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HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION

YEAR 10 OUTDOOR EDUCATION - SPECIAL TIMETABLE ARRANGEMENTS

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The 2026 Year 10 Outdoor Education course focuses on Canoeing, Bush Cooking, Orienteering and Survival Techniques and operates with special timetable arrangements. The purpose of these arrangements are to allow more time, 120 minutes compared to 60 minutes, for travel on the school bus to the outside venue. When this occurs correspondence will be sent to parents via Consent2Go for you to approve.

The outside venue for Canoeing is the Swan River between Maylands Yacht Club and Point Reserve, Bassendean. Exact location is weather dependent to ensure student safety.

The course will be timetabled for a Period 1 and a Period 5.

- Period 1 will commence school at 7.30am (Period 0) for the Canoeing portion of the program. Students will be excused from their timetabled Period 5 class and allowed to leave school early.
- Students who are absent from the Period 0 class will be required to attend the timetabled Period 5 class.

STUDENTS SELECTING THE ABOVE COURSES MUST BE A CAPABLE SWIMMER AND CONSIDER ANY MEDICAL CONDITIONS THAT COULD BE DEEMED AN UNREASONABLE SAFETY RISK. SWIMMING TESTS WILL BE ADMINISTERED BY OUTDOOR EDUCATION STAFF. STUDENTS WHO DO NOT DEMONSTRATE THE REQUIRED LEVEL OF PROFICIENCY WILL BE RE-COUNSELLED TO A DIFFERENT COURSE.

Adam Zen
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PARENT PERMISSION SLIP for YEAR 10 OUTDOOR EDUCATION

I understand this course starts at 7.30 am and give permission for my child to travel on the school bus.		
STUDENT NAME:		FORM:
I am aware of all the requirements for the Year 10 Outdoor Education course including the requirement for students to be proficient swimmers.		
Date:	Parent signature:	

THIS FORM MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE STUDENT'S COURSE SELECTION FORM