

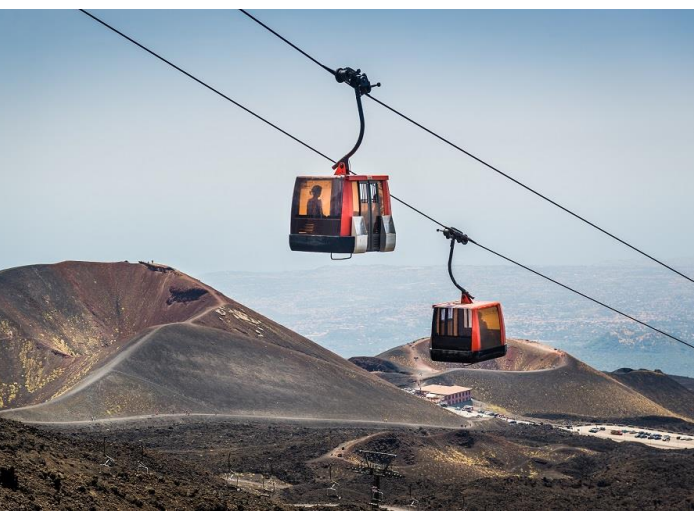


Walton High on Tour

Sicily, Italy

Dates of tour: Friday 13 – Monday 16 October

Visit Leader: Mr Cobb





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Dates and timings



Departure – Friday 13 October – 02.30

Return - Monday 16 October – 17.35

Students will be departing from the Walnut Tree campus.

We will ask students to contact you and confirm our return time to school. A group text will be sent by the school on the evening of our expected return time.

Travel arrangements



- Snack and drinks for the journey – nothing fizzy or caffeinated
- Warm and comfortable layered clothing
- Device/personal entertainment – no speakers allowed
- Passport and EHIC/GHIC – to be given to your teacher
- Packed breakfast / lunch for day 1



