



Goondiwindi State High School

DETAILS OF EDUCATIONAL EXCURSION PARENT INFORMATION

(RETAIN THIS PAGE FOR YOUR INFORMATION)

Dear Parent/Guardian

The following information provides an outline of an out of school activity being organised for your student. Please feel free to contact the school (Ph 07 46700 333) if you have any concerns about this activity.

Type of Outing:	Year 11 Camp
Date/s:	Sunday 21 August to Friday 26 August 2022
Destination:	Maroon Outdoor Education Centre – Maroon Dam Rd, Maroon 07 5463 6333
Purpose of Outing:	To develop self-awareness, teamwork and leadership skills. To cultivate a sense of purpose and responsibility about being a member of the senior cohort at GSHS.
Activities Undertaken by Students:	Various outdoor education activities such as: Low and high rope challenges, canoeing, hiking, 2 night campout experience
Risk Management:	Maroon Dam completes risk assessment for activities
Transport/Accommodation:	Crisps Coaches/ Maroon Outdoor Education Centre
Departure Time:	2.30pm
Returning Time:	Approx 3.00pm
Contact during Activity:	Jenna Andreatta – 0447 098 510
Actual Cost: Direct Deposit Details Goondiwindi State High School BSB: 064-415 a/c: 00090114	\$220 Permission notes and payment due in full by Friday 6 August 2022
Students are required to bring:	Money for lunch and dinner while travelling to and from Camp. Please see attached clothing and equipment list.
Meals:	All meals included apart from travelling meals as stated above.
Dress required:	Appropriate camp clothing – see packing list
Teacher Signature:	<i>J. Andreatta</i>
Principal Signature:	<i>[Signature]</i>



Excursion Name: Year 11 Camp
Teacher: Miss Andreatta

Date: 21 – 26 August 2022
Return by: 5 August 2022

CONSENT FORM - THIS SECTION TO BE RETURNED TO THE SCHOOL

Activity risks and insurance

Please note that the Department of Education does not have personal accident insurance cover for students. If your child is injured as a result of an accident or incident while participating in the activity, all costs associated with the injury, including medical costs are the responsibility of the parent/guardian. Some incidental medical costs may be covered by Medicare. If you have private health insurance, some costs may be also be covered by your provider. Any other costs must be covered by parents/guardians. It is up to all parents/guardians to decide what types and what level of private insurance they wish to arrange to cover their child. Please take this into consideration in deciding whether or not to allow your child to participate in this activity.

Consent

By signing this consent form I agree that:

- I have read all of the information contained in this form in relation to the activity (including any attached material)
- I am aware that the department does not have personal accident insurance cover for students.
- I give consent for my child, _____, of HB _____ to participate in the identified activity
- I will pay to the school the costs detailed in this consent form for my child's participation in the activity (if applicable)
- I agree to and understand the refund policy as it applies to this excursion
- In the event of an accident or illness, school staff may obtain or administer any medical assistance or treatment my child may reasonably require, including contacting my child's doctor
- I accept liability for all reasonable costs incurred by the department in obtaining such medical assistance or treatment (including any transportation costs) and undertake to reimburse the department the full amount of those costs
- I have provided the school with all relevant details of the student's medical or physical needs on enrolment and where relevant have updated this information
- I give consent for student contact information to be shared in relation to this activity in compliance with relevant Queensland Chief Health Officer's Directions.

Parent/Caregiver Information	Name:		
	Phone Number:		
	Email Address:		
	Signature:		Date:

Please complete next page

Maroon Outdoor Education Centre PARENTAL CONSENT FORM

SCHOOL:.....

STUDENT'S NAME (IN FULL):

DATE OF BIRTH:

NAME OF PARENT/GUARDIAN:.....

ADDRESS:

TELEPHONE: (HOME) (WORK).....

(MOBILE)

MEDICARE NO:..... REF NO: EXPIRY DATE:.....

PARENTAL CONSENT

I have:

- provided current medical and special dietary information for my child on the Student Information form including details of medication being taken with my consent.
- read the *Student Responsibilities'* section of the *Information for Parents* form. <https://maroonoec.eq.edu.au/planning-your-visit>

I understand that:

