



# GLENHAVEN PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Caregivers,

## YEAR 3 - COCKATOO ISLAND & THE ROCKS CONVICT EXPERIENCE

During Term 3, the students in Years 3 & 4 will be visiting Cockatoo Island and The Rocks in Sydney in order to experience the lives of convicts during early settlement. This excursion is based upon our History Unit, 'First Contacts'. Year 3 students will be departing school on Tuesday 6 September at 7:30am and will be returning at approximately 4:00pm depending upon traffic.

Children will be visiting the following venues as detailed below.

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Tuesday 6 September, 2022</b>
<b>Destination:</b>	<b>The Rocks &amp; Cockatoo Island</b>
<b>Time:</b>	<b>7:30am bus will depart sharp (students to be at school by 7:15am)</b>
<b>Return:</b>	<b>Approximately 4:00pm depending on traffic</b>
<b>Cost:</b>	<b>\$57.00 per student non-refundable</b>

Students will be travelling to The Rocks by seat-belted coach and then after the walking tour they will travel to Cockatoo Island by ferry. Students should bring their own recess, lunch and a water bottle or drink in a small backpack (**no plastic bags please**). All children are to wear their full school winter sport uniform and ensure they bring their hat. If your child suffers, or is likely to suffer travel sickness, please inform the class teacher. Please be advised that there is a risk of contracting Covid at any event.

Please note your child's attendance is optional. Their inclusion however depends upon the payment of the excursion costs being met no later than **Friday 22 July, 2022**.

In order for your child to participate in this learning experience, please complete the permission slip below and return it along with payment to the **Red Box in the School Administration Office Foyer, no later than Friday 22 July, 2022**.

Parents who are unable to meet all or part of the expenses associated with this excursion are advised to contact the school to discuss options available **prior to the due date**.

David Reid  
**Assistant Principal**

Kerry Maxwell  
**Principal**

(Please keep this section for your information)

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## GLENHAVEN PUBLIC SCHOOL YEAR 3 - COCKATOO ISLAND & THE ROCKS CONVICT EXPERIENCE PERMISSION NOTE

I give permission for my child ..... of class ..... to attend **The Rocks and Cockatoo Island Convict Experience** excursion on **Tuesday 6 September, 2022**. I understand my child will be travelling to and from the venue by seat-belted coach and ferry and the cost of this excursion is **\$57.00** and to participate in this educational experience I understand that the permission note and payment is due no later than **Friday 22 July, 2022**. I also understand that there will **not be a refund if my child is unable** to attend on the day.

Signed: ..... (Parent/Caregiver) Date: .....

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.

Signature of Parent/Caregiver: ..... Date: .....

If your child has any medical conditions that may have an impact on this excursion, (eg. Asthma, anaphylaxis) please indicate below.

Medical Conditions: .....