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Dear Parents/ Guardians

As you are undoubtedly aware, Applecross Primary School has conducted very successful and enjoyable camps for our Year 6 students for many years. We see camps as beneficial to students as they support both academic and social programs offered within the school.

Camps enable us to provide learning activities for students to engage in enhanced leadership opportunities, as well as a focus on teaching each child skills that will assist them during the year and in the future. These include goal setting, organisational skills, foundations of confidence and persistence and contributing as part of a team. A camp environment allows us to introduce aspects of the above in a meaningful and stimulating manner for the students.

This year we will be going to 'Forest Edge,' located in Waroona. This camp is located just over an hour's drive from Perth and offers an additional advantage in that students spend more time engaged in activities rather than the commute. The camp has been booked from 2–4 November 2022 and offers challenging activities such as Abseil Nursery, Raft Building, Kayaking, Big Fox and more; all in a safe environment coordinated by experts. The venue also has a Covid Safety Plan Certificate in line with current Government guidelines.

We anticipate this year's camp costing approximately \$390. This is only an estimate and may change. Costs are dependent on numbers of students attending. The more children that attend the cheaper the camp becomes. We have no desire to see any child miss this opportunity due to financial hardship and we are always willing to discuss arrangements to make attendance possible. Please contact Mrs Lisa Mackay, Manager of Corporate Services, prior to the camp to discuss if necessary. The purpose of this note is to provide early communication so that financial arrangements can be put in place well in advance. The school is always happy to receive regular smaller contributions towards school camps and these can be made by direct deposit into the school bank account. A record of the payments made will be maintained and will be reimbursed should your child not attend the camp for any reason.

If you would like to know more, there will be a Year 6 parent meeting, scheduled for Monday 25 July at 3.15pm in the library. More details relating to the camp, permission notes and final costs will be forwarded during the term.

Yours sincerely

Bea Bouska
Principal
27 June 2022

TO BE RETURNED TO YOUR CLASS TEACHER
Due date: 1 July 2022

YEAR 6 CAMP RESPONSE FORM

YEAR 6 FOREST EDGE CAMP TERM 4 2022

- I will be attending the parent meeting on Monday 25 July at 3.15pm to get further information about the Forest Edge Camp in Term 4, 2022.
- Yes, I would like my child to attend the Forest Edge Camp in Term 4, 2022.
- No, my child will not be attending the Forest Edge Camp in Term 4, 2022.

Child's Name: _____

Parent Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____