- students MUST NOT attend if they have COVID-19 symptoms.
- I will be required to collect my child if they become unwell, including cold or flu like symptoms, whilst at Maroon OEC.
- I will be required to collect my child if they are unable to follow the Student Responsibilities' as outlined in the Information for Parents form.
- no refunds will be provided should my child return home before the end of the program.
- Maroon OEC programs involve a high level of physical activity, are conducted predominantly out of doors and contain activities such as rock climbing, abseiling, high ropes, canoeing, kayaking, swimming, bushwalking and camping in tents at Maroon OEC or off-site camp sites.
- it is a 30 minute drive to Maroon OEC from the nearest ambulance, doctor or hospital and in some instances, such as camping and bushwalking, the response time for medical attention may exceed 3 hours.
- the Department of Education does not have personal accident insurance cover for children/students. If your child is injured as a result of an accident or incident while participating in the activity, all costs associated with the injury, including medical costs are the responsibility of the parent/carer. Some incidental medical costs may be covered by Medicare. If you have private health insurance, some costs may also be covered by your provider. Any other costs must be covered by parents/carers. It is up to all parents/carers to decide the type/s and level of private insurance they wish to arrange to cover their child. Please take this into consideration in deciding whether or not to allow the child/student to participate in this activity.
- the Department of Education is collecting the personal information in this form in order to:
 - obtain consent for the named child/student to participate in the named off-site activity;
 - help coordinate the off-site activity;
 - respond to any injury or medical condition that may arise during or as a result of the off-site activity; and
 - update school records where necessary.
- this information will only be accessed by authorised departmental staff. The information will not be disclosed to any other person or agency unless we have your consent or we are required or authorised by law to do so e.g. in compliance with relevant Queensland Chief Health Officer's Directions.

I give consent for:

- my child to participate in the program.
- my child to be driven in a Maroon OEC vehicle driven by a Maroon OEC staff member.
- a tick or leech to be removed under the direction of a trained Maroon OEC staff member.
- the Principal or his representative to obtain medical attention deemed necessary.

PARENT / GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE:

DATE:



Maroon Outdoor Education Centre

ESSENTIAL CLOTHING & EQUIPMENT LIST

Please find a copy of the program for your school at: <http://www.maroonoec.eq.edu.au/forparents.htm>

1. **CLOTHING** - Shorts, shirts, long pants, warm jumper, underwear, pyjamas, swimming togs, (winter - beanie), many pairs of socks suitable for hiking (wool or sports type socks). Enough clothes for the entire duration of the programme. It is advised not to bring expensive clothing or shoes due to the nature of the activities undertaken. **Singlets and midriff tops are unsuitable for activities at Maroon OEC.**
2. **FOOTWEAR** - at least 2 pairs of sturdy shoes/joggers that cover the foot - one pair suitable for hiking, one **old pair** to be worn for all water based activities. Casual footwear may be worn during non-activity time at the Centre. Please note: covered footwear must be worn when doing kitchen duty.
3. **PROTECTION FROM THE SUN** – All students **must have** a suitable hat and blockout cream. An old long sleeved, collared shirt and eye protection is also desirable. **Singlets and midriff tops do not provide adequate protection from the sun.**
4. **RAINCOAT** - Knee length is essential. A hood/rain hat is desirable. (Please note that a good quality raincoat will ensure the required protection whilst on campout or hiking).
5. **BEDDING** - one pair of single sheets, pillow case, sleeping bag plus light blanket in winter, and 1 pillow.
6. **INSECT REPELLENT** - Students are strongly advised to use insect repellent and/or wear a long sleeved shirt for protection against insect bites.
7. **TOILETRIES** - Towel, soap, toothpaste, toothbrush, washer, shampoo, personal prescribed medication, bandaids, insect repellent. **No aerosols.**
8. **WATER BOTTLE** - 2 x 2 litre water bottles (sturdy plastic soft drink bottles are suitable).
9. **SMALL TORCH** or **HEAD TORCH** and spare batteries.
10. **ADDITIONAL ITEMS FOR COOKOUT**
 - One plastic bowl and plate, one cup and one pot scrubber or steel wool, cutlery, tea towel.
 - Large plastic garbage bag for waterproofing.
11. **ADDITIONAL ITEMS FOR CAMPOUT**
 - One plastic bowl and plate, one cup and one pot scrubber or steel wool, cutlery, tea towel.
 - Sleeping bag (Good quality required in winter).
 - Large plastic garbage bags for waterproofing (minimum of 3).
 - Length of nylon cord or strong twine (2m, optional).
 - Gaiters or sock protectors (optional).
 - Thermal clothing (Optional – winter).

(Maroon OEC will supply camping equipment including: backpack; shelter; cooking stove and pots & sleeping mat)
12. **ITEMS NOT TO BE BROUGHT ON CAMP**
 - To enable the program to be optimally beneficial mobile telephones, electronic games and music devices are not permitted by students at Maroon OEC.
 - Cameras are allowable, except those contained within a mobile phone.
 - It is not advisable to bring expensive clothing or foot wear because of the nature of the activities undertaken.
 - Aerosols and spray deodorants are not to be brought on camp. These are prone to trigger the Maroon OEC Fire Alarm system.
 - Students have no need to bring money to Maroon OEC as there is no shop.
 - Due to the harmful effects that gum can have on wildlife, students are not to bring chewing gum to Maroon OEC.
 - Students are not to bring sharp knives or cutting implements to Maroon OEC. These will be issued to students when preparing meals.
 - It is a requirement that jewellery be removed as a matter of safety for a number of activities conducted during most programmes. If jewellery is unable to be removed or suitably taped, the student will not be able to participate.
 - Singlets and midriff tops are unsuitable for outdoor activities.

EVERY STUDENT REAL ADVENTURE REAL ACHIEVEMENT LEARNING OUTDOORS