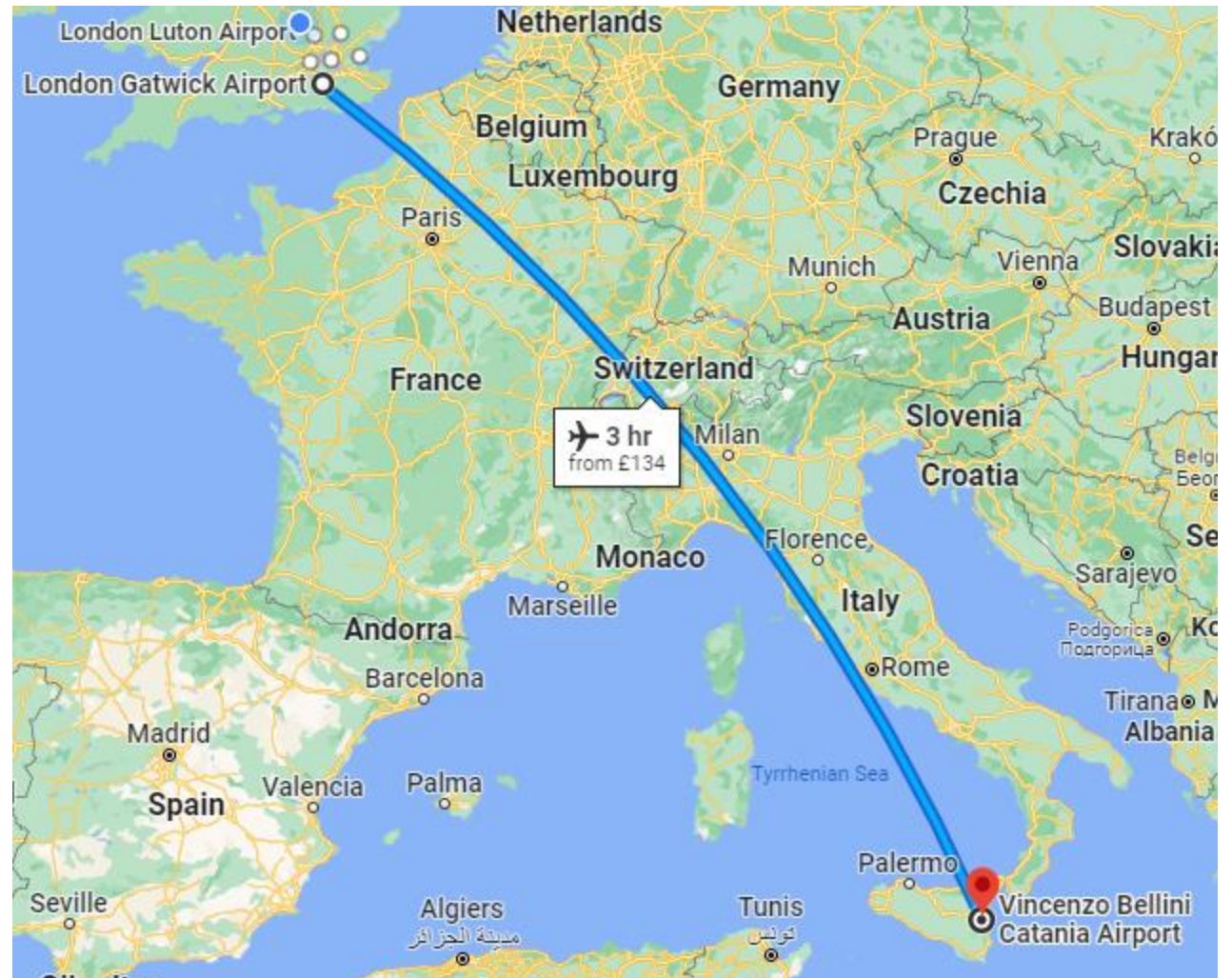
Coach travel

- 1 x 34-seat 'executive coach' to and from London Gatwick airport
- Unlikely to stop en-route



Flights

- British Airways
- Departure - Friday 13 October on a 07.20 flight from London Gatwick to Catania / Fontanarossa airport arriving 11.40 local time
- Return – Monday 16 October with flight departing 12.00 local time arriving 14.20.
- Aim to check-in 3 hours before flight time – opportunity to purchase food at the airports
- No meals are provided on the flight



