

# Excursion Information

Dear Parents and Carers,

The following details relate to an excursion to Yerrabi Pond which is being organised for students in Year 6.

<b>Name of Excursion</b>	Water Filters – Yerrabi Pond
<b>Purpose/Information</b>	As part of the Science inquiry unit, students will be developing their own water filters, which will be designed to filter particulates out of the dirty water. We will test these water filters at Yerrabi Pond
<b>Date</b>	Friday, 1 May 2026 (Week 2, Term 2)
<b>Time</b>	9.15am-1.15pm
<b>Transport</b>	Students will walk with their classes to Yerrabi Pond
<b>Venue/Location</b>	Yerrabi Pond
<b>Activities</b>	The students will walk from school and have an opportunity to test their filters. They will also have the opportunity to use the playground facilities for break times. At the end of the excursion, students will walk back to school.
<b>Teacher in Charge</b>	Hamish Campbell
<b>Anticipated number of students and staff ratio</b>	Total Students: 96 Total Staff: 6
<b>Contingency</b>	In the event of poor weather, the excursion will be postponed.
<b>Cost</b>	No Cost
<b>Due Date</b>	Friday, 24 April 2026
<b>Staff Attending</b>	Hamish Campbell, Taylor Woodward, Sarah Keegan, Michaela Dawe, Matthew Garratt, LSA
<b>Excursion Risk Assessment</b>	Available at the front office
<b>Behavioural Expectations</b>	Students are expected to demonstrate our school PBL Behaviour Expectations of being a Safe, Respectful and Responsible Learner at all times.

*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. 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 should warn children of the risk to themselves, to others and to property, of impulsive, wilful or disobedient behaviour.*

Kind Regards,

Hamish Campbell.

# Excursion Permission Note

## Water Filters – Yerrabi Pond

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ in year 6 to attend the Amaroo School excursion to **Yerrabi Pond** on **Friday, 1 May 2026** travelling by **walking** and other details as outlined in the Excursion Information for Parents (including contingency plans).

*I agree to my child participating in the activities associated with this excursion mentioned previously. I have discussed with my child the need for expected behaviour on this excursion. I authorise the school to make arrangements for the welfare of my child (including medical or surgical treatment) in an emergency and I agree to meet the associated costs. I have provided to the school all medical information relevant to my child attending this excursion.*

*I agree that my child will be under the authority of the school for the duration of the excursion and that the school is authorised to return my child to school or home at my expense if the school considers that circumstances warrant such action. I give permission for my child to travel by private car, driven by a staff member or parent, in an emergency. Parents/carers are responsible for ambulance costs outside the ACT.*

The **Medical Information and Consent Form** is required to be completed annually, at the start of the school year, and prior to the first excursion. Please update and inform the school of any changes in your child's medical details as they occur.

Are there any changes since you last completed the Medical Information and Consent form?

**Yes**                       **No**

*If yes, an updated **Medical Information and Consent Form** is required to be completed (available through the front office).*

Will your child require medication to be administered during the excursion (e.g. allergy medication, pain relief)?

**Yes**                       **No**

*If yes, please complete a **Medication Authorisation and Administration Record** (available through the front office).*

Is there any additional information you need to provide to support your child's participation in this excursion?

**Yes**                       **No**

**If yes, please provide these details:**

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Name of Parent/Carer: (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_