

## Terms & Conditions – Trek Europe 2026

### 1. Payment, Deposits & Registration

If £500 has already been paid in relation to Trek Israel 2026, no further deposit is required and the £500 already paid will be credited against the total cost of Trek Europe.

Programme Fees:

- £4155 (BBYO UK Lifetime Members or anyone registered on BBYO Trek Israel 2026)
- £4300 (Non-BBYO UK Lifetime Members or BBYO UK Lifetime Members who were NOT registered for Trek Israel)

*Lifetime Membership can be purchased for £179*

Payment Deadlines

- To guarantee space on Trek Europe 2026, those registered for Trek Israel must pay their balance in full by 23:59 on Weds 29 April 2026
- New registrants who were not registered for Trek Israel but wish to join Trek Europe must complete all the forms and pay in full by midnight on 1 May 2026
- In the event that there are more applicants than can fill a bus, additional applicants will be notified and placed on a waiting list (without being required to pay, until a place becomes available).

Registration & Place Allocation

- Places are first-come, first-served.
- BBYO UK will confirm places within three working days of registration.

Payments should be made via BACS (Bank Transfer) using the participant's name as reference to

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### 2. Cancellations & Refunds

All payments (deposit, instalments, and full balance) are non-refundable, save as set out in this section.

If a participant withdraws or is removed from the programme for behavioural reasons:

- No refund will be issued.
- BBYO UK cannot cover the cost of return travel or any additional expenses.

If a participant withdraws at any stage before the programme begins for medical or personal reasons, their place can only be refunded if their spot is filled with a suitable participant of the same gender (less £150 administration fee to cover the costs of the name change). If no suitable participant is found to replace

them, they will be charged the full balance owing (if any). In all circumstances, the £500 deposit will not be refunded.

BBYO UK has no obligation to find a replacement for the cancelled participant. The replacement participant must register with three weeks after the cancellation/withdrawal. Or two weeks before the date of departure – whichever occurs first.

In circumstances beyond BBYO UK's control (e.g., extreme weather, industrial action, infectious disease, geopolitical events), in accordance with Authentic, BBYO UK may adjust, curtail, or cancel the programme.

If the programme is cancelled, partial refunds will be issued by BBYO UK where they have been made available to BBYO UK (depending on the cancellation policies of sites and accommodations). Refunds in such cases are not guaranteed; families are encouraged to secure their own comprehensive insurance.

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### 3. Travel Arrangements

- BBYO UK provides return group flights to and from Trek Europe at no additional cost.
- Any alternative travel arrangements are not permitted unless expressly agreed in writing in advance by BBYO UK HQ.
- Airport transfers from within the UK will be arranged for participants living outside Greater London (ie, Manchester, Bristol, etc).

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### 4. Insurance and Travel Permission / Documents

Included:

- Basic travel and medical insurance through Authentic
- Limited coverage for certain pre-existing conditions (per provider policy)

Parents/Guardians Must:

- Ensure the participant holds a valid passport and any necessary visas or permissions for travel to the destinations in Trek Europe
- Consider purchasing enhanced insurance, especially if the teen has:
  - A pre-existing condition
  - Mental health diagnoses
  - Recent injuries
  - Special equipment needs

Coverage is conditional on full medical disclosure.

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### 5. Leaving Trek Europe

Participants cannot leave the group without explicit permission from BBYO UK Leadership.

If permission is granted, the participant may only leave accompanied by a designated staff member or approved adult.

Visitors (including family and friends) are not permitted unless explicitly authorised in advance by BBYO UK HQ in coordination with Authentic and their security team.

Should any participant leave Trek Europe before the end of Trek for any reason, BBYO UK will contact their parents/guardians or alternative contact person who will be liable to collect them. No refund will be given and any costs incurred will not be refunded. Where arrangements cannot be made or are not made for the participant by their parents/guardians or alternative contact person within a reasonable period in the circumstances, BBYO UK reserves the right to make suitable travel arrangements and the costs of such arrangements shall be paid by the participant and/or parent/guardian/alternative contact within 7 days of the issue of an invoice setting out the costs incurred.

