guide debrief
18:30	Evening Meal
20:00	Evening Entertainment commences

Our tours generally include 6 days skiing, some of which include a half day sightseeing excursion. This is allocated as free time for ski tutor/guides.

Tutor guides will also be required to assess skiers for the UK Snowsport Awards. Pre-written certificates are awarded during the invitational ski ball at the end of the week.



Remuneration

All tutor/guides are provided with the following

- Transport (from designated pick up point)
- Full board accommodation in resort
- Lift pass
- Winter sports insurance and 3rd party liability
- Tutor guide expenses (starting from £250) (Calculated in Euros at the current rate)
- Free technical clothing with Feb tours

All tutor/guides also have the opportunity to take advantage of our subsidised training courses and holidays. Please see our course calendar for more details

Reductions on ski equipment also available to tutor guides involved with Ski Astons.

Astons Uniform

All ski tutor guides involved with school ski tours will be loaned the following:

- Astons Ski Suit
- Astons navy shirts

For the first tour only ski tutors will be provided with a hooded sweatshirt which is retainable. Other merchandise is available and can be ordered in lieu of expenses if requested.

All additional uniform / ski wear is available to tutor/guides at subsidised prices

