



2022 Coffs Coast Camp – Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 Students

Wednesday, 14 – Friday, 16 September

Dear Parents/Carers,

Our Coffs Coast Excursion is fast approaching. It is now time to confirm final details and payment. The following will be included in this information package:

- Coffs Coast Camp 2022 Itinerary
- Final permission note
- Link to the online excursion portal (Assumption of risk, medical and dietary requirements).
- Packing list (this is a guide, please use your discretion)
- Behaviour contract – to be returned with permission note.

Departure/Return

Departure has been arranged to be from **Eltham Public School** on Wednesday morning, 14th of September. Departure will be at 8:00am, please ensure you are at Eltham Public School by **7:45am** to pack the coach and get settled.

Students will return to **Eltham Public School** on Friday evening, 16th of September at approximately 4:30pm. Text updates will be provided throughout the afternoon on our progress and exact arrival back at Eltham Public School.

Cost

The approximate total cost of the camp and transport is \$380. This amount is subject to change and dependent on the number of students participating in the experience. The final balance will be deducted from students' Educational Hardship Fund unless otherwise requested. Students with outstanding balances will be contacted individually.

Student Information

It is important we are aware of any special needs your child may have as soon as possible. In order that both Coffs Coast Adventure Camp and Eureka staff are aware of your child's needs, please complete the registration process by following the link below.

Please note: the portal will say Eltham Public School as our group is listed under one name. Eureka students are part of this group. The registration process will allow you to enter any medical or dietary requirements your child may have. Information registered in the portal will only be visible to relevant staff. Children will not be able to attend the excursion without its completion. If you have any other concerns or needs your child may have, please contact Mr Dempster at school and arrangements can be made.

Click here for: [Student Registration](#) or type in <https://ccac.venueregistrations.net/2368-year-36-camp>.

If you would like more information about the Coffs Coast Adventure Camp, please visit their website: <https://coffscoastadventurecentre.com.au/>

Packing

Please limit your packing to one bag/suitcase that can be managed by your child. A small day bag is also recommended for on board the coach. Students will need to pack a full lunch for the first day, including morning and afternoon tea. Packing should be done at each family's discretion; the list is a guide. Please clearly label items, as students will be responsible for their belongings.

Devices

Personal devices are not needed for the excursion. Students will not be permitted to use a device at any point during the camp. Photos will be taken by staff and shared via our closed Facebook page.

Food

A full lunch will be required for the first day of the excursion. This will need to include enough food and water for lunch, morning and afternoon tea. Once at the camp, all meals will be provided.

Money

Money is not necessary for the excursion. There will be no opportunities for shopping nor souvenirs. Any money brought by a student will be their responsibility.

Behaviour Contract

The attached behaviour contract is to be completed and returned with the permission slip. It is important that students are aware of their responsibility to be considerate and respectful to all teachers, students, camp staff and the public. It is equally important that students understand the teachers have a duty of care to everyone on the trip and if an individual's behaviour compromises the safety or enjoyment of others then their own participation in the trip will be ended. If a student's behaviour requires it, parents will be responsible for collecting the child at their own expense.

Please complete the attached consent form and return it to the school office by Friday 5 August 2022.

Warm regards,

Mr Bill Dempster

Principal Eureka Public School

Eltham & Eureka Coffs Coast Excursion 2022 – Itinerary

Wednesday 14th September

7.45 – 8.00am Load Coach. Depart Eltham Public School with morning tea break enroute.

12:30pm Lunch. Coffs Harbour jetty foreshore.

1:00 – 3:00pm Mutton Bird Island experience – National Parks NSW.

3:00 – 3:30pm Afternoon tea. Depart for Coffs Coast Adventure Camp.

4:00 – 5:00pm Arrive Coffs Coast Adventure Camp. Settle into dorms.

5:00 – 6:00pm Free time and showers. Camp fire.

6:00 – 7:00pm Dinner.

7:00 – 8:00pm Night activity 1 – Games Extravaganza.

8:30pm Supper and Bedtime.

Thursday 15th September

8:00am Breakfast at CCAC.

9:00 – 10:30am Day activity 1 – Archery, followed by morning tea.

11:00 – 12:30pm Day activity 2 – Z-ball, followed by lunch.

1:30pm – 3:00pm Day activity 3 – 'Survivor' followed by afternoon tea.

3:30 – 5:00pm Day activity 4 – Sword club (fencing).

5:00pm Free time and showers.

6:00pm Dinner.

7:00 – 8:30pm Night activity 2 followed by supper.

Friday 16th September

7:00am Pack bags and vacate rooms.

8:00am Breakfast.

9:00am Load bus and depart for Dorrigo National Park via Waterfall Way.

10:00am Morning tea.

10:30 – 12:30pm Dorrigo National Park – Sensing the rainforest experience.

12:30pm Lunch.

1:00pm Depart Dorrigo National Park.

2:30pm Afternoon tea.

4:30pm Arrive Eltham Public School.

Packing List

- **Toiletries:** soap, toothpaste, toothbrush, roll-on deodorant, shampoo, hair brush, tissues, sunscreen, sanitary items as required.
- **Packed lunch, Morning Tea and Afternoon Tea** – Day 1 only
- **Water bottle**

Clothes:

- 3 pairs of underwear
- 3 pairs of socks
- Pyjamas (winter)
- Warm, covered shoes and ugg boots/slippers for night-time
- 2 pairs of shorts
- 2 jumpers
- 2 pair of long pants - jeans/tracksuit pants/tights
- 3 tops
- Rain coat or waterproof shell
- Large plastic bag for worn/dirty clothing
- 1 hat

Cabins will have towels, linen, heating and ensuite.

All bedding will be provided at the accommodation

PLEASE LABEL EVERYTHING

Code of Conduct

All participants accept personal responsibility for behaving in the following manner, at all times, to ensure the safety and enjoyment everyone:

1. Show respect towards fellow students, teachers, camp staff and public.
2. Follow all instructions given by teachers and supervisors.
3. Take responsibility for personal care, hygiene and personal belongings.
4. Respect other people's property.
5. Be on time and listen carefully to instructions.
6. Care and support fellow students.
7. Keep yourself safe.
8. Report concerns promptly to supervising teachers.

Student Contract

I accept that any consistent or serious breaches of our Excursion Code of Conduct, that places the enjoyment, welfare, and safety of others in jeopardy, will not be tolerated.

I understand that I could be sent home, at my parent's expense, if I choose not to follow our Code of Conduct.

Student Name: Parent Name:.....

Student: (signature): Parent: (signature):

Date:

1/8/22

Senior Camp Excursion 2022

I give consent for my child _____, (print child name) to attend the Senior Camp Excursion at Coffs Coast Adventure Camp from Wednesday 11th September to Friday 14th September 2022.

I understand that travel is by coach.

Please circle: My child does **OR** does not suffer with travel sickness.

I would like to use my child's Educational Hardship Fund balance to cover the cost of this excursion.

COVID Safety

I acknowledge that this event/activity is required to be held in accordance with any current NSW Health COVID-19 Public Health Orders and the NSW Department of Education's policies and procedures. I acknowledge and accept that there is a risk that my child may be exposed to COVID-19 whilst attending and participating at this event. I confirm that my child will not attend if displaying any symptoms of illness, and/or if directed to isolate under public health orders.

Parent/Carer Name (Please Print): _____

Parent/Carer Signature: _____ Date: _____