



14th August, 2018

STAGE 4 WESTERN CAMP

Dear Stage 4 Parents and Caregivers,

This term Stage 4 will participate in their second camp as an integral part of our outdoor education program. This exciting experience is a journey out to Parkes and Dubbo. During the time away, students will be actively involved in covering outcomes relating to their Science, Geography, History and PDHPE curriculums. It will also be a valuable time of building friendships and developing collaboration.

A whole range of great activities will be involved:

- Visit to the Parkes telescope, including a 3D theatre and a scavenger hunt
- A theatrical night tour of the Old Dubbo Gaol
- Overnight stay at Dubbo Christian School
- An early morning walk behind the scenes at Dubbo Zoo
- A biodiversity program at Dubbo Zoo, including meeting some animals!
- Zoo Circuit walk

Details:

Date: Thursday 6th September – Friday 7th September

Staff: Mr Follent, Miss McGowen and Mrs Ward.

Depart: 9.00am Thursday 6th September. Please arrive at 8.30am to pack the vehicles

Return: 5.00pm Friday 7th September



"To raise up effective leaders of godly character who will blend academic achievement and biblical truth, to influence society for the glory of God."

Parents:

This is a fantastic opportunity to become better acquainted with your child's peer group and teachers. At least 5 parents are needed to help with supervision and driving buses – HR and/or LR licences required.

As is now mandatory, a working with children check number is required. There will be a **meeting on Monday, 27th August from 5.30pm**, for parents who are able to assist.

Please complete the attached parent response section and student medical form to return to the office by **Wednesday 22th August**.

Packing List	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pillow	<input type="checkbox"/> All food for Thursday (except dinner)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping roll	<input type="checkbox"/> Money for McDonalds dinner on Thursday (to be handed to teacher in labelled envelope/ snap lock bag)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping bag	<input type="checkbox"/> Any medications (<i>as listed on medical form – submitted to teacher before boarding the bus</i>)
<input type="checkbox"/> Comfortable Clothing (including PJs)	<input type="checkbox"/> Optional: Digital camera (not part of a phone/ipod), money for souvenirs.
<input type="checkbox"/> Warm change of clothes (the early morning walk will be chilly!)	<input type="checkbox"/> Smile and a helpful attitude ☺
<input type="checkbox"/> Good walking shoes (no thongs or slip ons)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hat	
<input type="checkbox"/> Water bottle	
<input type="checkbox"/> Basic Toiletries	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sunscreen	
<input type="checkbox"/> Insect repellent	
<input type="checkbox"/> Torch	

Yours in Christ,

Adrian Lee
Middle School Coordinator

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Les Follent, Mel McGowen & Brigitte Ward
Camp Organisers



WESTERN – Parent Response

Child's Name: Parent's Name:

I would love to come on the WESTERN Camp, and would be able to help by:

Tick as many boxes as is appropriate.

Supervising

Assisting with bus driving
(HR &/or LR licences required)

I will be able to attend the meeting on Monday 27th August at 5.30pm

Working With Children Check Number:

Date of Birth for WWCC:

I am not able to help on the WESTERN Camp, other than supporting with prayer