Please put your toiletries, aftershaves, perfumes and cosmetics in 1 plastic bag



100ml
and under



Over 100ml
place in the bins provided

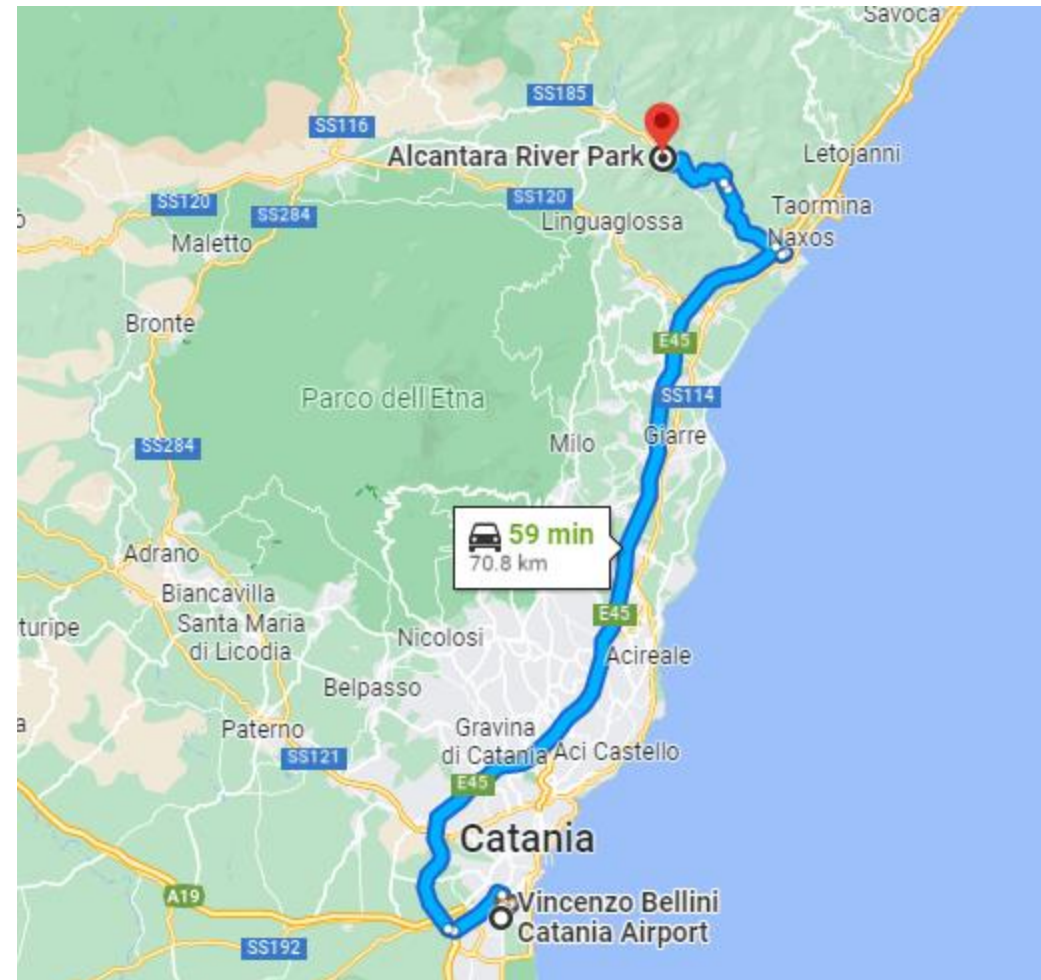


“You can take solid foods like sandwiches, biscuits, fruit and nuts on board but can only take drinks of no more than 100ml.”

“If your container is over 100ml it is not allowed through security with any liquid in at all. However, you may take an empty water bottle through security and refill it at one of our water fountains or restaurants.”

Travel in Sicily

- Coach used in Sicily, with local guide, for all excursions (along with cable car and ‘jeep minibus’)
- On day of arrival – lunch will be required
- Arrival at accommodation will be approximately 5pm



Staffing

- Mr Cobb (Subject Leader, Brooklands)
- Ms Craker (Brooklands)
- Mr Hutchinson (Walnut Tree)



