



Chapman Primary School



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“Achieving Excellence Together”

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Dear Parents/Carers,

YEAR 3 CANBERRA DEEP SPACE COMMUNICATION COMPLEX EXCURSION

The following details relate to an educational excursion to the Canberra Deep Space Communication Complex at Tidbinbilla which is being organised for students in year 3.

Purpose:	To complement the Science Inquiry learning students have a guided tour of the complex and participate in the “How Day Turns to Night” educational program.
Day/Date:	Tuesday 11 October 2022
Timetable:	Departing Chapman Primary School at 9.30 am Returning to Chapman Primary School by 1.10 pm
Venue:	Canberra Deep Space Communication Complex 421 Discovery Dr, Paddys River ACT
Transport:	Bus
Cost:	\$13.00
Payment and Permission due by	Wednesday 21 September 2022

The school has made every effort to keep cost for this excursion to a minimal level. If necessary, parents or students can confidentially discuss support to meet the cost of the excursion with the Principal. Please contact the front office if you would like to speak with the Principal.

Group size	80	Ratio: 1:20
Teacher in charge:	Rebecca van der Stap	
Accompanying Staff	Vanessa Ackland, Bec Carney, Fiona Duncan, Rebecca van der Stap & Sue Patterson	
Meals	Students will eat lunch and recess at the complex	
What to bring	Backpack with lunch and recess, water bottle, sunsmart hat	
What to wear	Full school uniform. Please dress appropriately for the weather on the day.	
Excursion Risk Assessment: Available from the front office		
Emergency Contact for this excursion: Chapman Primary School 02 6142 2400		
Contingency:	If this excursion cannot be rescheduled a full refund will be made.	
Behavioural Expectations:	Students are expected to demonstrate Chapman FRIENDS values and the PBL expectations of being safe, responsible and respectful.	

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.

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.

If you are happy for your child to attend, please return:

- Completed Permission form and payment to your child's classroom teacher no later than:
10.00am on Wednesday 21 September 2022
- Medical Information and Consent Form if required

Kind regards

Year 3 Teaching Team



Chapman Primary School Excursion Permission Form YEAR 3 CANBERRA DEEP SPACE COMMUNICATION COMPLEX

This signed consent form and payment should be returned to your child's classroom teacher no later than 10:00am on Wednesday 21 September 2022.

I give permission for my child _____ in class _____ to attend the year 3 excursion to the Canberra Deep Space Communication Complex on Tuesday 11 October 2022 travelling by bus.

I agree to my child participating in the activities associated with this excursion mentioned previously. I have discussed with my child the need for expected behaviour on this excursion. I authorise the school to make arrangements for the welfare of my child (including medical or surgical treatment) in an emergency and I agree to meet the associated costs. I have provided to the school all medical information relevant to my child attending this excursion. I agree that my child will be under the authority of the school for the duration of the excursion and that the school is authorised to return my child to school or home at my expense if the school considers that circumstances warrant such action. I give permission for my child to travel by private car, driven by a staff member or parent, in an emergency.

I have completed the ACT Education Medical Information Consent Form for 2022.

The Medical Information and consent form only needs to be completed once/year prior to the first excursion unless there are changes to the details on this form.

Are there any changes to this form? Yes No

If yes, an updated [Medical Information and Consent Form](#) is required to be completed (available through the front office).

Will your child require medication to be administered during the excursion (e.g. allergy medication, pain relief)? Yes No

(If yes, please complete a [Medication Authorisation and Administration Record](#) if the school does not already have up-to-date information about this).

All medications held at the school will be transported to this excursion.

Is there any additional information you need to provide to support your child's participation in this excursion?

Yes No (If yes, please provide these details below.)

Please provide the following information:

Medicare No:		Private Health Fund:		Membership No:	
Ambulance fund: Parents are responsible for ambulance costs outside the ACT					

Payment Code: Yr3Space

Excursion Payment Details

Enclosed is cash to the value of **\$13.00** to cover the cost of the excursion.

Quickweb payment of **\$13.00** made on (date) _____ receipt number _____
<https://www.chapmanps.act.edu.au/payment>

Please ensure that this permission form is returned to your child's teacher

Name of Parent/Carer (please print): _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

If you fill in this form, your personal information and that of your child will be collected and handled by the ACT Education Directorate (EDU) This information is necessary for us to manage student participation in excursions and support the welfare and safety of your

child. If you do not consent to supply us with this information your child will be unable to participate in the excursion. Normally, we will not use or disclose this information for another purpose, without your consent, unless you would reasonably expect us to use or disclose the information for a related purpose. Normally we only share information with school staff and, where necessary, parents or volunteers assisting with the excursion to appropriately and effectively manage the excursion. The Directorate has a privacy policy that explains how we handle personal information, including how we handle privacy complaints. The policy is available on the Directorate's website (www.det.act.gov.au) on the About Us page.