

STAGE 2 EXCURSION



Dear Parent,

As part of our studies for Geography & Science, an excursion has been organised for Stage Two, to Taronga Zoo on **Wednesday 23rd August**.

During our excursion, students will examine the significance, perceptions and protection of Australian and Sumatra's tropical rainforests. They will hear first hand from experts at Taronga Zoo whilst meeting native Australian wildlife, and then explore Taronga Zoo's new Sumatran Tiger exhibit - Tiger Trek. The aim of the workshop is to help the students learn how people can use places and environments more sustainably.

ITINERARY FOR THE DAY:

7.00am: Depart Holy Family School

10.00am: Arrive at Taronga Zoo & have morning tea

	Year 3	Year 4	Year 4/5
10.30	Workshop	Explore Zoo	Explore Zoo
11.30	Lunch	Workshop	Lunch
12.30	Explore Zoo	Lunch	Workshop

For the remainder of the day, students will explore the zoo in their groups. We will meet for afternoon tea near the entrance/exit at 2.30, ready to depart at 3pm.

- **Cost for the excursion is \$40** (Includes cost of entry to the zoo, student workshop and bus)
- Students are to wear their sports uniform and hat. They will also need a drink bottle, packed lunch and morning and afternoon tea. Please pack lightly, as students will be carrying their bag with them as they explore.
- No devices or cameras are to be brought on the bus/excursion.
- No food is to be eaten on the bus

PARENT HELPERS: We will need 6 parent helpers (two from each class) to come along and assist with supervision of groups on the day. If you would like to assist with supervision on the day, it will be at an additional cost of \$40 per parent. As we can only take 6 parent helpers due to limited seats on the bus, please return your permission slip as soon as possible if you would like to come along. We will require two males within the six helpers for supervision reasons.

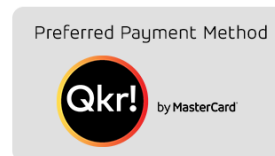
Kind regards,
Chris Tanchevski, Sue Porteus & Bernadette Mitchell
Stage 2 Teachers

I give permission for my child _____ of Yr _____ to attend the Stage 2 excursion to Taronga Zoo on Wednesday 23rd August.

Signed: _____

I enclose cash/cheque payment of \$40.00 OR

I have made payment through QKR OR



Please charge my credit card Visa/Mastercard

Card No. _____ Expiry Date: _____ CCV _____

Cardholder Name: _____ Signature: _____

I would also like to attend as a parent helper at an additional cost of \$40.
(fill in only if applicable)

NAME: _____ SIGNED: _____