Student groups



Group 1 – Mr Cobb

Jayden C
Dayton C
Zuzanna C
Sam G
Adam M
Tia O
Tia P
Blessing TT

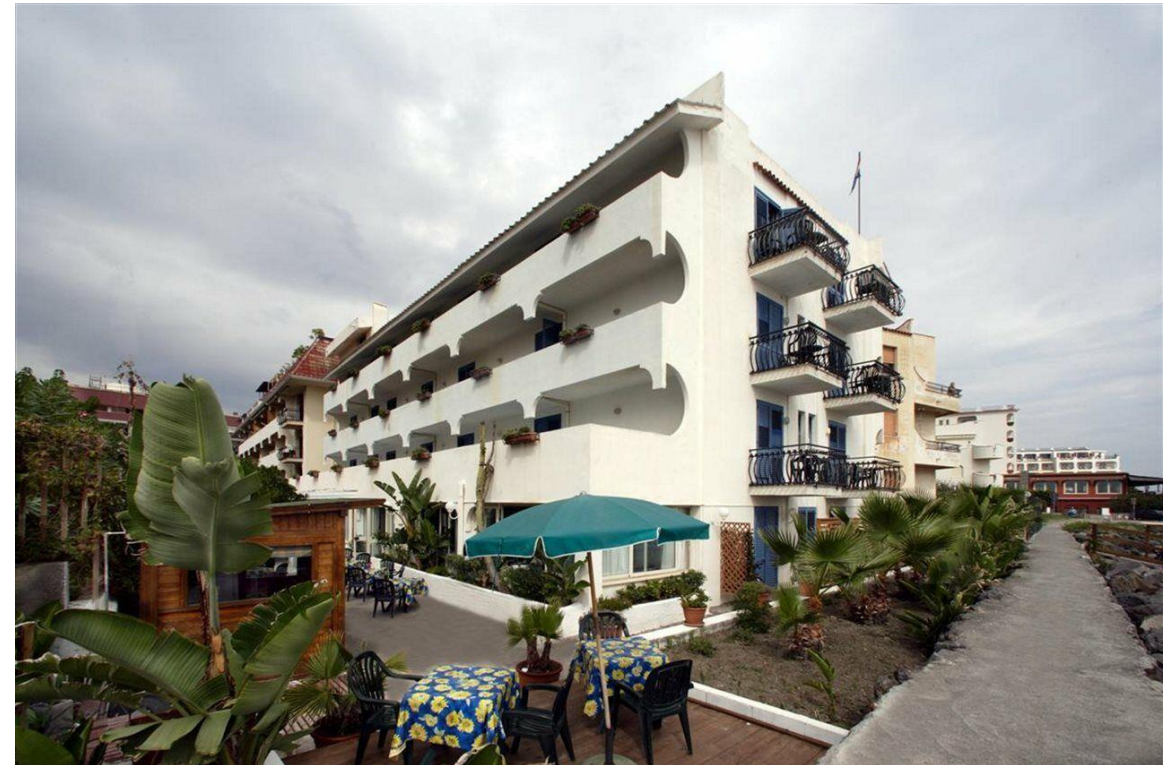
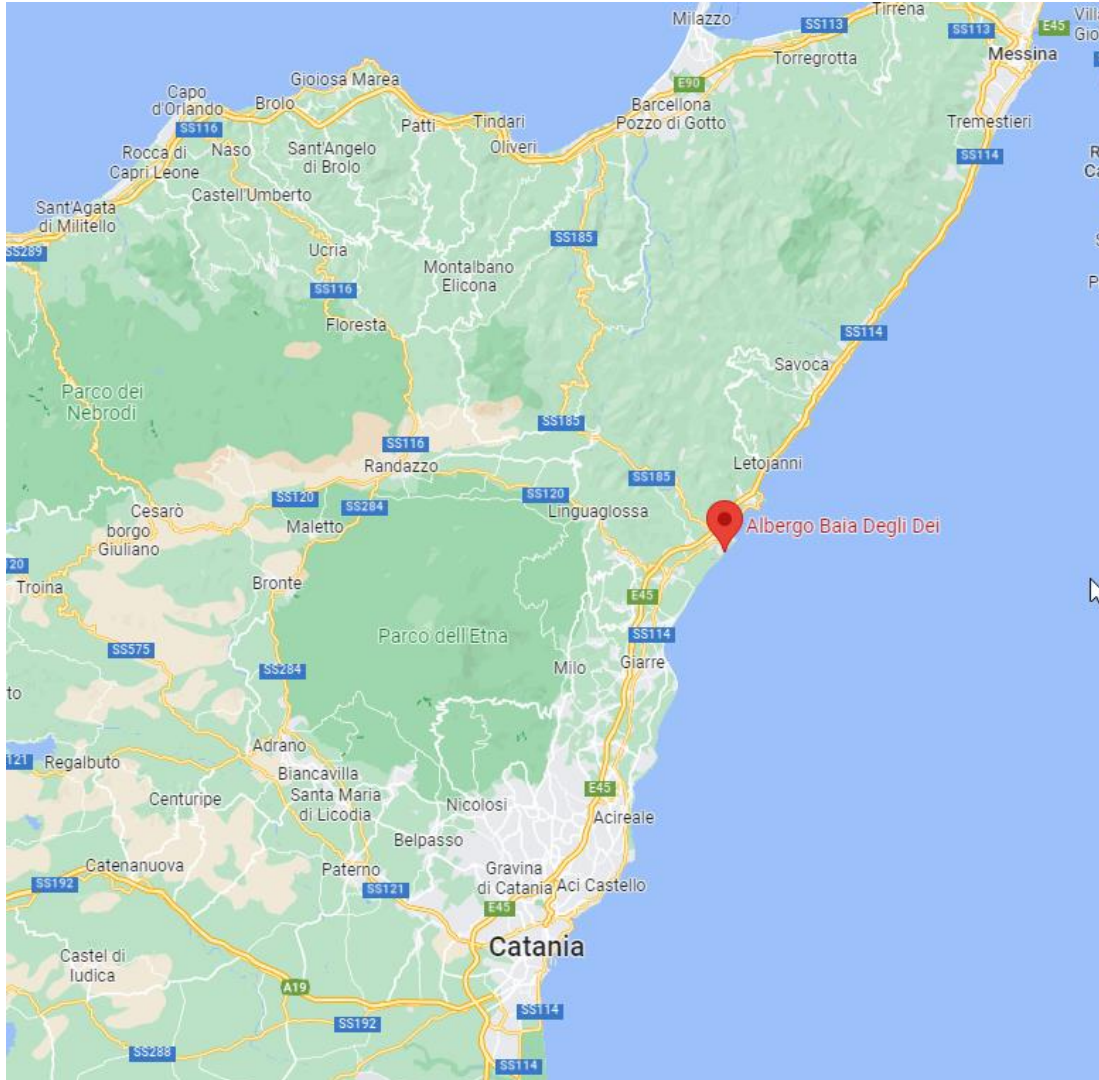
Group 2 – Ms Craker

