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STAGE 2 HISTORY EXCURSION

This Semester, Stage 2 are completing a history unit as part of our classroom lessons. This unit focuses on 'First Contacts – Colonisation'.

To further educate students on this unit, an excursion has been planned for week 7 of Term 2. We are very excited about this event. It is a significant excursion for Stage 2 this year and it links seamlessly with what we are learning in class. We anticipate it to be a fabulous day!

Throughout the day, students will participate in a tour of Sydney Harbour to:

- *See and learn about sites significant in the development of Sydney as a colony and the contact with local Aboriginal groups;*
- *Have lunch in the surrounds of Clifton Gardens.*

Further information below:

- **Date:** Tuesday 1st June 2021
- **Time:** We will be meeting in the HALL at 7:30am for rollcall then boarding seat belted coaches.
- **Venue:** Boarding at McMahons Point Wharf, Sydney
- **Return** to VVPS at 4.00pm.
- **Cost** \$55.00

What to bring

- Food: Crunch & sip, morning tea, packed lunch and lots of water. Students **will not** have the option to purchase any food or drink throughout the day.
- Hat and sunscreen.
- Wet weather gear, including jumper or spray jacket, an umbrella that can fit in their bag (small one only).
- Students need to be in **full school uniform** and wear appropriate walking shoes.

At 7:30am students will line up in their class groups. They will be marked off by their class teacher and must stay with their class while they wait to leave. Due to the travel time, we will not be able to wait for students who are late.

When we return to VVPS, all students will stay with their class inside the hall until their parents have seen the class teacher to have them marked off the roll. If your child will be signed out by someone else, a note needs to be given to your child's class teacher prior to the day.

On the day we will have many staff members accompanying us on the excursion.

If there are any changes, or delays on the day, we will keep parents notified through the school app and school Facebook page. In case of emergency, parents can call the school office, and they will contact the staff.

Yours sincerely,

Stage 2 Teachers

Kirsty Squires
Principal

VALLEY VIEW PUBLIC SCHOOL- PERMISSION NOTE

PLEASE FILL IN AND RETURN TO YOUR CLASSROOM TEACHER

STAGE 2 HISTORY EXCURSION

I hereby consent to my son/daughterYear Class.....
to participate in the Stage 2 History Excursion on Tuesday 1 June 2021.

- I understand students will be travelling by coach.
- I understand that there is \$55.00.
- I understand that a written permission note must be given to the organising teacher if your child is travelling home/being picked up by another parent. Name of Parent picking up your child
- I understand that this permission slip will cover this event/date and any other date **relating to this event** that is changed due to circumstances beyond the schools control
- Permission for photos / Publish (including social media) Yes / No

Parents please note there is no personal injury insurance provided by the NSW Department of Education and Training for students in relation to school sporting activities, physical education lessons or any other school activity. Parents and caregivers are advised to assess the level and extent of their child's involvement in the sport program offered by the school, zone, area and state school sport associations when deciding whether your child should attend, whether additional insurance cover, above that provided by Medicare, is required.

Signed Date
Parent / Caregiver

Medical Information Form – this section MUST be filled out

Parent / Caregiver details:

Name.....

Address.....

Phone: Home Work Mobile

Medicare Number

I do / do not give permission for my child to receive medical treatment in case of emergency

Doctor details:

Name

Address.....

Phone: Home Work Mobile.....

Emergency Contacts: (if parents are unable to be reached)

Name Phone.....

Name Phone.....

Existing medical conditions or illnesses: (asthma, diabetes, epilepsy, allergies, etc) Outline treatment -

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Outline **special dietary needs** including possible reaction to inappropriate diet -.....

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Medications to be administered during the excursion: Include name, instructions and time for administration and any possible reactions -.....

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Signature **Date**

Privacy Notice: The information provided on this form is being obtained for the purpose of safety on the excursion. It will be used by NSW DET for obtaining medical assistance if required. Provision of this information is required by law. It will be securely stored.