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Dear Parents/Carers

RE: YEAR 4 CAMP 2021

This term our Year 4 students will be attending a two-night camp at 'The Farm Campus' in the Currumbin Valley. We will depart Blair State School at 8.30 am on Monday, 15 March 2021 and return by 3.30 pm on Wednesday, 17 March 2021.

Some of the activities the children will enjoy include rock climbing, archery, learning about life on the farm, meeting the farm animals, games night, movie night and a rock pools swim (if weather permits). The accommodation style is comfortable cabins under permanent shelter structures.

The total cost of the camp will be \$215. This covers the cost of transport (a bus with seat belts), accommodation, activities, meals and staff.

Payments can be made at the school money window on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays between 8.15 am - 11.30 am and can be made in instalments if this is an easier option. A non-refundable deposit of \$50 is required by Tuesday, 09 February 2021. Full payment must be received by Friday, 05 March 2021. Should you require a payment plan, please contact the office before Friday, 08 February 2021.

NO LATE PAYMENTS can be accepted after this date as we must advise the camp of final numbers.

Unfortunately If we do not have enough students attending, we may need to cancel the camp.

Our aim is to have every child in Year 4 join in with this experience, however if your child does not comply with the expected standards of behaviour or **payment of the Resource Levy is not up to date ie, \$130 or \$45 if you have provided your own resources**, then they will be excluded from this privilege.

The behaviours expected are:

- Adherence to classroom and playground rules
- Application to classroom activities
- Ability to work responsibly and independently
- Co-operation and respect for others
- **Up to date payment of Resource Scheme and any other outstanding fees**

At this stage, the staff attending will be Mrs Michelle Layton, Ms Lozz Kennedy and Ms Verity Finn. Unfortunately, we are unable to take any parents on this camp.

Providing quality education for all children

Attached you will find a permission form and camp information for parents, including a list of personal belongings the children will need for the camp. Please complete the Permission Form and return it to the office together with a deposit of \$50.00 by Tuesday, 09/02/21.

Regards



Michelle Layton
Class Teacher /Camp Organiser



Craig Pearen
Principal

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PERMISSION FORM Year 4 Camp 2021

I **give / do not give** permission for my child, _____,
to attend and participate in the year 4 camp at The Farm Campus in Currumbin Valley from Monday,
15/03/21 until Wednesday, 17/03/21.

- I have enclosed the \$50 deposit.
- I understand the full cost of the camp is \$215 and this amount is to be paid by Friday, 05 March 2021.
- I acknowledge that the medical and emergency contact details held on file for my child are current and correct.

I acknowledge that The Department of Education, Training and Employment does not have Personal Accident Insurance cover for students.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Name: _____

(please print)

FORM C - CAMP INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

It gives us great pleasure to inform you that your child has been invited to attend a residential camp experience at the Currumbin Valley Campus of the Tallebudgera Outdoor and Environmental Education Centre. We understand that while camp is a rewarding and exciting time for students, it can be a worrying time for parents and carers. We hope that you find the following information useful and comforting.

PERSONAL BELONGINGS

While at camp students will participate in a variety of outdoor and environmental based activities. Please follow the below list as a minimum, to ensure students have enough clothing for the entire camp. TOEEC deeply values sustainable environmental actions. Please avoid bringing single use plastic bottles and **DO NOT** bring any food on camp (with the exception of pre-arranged special dietary requirements).

CHILDREN MUST BRING THE FOLLOWING ITEMS CLEARLY LABELLED TO CAMP.

CLOTHING	√	FOOTWEAR	√
Shorts		Sandshoes (closed in)	
T-Shirts (Sleeveless shirts are unsuitable)		Thongs and or Sandals	
Socks		Wet shoes or old pair of sand shoes for water activities is essential	
Underwear (optional - Bike Pants or Skins for chaffing)		(croc as wet shoes are not suitable)	
Swimwear		BEDDING	√
Long Pants		2 Sheets	
Warm Jumper/ Jacket & Pants		Pillow / Pillowcase	
Pyjamas		Blanket/Sleeping Bag	
Raincoat / poncho		TOILETRIES	√
Full Brim Hat - ' No Hat, No Play ' policy		Toothbrush/Toothpaste	
Neat casual clothes for evening activities		Soap/ Shampoo/ Lip Balm	
MISCELLANEOUS	√	Brush/Comb	
Torch – essential for night walk		2 Towels / Washer	
Drink bottle – essential for all activities		Deodorant (No aerosols)	
Small back pack		30 + Sunscreen is essential	

SAFETY

Strict safety procedures for the various activities have been developed and are explained to the children upon arrival at the Campus and again before each activity is undertaken. Trained and qualified Camp Staff are heavily involved with the operations of the residential camping program. Visiting staff will be fully briefed on their roles and responsibilities. Risk assessments have been performed on all activities within the program.