Any participant who has been awarded a bursary contribution towards the cost of the programme by BBYO UK and leaves before the end of Trek Europe for any reason may be required to repay some or all of the amount of the bursary awarded to them. Such requirement will be notified to the participant or their parents / guardians, and such repayment should be made within 28 days of the date of such notification.

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## 6. Compliance with Code of Conduct

Participants and leaders are required to comply with the [BBYO UK Code of Conduct](#). The BBYO UK Code of Conduct sets out the disciplinary process in case of breaches of that code. Participants should be aware that serious breaches of the Code of Conduct might result in the participant being removed from activities and / or sent home from Trek Europe (in which case there will be no refund due and the provisions of section 4 in relation to additional costs will apply).

If any breach of the BBYO UK Code of Conduct by a participant results in any damage or loss to property or premises, the parents / guardians of that participant will be held responsible for the full costs of any such damage or loss and any consequential loss arising as a result of that damage or loss.

BBYO UK may update or revise the Code of Conduct at any time.

Participants and their parents / guardians are required to read and sign their acceptance of BBYO UK's Code of Conduct as part of the sign-up process.

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## 7. Searching

If there is a reasonable suspicion that any participant is in possession of unauthorised medication, drugs, alcohol, tobacco, weapons, bladed items or has access to physical or online / electronic material that is inappropriate, BBYO UK reserves the right to search that individual's personal possessions or bed / sleeping area during the programme. If prevented from carrying out any such search, BBYO UK is entitled to take this as an indication that such prohibited items may be in the possession or under the control of such participant or leader.

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## 8. Medical

Participants and their parents / guardians are required to complete the BBYO UK Medical Form promptly when requested and to disclose all relevant conditions and information and to update any such information prior to the programme.

Any failure to disclose medical information requested on the BBYO UK Medical Form or the disclosure of inaccurate or misleading medical information will be grounds for rejection or dismissal from Trek Europe and in this situation, there shall be no refunds of any amounts paid.

BBYO UK is committed to inclusion and will seek to make reasonable and proportionate adjustments in order to allow applicants to join Trek Europe. In the unlikely event that BBYO UK considers that it is unable safely or reasonably to meet the medical needs of an applicant as set out in the completed BBYO UK Medical Form, BBYO UK will promptly respond to the relevant parents / guardians setting out its concerns. Ultimately, BBYO UK has the absolute right to refuse an applicant whose medical needs it reasonably considers it is unable reasonably and safely to accommodate.

Where BBYO UK consider it necessary, based on the information disclosed by a participant on their BBYO UK Medical Form, BBYO UK will write a care plan for that participant. Any such care plans will be shared with the participant's parents / guardians prior to the start of Trek Europe.

In the event of any medical emergency of any kind, dental or medical treatment, as advised to be necessary by the appropriate medical authority, may be given to the participant. In the case of medical emergency, such treatment may be given without first contacting the participant's parents / guardians if medically necessary.

Any medication brought to Trek Europe by participants (whether prescription medication or not) must be handed over to the leaders, (other than EpiPens and inhalers where the care plan specifies that such medication should be retained by the participant). BBYO UK will do its best to store such medication in accordance with any instructions given but can not guarantee its safety or security and is not liable for any loss or damage to that medication (other than in accordance with the operation of law).

The participant agrees to receive and take their medication as detailed in the BBYO UK Medical Form and otherwise to abide by any requirements contained in their care plan.

BBYO UK reserves the right to send home any participant because of any medical / emotional / psychological / developmental condition (whether or not diagnosed or disclosed) that cannot be reasonably managed on Trek Europe (with regard to any reasonable factors including but not limited to cost, efficacy, professional recommendations, timing, logistical ease, or impact on other participants, leaders, or BBYO UK staff).

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## **9 Itinerary & Programme Content**

BBYO UK and Authentic strive to deliver the itinerary as advertised. However, all activities are subject to change due to:

- Security conditions
- Weather
- Logistics
- Supplier availability

Safety takes priority. BBYO UK may substitute, modify, or cancel elements without compensation.

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## **10. Amendments to Terms and Conditions**

BBYO UK reserves the right to amend, alter, substitute or in any other way vary these terms and conditions and the participant is deemed to accept the terms and conditions so adjusted from time to time.