

2019 Year 6 Camp COOBA

Dear Parents and Carers

This year students in year 6 will be attending a three-day school camp at Camp COOBA, NSW. This is an opportunity for students to experience a range of outdoor activities which enhances the current learning programs. It also provides an experience which builds independence, encourages team building and consolidates social relationships.

Details of the excursion are as follows:

Location	Camp Cooba Cootralantra Road Berridale NSW 2628
Year Group Participating	Year 6 and LSG
Date	Wednesday 6 November 2019 – Friday 8 November 2019
Departure Macgregor	7:30 am for 8:00 am departure to Camp Cooba
Arrival Macgregor	1:15pm from Camp Cooba for an expected arrival at Macgregor at 3:30pm
Transport	Bus
Cost	\$305.00. This includes travel, accommodation, meals and programs (including Archery, Big Swing, Bubble Football, Team Initiatives, Low Ropes, Team Manoeuvres and Mountain Bikes)
All Notes Due	Thursday 24 October 2019
Payment Options	
<input type="radio"/> Full payment <u>OR</u> <input type="radio"/> Payment plan	Full payment due on Thursday 24 October 2019
	Payment plan schedule \$100.00 on 26 September 2019 \$100.00 on 10 October 2019 – in school holidays \$105.00 on 24 October 2019
Student will need to pack morning tea, lunch & afternoon tea for the Wednesday.	

Regards

Willa McIntyre, Tina Nguyen, Damien Trask and James Orr

16 September 2019



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I give permission for my child _____ in class _____ to attend Camp Cooba, Cootralantra Road Berridale NSW 2628 on Wednesday 6 November to Friday 8 November 2019. I understand that he/she will be in the care of Macgregor Primary School staff for the duration of camp.

- Staff accompanying students on excursions will take all reasonable care while the students are in their charge to protect them from injury and to control and supervise their behaviour and activities. A risk assessment for this activity has been completed and is available to view upon request.
- Parents should be aware that staff members are not responsible for injuries or damage to property which may occur on an excursion where, in all circumstances, staff have not been negligent. Parents are advised to warn children of the risk to themselves, to others and to property, of impulsive, wilful or disobedient behaviour.
- The school has made every effort to keep costs for this activity at a reasonable level. Financial assistance may be available to assist families who are not able to make the requested contribution. Please contact the Business Manager. If, however there is insufficient total funding available to meet the cost of the excursion, regrettably we may not be able to proceed.
- **NOTE: Excursions are an optional enrichment activity and parents are expected to cover the costs incurred. If your child is not able to attend on the day, refunds may not be available for some or all the costs.**
- The teacher in charge will make arrangements for the welfare of the student (including medical or surgical treatment) in an emergency. The costs associated with any emergency arrangement made by the teacher in charge will be met by the parents/guardians (free ambulance transportation only applies in the ACT).
- The student will be under the authority of the school for the duration of the excursion and that the teacher in charge is authorised to return the student to the school at the expense of the parent/guardian if the teacher in charge considers that circumstances warrant such action and after contacting the parent.

If you have any queries regarding this excursion, please feel free to contact us at school on 6142 1600.

I have read the attached information regarding this excursion and understand what it contains.

Full name of Parent/Guardian _____ Emergency contact no. _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

We have a copy of your child's Medical Information Form lodged in our records. Please complete the section below only if your child's medical circumstances have changed since lodging the form with the school.

Additional medical information

NAME: _____ CLASS: _____

SIGNED: _____ DATE _____

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Quickweb Feecode: YR6 CAMP

Payments for the excursion can be made via the following ways:

- Quickweb (preferred method) – go to www.macgregorps.act.edu.au – via secure payment tab
- I have enclosed cash/cheque of \$ _____
- Deposited the amount of \$ _____ via Internet banking into **BSB: 032777 A/C: 001578** (please put your child's name and what the payment is for as your reference)

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If your child requires medication whilst on camp it must to be clearly labelled with their name, the dosage and the time to be taken. ***Please give your child's medication to their teacher with detailed instructions.*** No student is to self-administer medication while on camp.

Departure to Camp

Please have your child at school by no later than **7:30 am**. The buses will depart at **8:00 am** sharp. Students will need to bring their morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea and a drink for the Wednesday.

What to bring

It is essential that students have suitable clothing for weather conditions as most activities will be happening outside (with indoor sleeping arrangements). Adequate changes of clothing are recommended. It is likely that students will get dirty and/or wet.

Student will need to pack morning tea, lunch & afternoon tea for the Wednesday.

Checklist

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea for Wednesday • Shorts • T-Shirts (no singlets, sleeveless or midriff tops) • Long pants • Jumpers • Warm jacket • Waterproof jacket • Pyjamas • Underwear • Socks • Shoes • 2 pairs of enclosed shoes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 x set of old clothes • Towels – Bath • Sunsmart hat • Flat sheet, pillow and sleeping bag • Toiletries • Sunscreen • Roll on insect repellent • Plastic bags for wet and dirty clothes • Water bottle that does not leak • Medication (if required) • Backpack, with a drink bottle, morning tea, lunch & afternoon tea • Book or quiet activity
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Luggage

Students to bring one bag for clothing, their pillow and sleeping bag and a small backpack to take onto the bus containing their drink bottle, morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea. Please ensure all items are clearly marked with your child's name.

What not to pack

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electronic devices including mobile phones • Lollies/chocolates or carbonated (fizzy) drinks • Valuables
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