STUDENT WELFARE

PLEASE DO NOT SEND YOUR CHILD TO CAMP IF THEY ARE EXHIBITING ANY COVID-19 SYMPTOMS.

Student independence is a major goal of our programs. If a student needs medical assistance for any illness or injury, parents will be contacted. There will be a small number of occasions when sensitive welfare issues will occur. In such cases parents will be contacted. Parents can be assured that minor health and welfare incidents are managed sensitively by our staff. If your child is identified as a 'bed wetter' on the medical consent form, these students will be dealt with discretely.

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS

Parents must write a covering letter to the Head of Campus with any additional concerns that may be relevant during the course of your child's stay. These could include severe health concerns, food, any custody issues, early departures, physical activity special needs, swimming and any other matters.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the Currumbin Valley Campus procedures or operations please do not hesitate to contact your child's camp co-ordinator who will pass on any required information. We trust that your child's stay shall be a memorable and enjoyable experience.

Kind regards,
Currumbin Valley Campus Staff

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FORM D

STUDENT MEDICAL CONSENT NOTE PLEASE COPY BACK TO BACK

SURNAME

School Male or Female
 Given Name Surname Date of Birth
 Home Address Post Code
 Parent/Guardian Names Home Phone Work/Mobile
 Details of Medical Cover (MBF etc)
 Pension Concession Details Expiry Date

Please fill out all Medicare info below.

1. Medicare No.
 2. Number of person.
 3. Medicare Exp Date



If YES is indicated below, please provide extensive information including medical details, dosage and administering times.

Diabetes	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	If YES, information MUST be downloaded from our website and attached to this form- www.tallebudgeraooec.eq.edu.au <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Residential Camps Hero's Journey Information for Parents Medical conditions / Special needs 	Asthma / Other Respiratory Problems	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Has your child had an infectious disease recently?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Epilepsy	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		Sinus & or Hay Fever (Please circle)	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Immunised for Measles, Chicken pox etc.	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Special Learning Needs (adhd, autism, etc)	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		Tetanus Booster	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Severe Allergy – (Epipen)	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		Last Given:- Year:-	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Physical Disabilities	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		Provide details of medication that your child needs to take at camp		MEDICATION	
Bed Wetting/ Sleep Walking/ Phobias	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Details-		DOSAGE		
Medical Allergies Eg: penicillin, analgesics	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Details-		Breakfast		
Food Allergies (medically diagnosed eg. coeliac, dairy, etc)	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Details-		Lunch		
Special Dietary Requirements (Religious reasons, vegetarian, no pork, etc)	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Details-		Dinner		
Heart condition / recent operation or injury	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Details-		Supper		
Other Relevant Information	Details-					

The Beach School has a number of aquatic based activities, please indicate your child's swimming ability level- (please tick relevant box)

- Non swimmer Weak swimmer (unable to swim 25m) Competent (can swim 25m)

In the case of a medical emergency every effort will be made to notify carers.

In the rare instance that contact cannot be made please give authorisation for Qualified Practitioners to administer:
ANAESTHETIC (Please Circle) YES NO BLOOD TRANSFUSION (Please Circle) YES NO

Medical Practice General Practitioner's Name Ph.....

Secondary Contact Description (ie. Aunty / Grandparent) Ph.....

School staff will not administer over the counter medication, including analgesics, homeopathic or prescribed medication without a written request from a parent / guardian and/or by written advice from a medical practitioner. Medications must be labelled and in the original container.

(YES/NO) I give permission for school staff to administer one dose of paracetamol as required should my child be suffering from a headache or any mild discomfort.

Are there any custodial issues that the Principal and/or staff of TOEEC – Currumbin Valley Campus should be made aware of? Please outline:
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If your child has any other additional details or conditions please outline:
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Education Queensland requires a risk assessment to be conducted on all curriculum areas that contain potential hazards. At the Beach School several activities (eg. Body boarding, tobogganing, etc) are deemed as high risk. To minimise these potential risks the Beach School implements strict safety procedures in accordance with the Departments safety guidelines. The Beach School prides itself on its impeccable safety record. All sessions are conducted by trained and highly qualified staff. Please refer to the Beach School website for further information - www.tallebudgeraooeec.eq.edu.au > Residential Camps > Hero's Journey > Hero's Journey CARA's

I (DO / DO NOT) give the Tallebudgera Beach School permission to use any photographs or videos of my child for promotional or marketing purposes.

I (Name)give permission for my child to participate in adventure based activities that are considered high risk by Education Queensland and I hereby authorise the Principal, or his representatives, to obtain such medical attention as may be deemed necessary. I acknowledge that the Department of Education & Training does not have Personal Accident Insurance cover for students. I agree to pay all expenses incurred on behalf of the above student.

SIGNATURE REQUIRED (Parent / Guardian) : Date/...../.....