

Excursion Permission Note

Where:	School Swimming Carnival – Gungahlin Leisure Centre				
Purpose: (including cost breakdown)	A school community event for students and staff to build relationships in a safe, fun and competitive atmosphere. Competitive races are available along with some enjoyable activities. This is a whole school event and as such there will not be supervision at school. School will be relocated to Gungahlin Leisure Centre.		Transport:	\$6.00	
			Venue Hire:	\$8.00	
Date:	22 nd February 2019	Time:	8.55am – 3.00pm	Total Cost:	\$14.00
Transport:	QCITY Transport chartered buses to and from UCHSK				
Staff Attending:	All				
Special Requirements/ Medical Changes:	Students who wish to be involved in the swimming free time section of the day must successfully complete a swimming proficiency test. Other water activities will be available for those who are unsuccessful.				
Meeting time/place/teacher:	Students to assemble in the UCHSK gym at 8.55am in PC groups.				

Many excursions involve non-refundable advance bookings and payments. Parents/Carers need to be aware that refunds are not always available if students change their minds about attending. Students are expected to catch up on class work missed as a result of attending this excursion.

Staff accompanying students on excursions will take all reasonable care while students are in their charge to protect them from injury and to control and supervise their behaviour and activities.

Should there be any changes to your child's medical circumstances (as outlined in their enrolment medical information) please notify the teacher supervising this excursion.

Parents should be aware that staff members are not responsible for injuries or damage to property that 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.

Please note: If you are experiencing financial hardship regarding this excursion, please contact the Principal to discuss payment options.

The Education Act 2004 states that your child will not be refused benefits or services if you do not choose to contribute. Individual records of contributions are confidential.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at the school if you have any questions or require any further information.

Michelle Coleman
Co-ordinating teacher

Dan Mowbray
Principal

I wish for my child _____ to attend the School Swimming Carnival on 22/2/19. **Notes and \$14 payment to be returned to Front Office by Tuesday 19th February.**

I understand the conditions set out above and have read the attached schedule of events.

- Medical information is attached
 Swimming ability information is attached
 I give permission for photographs of my child to be taken and displayed as appropriate.

Signed _____ Date _____
Parent Name (printed)

Payment Method: Mastercard Visa Cash Direct Deposit QuickWeb Cheque

UC High School Management Account **BSB: 032777 A/C: 001455** Receipt number:.....
Please include student name, school year & payment detail (excursion name)

CREDIT CARD AUTHORITY

I hereby give authority for payment to be made from my credit card. My credit card details are:

Card No: • • • CCV: _____

Expiry date: ___/___ Cardholder's Name: _____ Date: _____

Cardholder's Signature: _____ Amount: \$ _____



Due to changes in ACT Department of Education guidelines additional information is required for students to participate in aquatic activities. A Survival Challenge proficiency test must be completed by any student intending on entering the water.

For more details of the elements in the Survival Challenge, you can contact the Royal Life Saving Society, ACT on (02) 6260 5800.

The test involves:

1. Student performs a slide in entry and walks through 5m of water with acceptable stability and coordination
2. Student swims continuously for 25m using an action that resembles a stroke
3. Student performs Survival Skull, float or tread water for 1 minute in deep water. Call for help once within the minute
4. Student exits water unassisted
5. Student performs a voice rescue to a buddy who is pretending to be in trouble. Reassure victim and encourage them to a point of safety. Call for assistance.

We also require the following information which will assist us to provide a safe environment for your child's participation in swimming/aquatic activities.

Child's Name: _____

Please describe in detail your child's swimming ability, e.g. water confidence, swimming strength, distance (swimming continuously) and ability to tread water.

Please list any special requirements necessary for your child to participate in swimming/aquatic activities.

Parent/guardian signature: _____ Date: _____

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Please Note: The financial contribution is voluntary. The Education Act 2004 states that your child will not be refused benefits or services if you do not choose to contribute. Individual records of contributions are confidential. Please contact the school before the carnival if you have any concerns regarding these contributions.

Please return completed permission slips and medical form to the PE Staffroom.

Please ensure all payments are made to the Front Office.