

EXCURSION DETAILS:	As part of the Turn the Tide program grade 5 students have the opportunity to participate in this free excursion to Phillip Island Nature Parks. Rangers will teach and encourage students to create and implement a project to help their school and local environment. This will be followed up by a final incursion by the rangers in Term 4.
EXCURSION DATE:	18 <sup>th</sup> September, 9:15- 2pm
COST & CLOSING DATE:	Free. We are grateful to the Phillip Island Nature Parks and Department of Education. <b>SIGNED NOTICES MUST STILL BE COMPLETED FOR YOUR CHILD TO ATTEND by Friday 13<sup>th</sup> September, 2019.</b> Please sign the reply slip below.
DEPARTURE/RETURN TIMES:	Students will be leaving school at 9:15 sharp and returning back to school by approximately 2pm.
STAFF ATTENDING:	Rebecca Hengemuhle and Mark Dewhurst
TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS:	Students will be travelling to and from the venue by bus service organised by Phillip Island Nature Parks.
STUDENT INDEMNITY:	By signing the payment envelope I understand that I have given my authority for the teacher in charge of the excursion to consent, where it is impracticable to communicate with me, to the child receiving such medical or surgical treatment as may be deemed necessary and payment of any expenses thus incurred.
FURTHER INFORMATION:	Students will be required to:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• wear full school uniform</li> <li>• bring a lunch, snack and drink in named bag / container</li> <li>• bring a waterproof warm jacket</li> </ul>
STUDENT BEHAVIOUR:	I understand that in the event of my son's/daughter's misbehaviour or behaviour that poses a danger to himself/herself or others during the excursion, he/she may be sent home. I further understand that in such circumstances I will be informed and that any costs associated with his/her return will be my responsibility.
CONSENT TO EMERGENCY TRANSPORTATION:	In the event of an emergency I consent to my child being transported in a privately owned vehicle driven by a member of the supervisory staff listed above.
STUDENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE:	The Department of Education does not provide student accident cover including ambulance cover. Parents may wish to obtain student accident insurance cover from a commercial insurer, depending on their health insurance arrangements and any other personal considerations. Parents are also advised to ensure that they have ambulance cover as the school will not hesitate in calling an ambulance if required.
PARENT HELPERS	If you would like to assist with this excursion please indicate your interest below. No pre-school children may attend and I have a current working with children check.
EXCURSION CO ORDINATOR	Rebecca Hengemuhle

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## REPLY SLIP: **Grade 5 Turn the Tide Excursion to Phillip Island Nature Parks**

I authorise for the teacher in charge of the excursion to consent, where it is impracticable to communicate with me, to the child receiving such medical or surgical treatment as may be deemed necessary and payment of any expenses thus incurred.

PARENTS SIGNATURE ..... Date: .....

In case of emergency I can be contacted on this day on .....

CHILDS NAME: ..... Grade: .....

If you would like to volunteer as a parent helper on this excursion please write down your name and phone number and we will get back to you in week 8. I understand that no pre-school children may attend and I have a current working with children check.

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Parent Name:

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Contact Number