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Excursion to National Museum of Australia for 5/6MP & 5/6SM

Dear Parent/Carer

Please complete and return to the front office no later than: **Mon 25/3**

COST: \$11.00 Cost Covers: Travel Entry Program Other

NOTE: I accept that if my child is sick or unable to attend, **NO** refund will be provided from the school if written notification is received less than 7 days before the excursion.

Excursion date: **Thursday 4 April 2019**
 Departure time: **10:00am** Return time: **2:30pm**
 Excursion venue: **National Museum of Australia**
 Mode of transport: **Chartered bus**
 Excursion requirements: **See back of note**

NOTE: Students going on the excursion are required to wear official school uniform

Teacher in Charge: **Martin Papavgeris**
 Contact details: **Christos.Papavgeris@ed.act.edu.au**

**CHILDREN WHO HAVE NOT RETURNED A SIGNED PERMISSION FORM
WILL NOT BE ABLE TO ATTEND THE EXCURSION**

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I consent for my child _____ in _____ to attend
National Museum of Australia on Thursday 4 April 2019

I have paid the amount of : **\$11.00**

CASH **CHEQUE** **WESTPAC QUICKWEB** **CREDIT CARD**

Westpac Quickweb: use PAYMENTS tab on school website home page/Credit card details provided on payment envelope
 We have an **Excursion Medical Information and Consent Form** on file. Please note any information below about current medical requirements and/or needs of your child relevant to this excursion.

I have read the information at the top and back of this permission form regarding this excursion and understand what it contains.

Signature: _____ Quickweb Receipt number: _____ Date: _____

Name: _____ Contact number for parent/carers during this excursion: _____

Office Use Only: Family Key: _____ OPT. FAMB _____ Fee Code: _____
 Student Key: _____ **56NAT**



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What to bring:

Recess, a packed lunch, a drink bottle and a hat.

Excursion information:

As part of our Learning Community's HASS focus of history studying Australia's colonial past we have arranged an excursion to the National Museum of Australia.

The Wild Colonial Bag onsite program is tailored for teachers leading self-guided student groups and includes objects and activities for exploring the Museum. The activities support the Australian Curriculum, suit different learning styles and lets students explore migrant experiences, the impacts of colonialism, the age of paddle-steamers and much more.

The excursion relates directly to several of the curriculum indicators we are covering this semester, including:

- The impact of a significant development or event on an Australian colony (ACHASSK108)
- The nature of convict or colonial presence, including the factors that influenced patterns of development, aspects of the daily life of the inhabitants (including Aboriginal Peoples and Torres Strait Islander Peoples) and how the environment changed (ACHASSK107)

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.

I authorise the teacher in charge of this excursion to make arrangements for the welfare of my child, including medical or surgical treatment in an emergency. I also agree to meet the costs associated with any emergency arrangement.

I agree that my child will be under the authority of the school for the duration of the excursion, and that the teacher in charge is authorised to return the student home at the expense of the parent/carer if the teacher in charge considers that circumstances warrant such action.

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.

While all contributions towards school events are voluntary, we welcome the support of our parent community, so that this is a viable outing for all students. If you have concerns about the payment, please contact the Principal or Business Manager on 6142 2200.