Ruth B
Ellie RG
Amara E
Morgan U-L
Dylan B
Jack F
Charley H

Group 3 – Mr Hutchinson

James P
Logan W
Toby A
Henry LP
Oskar M
Georgi-Mai M
Noah N
Elizabeth W

Accommodation – Hotel Baia Degli Dei



Security deposit – paid by school

Hotel



Rooms are equipped with:

Balcony or terrace

Private bathroom

Shower

Telephone

Hairdryer

Safe

TV

Air conditioning

Heating

Rooming – the week beforehand!

Communal spaces:

Hall equipped with spacious lounge

TV room

Sea terrace



Restaurant



Restaurant with cold buffet breakfast
Packed lunch (to be made in morning)
Dinner with menu choice (table service) and selected vegetable buffet.

Dietary requirements



Day 2



08:00hrs	Continental breakfast will be served at the hotel.
09:00hrs	Depart the accommodation for a full day guided excursion to Lipari & Vulcano including Boat trip to Lipari & Vulcano
Lunch	Packed lunches provided
17:00hrs	Anticipated arrival at the Hotel
19:00hrs	Evening meal will be served at the hotel.
Evening	Evening at leisure as directed by the Group Leader



Day 3



08:00hrs	Continental breakfast will be served at the hotel.
09:00hrs	Depart the accommodation for a guided visit to Mt Etna
Lunch	Packed lunches provided
Afternoon	A visit to Taormina
17:00hrs	Anticipated arrival at the Hotel
19:00hrs	Evening meal will be served at the hotel.



Luggage requirements



Hand bag

- Up to 40 x 30 x 15cm (16 x 12 x 6in)
- Up to 23kg (51lb)
- Guaranteed in the cabin
- You can bring a small bag for essentials like medication, mobile phones, other electronic devices and passports. This is guaranteed to travel with you in the cabin as part of your British Airways, BA Cityflyer or BA Euroflyer baggage allowance.
- You can travel with this bag in the cabin, please place it under the seat in front of you.



