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Dear Parent/Guardian,

This note is to inform you of important details relating to our forthcoming overnight excursion and to confirm your permission for your child to attend.

### **Pinnacle Overnight Enrichment & Extension Excursion**

<b>Location:</b>	Camp Toukley, 32B Evans Rd, Canton Beach 2263
<b>Group Involved:</b>	Year 7 and 8 Pinnacle students supervised by 1 Head Teacher and 2 Teachers.
<b>Days / Dates:</b>	<b>Monday 30 November, 2020 until Wednesday 2 December, 2020</b>
<b>Times:</b>	<b>Meet at Marsden High School on Monday morning at approx. 8:30am</b> <b>Students will return to school by approximately 2:30 pm on Wednesday afternoon.</b>
<b>Cut Off Day / Date for Excursion Notes:</b>	<b>Friday, 30 October, 2020</b>
<b>Cut Off Day / Date for Excursion Payment 1:</b>	<b>\$70.00* deposit by Friday, 30 October, 2020</b>
<b>Cut Off Day / Date for Excursion Payment 2:</b>	<b>\$100.00 by Friday, 13 November, 2020</b>
<b>Cut Off Day / Date for Excursion Payment 3:</b>	<b>\$100.00 by Friday, 27 November, 2020</b>
<b>Cut Off Day / Date for Excursion Payment 4:</b>	<b>\$60.00 by Friday, 4 December, 2020</b>
* This deposit is non-refundable	
<b>Purpose:</b>	To enrich and extend students' learning in a camp setting. The focus will be on developing students' critical and creative thinking skills as well as problem solving skills.
<b>Activities:</b>	Students will participate in a range of activities that develop their creative and critical thinking skills, as well as communication and collaboration. There may be an opportunity to participate in water activities.
<b>Transport:</b>	Return travel to Camp Toukley will be by coach.
<b>Cost:</b>	<b>\$330.00, including all transport (transfers to and from Camp Toukley) accommodation, guest speaker, all meals and activities run by the school and Camp Toukley.</b> <b><u>Note: most families have already deposited money at the start of the year. This money will roll over to this camp.</u></b>
<b>Emergency Contact:</b>	Marsden High School on 9874 6544.
<b>Health/ Fitness Notes:</b>	<b>Spacer / Puffers</b> (Preventer as well as Reliever) if asthmatic. <b>EpiPen</b> if allergic. A <b>Covid Safe</b> plan will be implemented.
<b>Clothing Notes:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Fully enclosed shoes</b> to protect feet. <input type="checkbox"/> <b>No singlets please</b> so as to prevent sunburn.

Please do not hesitate to contact the **organising teacher** Ms. Sarah Van Der kley regarding any enquiries via DET e-mail on [sarah.vanderkley1@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:sarah.vanderkley1@det.nsw.edu.au) or MHS telephone on 9874 6544.

**Pinnacle Camp  
Organiser:**

Ms. Sarah Van Der Kley

**Principal:**

Mr. Lance Berry

# Permission Note

**Pinnacle Overnight Enrichment & Extension Excursion**  
**Monday, 30 November, 2020 until Wednesday, 2 December, 2020**

I give permission for student \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the above excursion, being aware of the aforementioned arrangements, and that all due care will be taken by supervising staff during the excursion. If required, I consent to the supervising teacher seeking any medical aid that he/she feels is necessary.

Please specify any relevant **health / fitness** condition(s) below for the information of all supervising teachers, and strategies for their management including all medication details. **Please write 'Nil' if none.**

Health / Fitness Conditions	Management Strategies

Medicare Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Health Fund (If Applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Please specify below any dietary requirements your child may have. **Please write 'Nil' if none.**

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Emergency Contact Person 1 (Day): Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Person 1 (Night): Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Person 2 (Day): Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Person 2 (Night): Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please understand that personal health and safety is a priority. Accordingly, in the case that a student exhibits behaviour that represents a risk to the health and safety of them, or any other person, parent(s) / guardian(s), as well as, the school Principal will be contacted. Please also note that in the lead-up to the excursion, all student behavior will be monitored. If inappropriate behavior is displayed, attendance at the excursion will be at the Principal's discretion.

**Parent / Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Note:** This permission note is to be carried by the supervising teacher, in a waterproof container, on extended as well as remote location activities.