

## **Camp Details: Important Information for Students, Parents/Guardians**

### **Student participation in activities**

As Outdoor Education is a semester elective not yearly, the semester one class did not do canoeing as it is not allowed in Term 1 and 2 on the Avon River. We would like all students to participate however we are aware that canoeing activities could be challenging for students without previous experience. Below is the basic requirement for canoeing.

**Please Tick below if your child is capable of the following:**

Canoeing:

- ☐ Ability to swim 100m with a lifejacket on
- ☐ Understanding of basic water safety

If you have any questions or concern about this, please contact Miss Lynch as soon as possible at [sarah.lynch@cewa.edu.au](mailto:sarah.lynch@cewa.edu.au)

### **Equipment students need to bring (Packing List)**

- Lunch and Water bottle(s), in a small day pack or backpack for Bushwalking, Mountain biking and day activities
- Large overnight bag – enough clothing for 3 days of activities.
- School sports uniform for Wednesday
- Weather/activity appropriate clothing, SLEEVED SHIRTS required
- Clothing for Canoeing – board shorts, t-shirt, a weatherproof jacket and old shoes/ reef shoes
- Enclosed footwear at all times (THONGS/ SLIDES can be worn inside the bunkhouse)
- A towel, toiletries and a plastic bag for wet clothing
- Torch
- Crockery and Cutlery – a reusable plate, cutlery and thermal cup/mug are required. This will help reduce the use of plastic and disposable products
- Sleeping bag and appropriate sleeping equipment (Pillow, rug etc). The sleeping venue is a Bunkhouse that is self-contained. *Please see Miss Lynch for any further information*
- It is recommended students bring their mobile phones as a means of communication while bushwalking and Mountain bike riding. However, the use of any personal devices on camp is aligned with the school's mobile phone policy. The school accepts no responsibility of any lost, damaged or stolen personal items
- Personal medical equipment or medication. Staff must be informed of these items and aware of any monitoring or administration required (please list on medical form attached)

### **Equipment the school provides**

- Meals from Wednesday evening to Friday Lunch
- Transportation for large overnight bag and for students between venues
- Extra water
- Dish washing equipment
- First aid kit – general first aid equipment only
- Canoes and Mountain biking equipment

### **Behaviour Policy Statement**

At St Joseph's School it is our aim to provide engaging and safe learning environments for all students to learn and develop dignity within the Catholic faith community. Often these environments extend outside the classroom into the context of whole school activities. St Joseph's Behaviour Management Policy's establishes clear guidelines for a student's behaviour and help to support teachers to provide the best opportunity for all students to learn, feel safe and develop in the community.

As your student will be attending the Year 10 Outdoor Education Camp, the school requires students to abide by the same Behaviour Management Policy while in the care of St Joseph's staff members. As a result of this the school and staff reserve the right to act accordingly to behaviour that does not follow the schools code of conduct. Misconduct that is deemed unacceptable by the attending Staff may result in removal of the student from the activity. In the circumstance that a student is required to be removed from the activity it will be the duty of the lead teacher to inform the relevant parent/ guardian to collect the student.

**ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL NORTHAM – Excursion and Medical Proforma**

**St Joseph's Year 10 Outdoor Education Camp**

**PERMISSION TO ATTEND**

FULL NAME OF STUDENT: \_\_\_\_\_

I \_\_\_\_\_ [please print] give my permission for my child, as named above, to attend the Year 10 Outdoor Education Camp in Dwellingup on October 22, 23 & 24, 2025.

In the event of my child requires medical attention and I am unable to be contacted, I give permission for Miss Lynch, Mr Greenley, Miss Stone or Mrs O'Driscoll to seek such assistance.

Parent/ Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**MEDICAL ADVICE (Please write in Nil if not applicable)**

I wish to alert staff that my child, as named above:

[a] Suffers from and requires the following medication:

Illness	Medication	Dosage Time	Dosage	Other Information
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[b] Is allergic to the following foods / medicines / factors

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[c] is prone to travel sickness? Yes / No

**EMERGENCY CONTACTS**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Relationship</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>
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**VEHICLE TRAVEL PERMISSION**

I \_\_\_\_\_ [please print] give my permission for my child, as named above, to travel in a suitable staff representative's personal vehicle if required throughout the excursion.

Parent/ Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**BEHAVIOUR POLICY AGREEMENT**

**Parent/Guardian Section:**

I \_\_\_\_\_ [please print] have read and I understand the Behaviour Policy Statement and the conditions surrounding my child attending the 2025 Year 10 Outdoor Education Camp.

Parent/ Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**Student Section:**

I \_\_\_\_\_ [please print] have read and I understand the Behaviour Policy Statement and the conditions surrounding my attendance at the 2025 Year 10 Outdoor Education Camp

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**This form must be returned to school by Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2025**