

Tour: Alp 2500 Ski & Snowboard Week

LA MOLINA & MASELLA - ALP 2500

Itinerary: 8-days / 7-nights

Offered: January through April

La Molina & Masella, Spanish Alps

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| Day | Meals   | Morning   | <u>Afternoon</u> | Evening   |
| 1   | N/A     | Overnight flight to Barcelona, Spain                                      |                  |   |
| 2   | D       | Arrive Spain and clear Customs; Barcelona city tour; transfer to Alp 2500 |                  | Dinner + Welcome, Safety & Orientation<br>Meeting |
| 3   | B, L, D | Ski Day 1 - 5-hours of instruction included                               |                  | Dinner + Quiz Night                               |
| 4   | B, L, D | Ski Day 2 - 5-hours of instruction included                               |                  | Dinner + Bowling OR Karaoke Night                 |
| 5   | B, L, D | Ski Day 3 - 5-hours of instruction included                               |                  | Dinner + Swim Night                               |
| 6   | B, L, D | Ski Day 4 - 5-hours of instruction included                               |                  | Dinner + Snow Tubing OR Disco                     |
| 7   | B, L, D | Ski Day 5 - 5-hours of instruction included                               |                  | Dinner + Ski School Presentations                 |
| 8   | В       | Transfer to Barcelona, city activities before airport check-in; fly home  |                  |   |







As with all sample itineraries, please be aware that this is an "example" of a schedule and that the activities and hotels shown may be variable dependent upon dates, weather, special requests and other factors. Itineraries will be confirmed prior to travel.













## LA MOLINA / MASELLA - ALP 2500

Set high in the snow-sure Catalan region of the Spanish Pyrenees, Alp 2500 is the largest skiable area in Catalonia and the perfect ski area for school groups. The twin resorts of Masella and La Molina are combined and come together to form a resort to rival many in Europe. Considered a first-class ski area, Alp offers US-style state-of-the-art snowmaking facilities, large base areas with all amenities in both La Molina and Masella, numerous high speed chair lifts, great nursery slopes, hot lunches and doorstep skiing accommodation. European skiing doesn't get much better than this!

With over 133 km of snow-sure terrain, Alp 2500 offers an attractive area for skiers and riders of all tastes. La Molina, with its wide-open runs, is the perfect mountain for beginners and improvers, while Masella provides exciting tree-lined runs for the more adventurous. With an extensive list of apres-ski activities, Alp 2500 is the perfect ski area for school groups, providing an unforgettable winter experience for all.













RESORT WEBSITES: www.lamolina.cat/en/winter & www.masella.com/en

<u>This is a specialized winter sports education week</u>. All trips include 6-nights lodging plus one overnight air, 5-day lift pass, 5-day rentals, 5-hours of group lessons for pupils daily x 5-days, transportation, breakfasts, lunches and dinners, plus an evening entertainment package. As we get very specialized pricing, package alterations are not allowed.

ARRIVAL AIRPORT: Barcelona, Spain

TRANSPORT: Motorcoach transfers are provided from Barcelona Airport to/from the resort area.

Coaches do not stay at the resort during your ski week as it is not needed. On your last day, dependent upon flight times, you will have up to 3-hours of included coach time.

Additional time is available at additional cost.

INSTRUCTION SIZE: General clinics are 10-12 pupils of similar ski ability level (beginner, intermediate,

advanced). Snowboarders must have a minimum of 8 of similar ability to comprise an instruction group. At times, boarders may be mixed with ski groups or included in general adult/family clinics. This is not guaranteed until arrival though, so pupils may

be asked to switch to a ski instruction package.

EQUIPMENT RENTAL: Ski fit is done on-mountain; helmets are included. Ski fit will take place either on initial

arrival at the resort or prior to the first morning's lessons, based on availability. Because our package is bundled, if anyone brings their own equipment, package discounts are

unavailable.

LODGING: Groups will have accommodation for 6-nights at the ski resort plus 1-overnight air on

your outbound journey. Lodging options include:

<u>Hotel Alp at Masella</u> - Situated at the base the main ski lift, Hotel Alp is in the perfect location to maximize your skiing time. Set amidst the pine forests with spectacular views of the Masella ski area, this hotel offers accommodation sleeping 4 to 6 students per room. The restaurant is renowned for its variety and quality, offering all-you-caneat buffet breakfasts and serving hot lunches and dinner. The excellent amenities at the Hotel Alp include an indoor heated pool, video and games room, nightly disco and more.

<u>Guitart la Molina Hotel</u> - This hotel complex in La Molina is situated at the base of the nursery slopes and offers incredible views of this stunning ski area. It is comprised of modern comfortable apartments, sleeping between 2 and 8 people. All rooms are spacious, light and perfectly equipped with all the modern comforts you will need to enjoy your stay in the Catalan Pyrenees. The hotel boasts a Spa & Wellness Center, indoor swimming pool, restaurant and ski storage. The amenities for school groups also include a video and games room.

Breakfasts, lunches and dinners are included in your package starting with dinner on

arrival at your hotel and ending with breakfast on departure, dependent upon flight and

transfer times. Meals on travel days are paid for independently.

EVENING ACTIVITIES: As part of the Alp 2500 package, groups will have an evening activity program based on

their hotel. If staying at Hotel Alp, evening activities include swim night, disco night, quiz night, karaoke and presentation night. If staying at Guitart, activities include swim night, tubing, quiz night, bowling, and ski school presentation. Additional activities, at extra cost, include shopping in Puigerda, plus extended coach time in Barcelona.



MEALS:







All groups are required to carry travel insurance. If you are a USA-based school, this is INSURANCE:

available for purchase during registration if desired.

Waivers are required when booking. If unsigned, the participant will not be allowed to **WAIVERS:** 

travel. Waivers must be signed by the parent or legal guardian for any persons under

the age of 18.

To request a quote for your school, contact Michele at <a href="michele@STEMstudytours.com">michele@STEMstudytours.com</a>.











## ALP 2500 - WINTER SPORTS WEEK

**Minimum Booking Numbers:** 20 students

What's Included: Round-trip international flights

Airport transfers to/from resort

6-nights' accommodation + 1 overnight air

Breakfasts, lunches & dinners daily starting with dinner on your night of arrival and ending with breakfast on your day of departure

(dependent upon transfer time required for flights)

5-day lift ticket

5-hour group lessons daily for 5-days (Instruction groups based on

ability, typically in groups of 8 – 12 students)

5-day equipment rental

Helmet use for all passengers Evening entertainment program

Barcelona City Tour

Personal Tour Ambassador 24-hour emergency cover

What's Not Included: Fully comprehensive insurance (mandatory)

Transfers to/from home airport

Meals on travel days or other than what is indicated above

Cost of visas, full or collective passports

Cost of inoculations or medication required for travel

Hotel incidental deposits & bills – meals, purchases billed to room, etc.

Any gratuities – ski instructors, tour ambassador

As always, our staff are always available to you to answer any questions you may have regarding programming. If we may serve you in any way, please do not hesitate to contact us.