Standard checked baggage

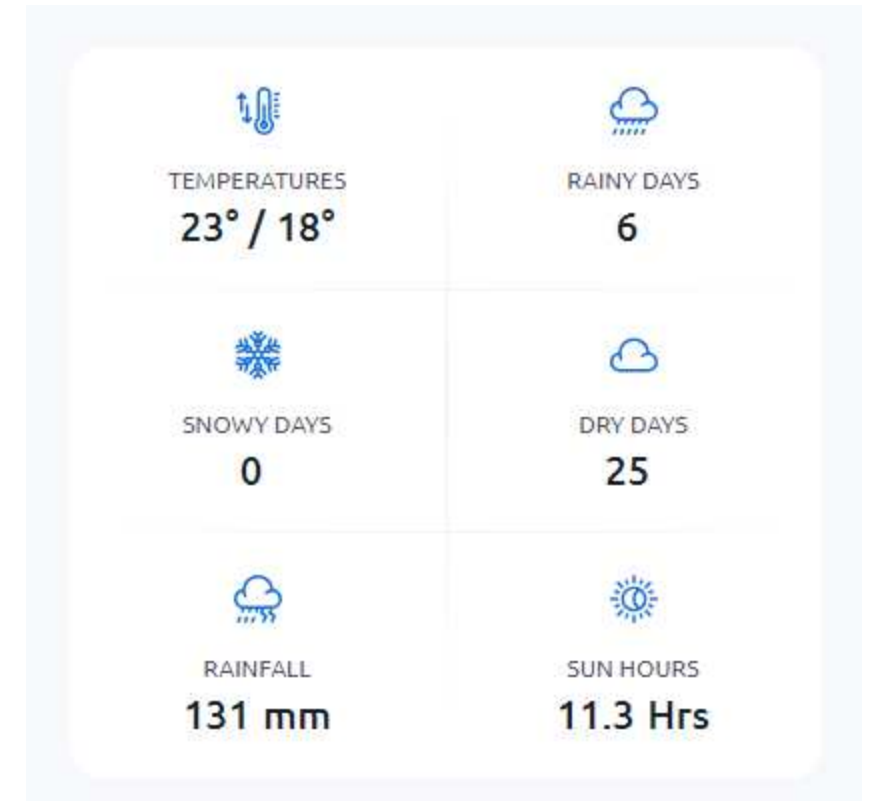
- Up to 90 x 75 x 43cm (35 x 30 x 17in)
- Up to 23kg (51lb) in Economy and Premium Economy
- Up to 32kg (70lb) in First and Business
- Checked in to the hold
- You must check in your baggage before you fly. Label all your checked bags inside and out with your name, mobile number and/or email address.



Luggage requirements



- One piece of luggage – students must be able to carry it themselves
- One rucksack for the coach and day visits – needs to be able to hold personal devices, spare layers and lunch – but no liquids over 100ml for flight
- Water bottle – refillable (but empty for security)
- Clothing – layers and a waterproof coat (see detailed kit list)



Kit list



- Waterproof coat
- 4 days of clothes – bottoms, tops, underwear, socks
- Spare pair of comfortable shoes
- Extra jumper
- Extra pair of socks
- Hat
- Pyjamas

- Rucksack for daily use
- Passport and EHIC/GHIC
- Personal entertainment
- Snacks and treats – no nuts!

- Toothbrush and paste
- Shower gel
- Shampoo
- Hairbrush
- European plug adapter
- Towel
- Hair dryer – shared within a room
- Water bottle

- Mobile phone and charger
- Camera





Spending money

- 80 Euros giving students 20 Euros a day
- £20 for airport in England

- Accommodation is full board. Students need to provide own packed lunch for day one. May purchase food at airport before boarding.

- May wish to bring some food with them

Behaviour expectations



Code of conduct:

Walton High is a centre of learning. Values of excellence and scholarship blend with innovation in learning styles. The fun and fundamentals of learning matter.

Every member of the Walton High community has the right to attend classes, take part in activities and to carry out their duties without being hindered by any other person or group. There are no innocent bystanders when learning is being disrupted or someone is being hurt or belittled by others.

Social media and phone policy



- Phones will be allowed, but remain the responsibility of the student.
- They are personal devices and as such students will be required to bring appropriate headphones for when they are used.
- Students will be expected to not use headphones or phones except for pictures while visiting sites during the day.
- No photographs should be uploaded to social media.
- Phones will be collected at 9pm each evening and reissued at breakfast the following day.

Walton High takes no responsibility for loss or damage to personal devices, nor for roaming charges incurred.

Communication



- Students will be issued with a contact card of key information they may need if they get separated from the group.
- If parents have concerns or worries, please contact the party leader on the contact number provided.
- Once we have arrived back in the UK we will ask your child, or the school, to send you a message with an estimated time of arrival back.



Thank you for attending.

Any questions?