St Anthony's

Year 6 Excursion to Canberra

6 February 2014

Dear Parents and Carers,

In order to enhance our learning and as part of our HSIE and Science and Technology units of work, Year 6 will be travelling to Canberra on Thursday 19 June and returning on Friday 20 June (Week 8 of Term 2). We will spend one night at Eaglehawk Holiday Park, Sutton (NSW/ACT Border).

This excursion is a wonderful opportunity for our students. Educationally, students will consolidate their learning about democracy and government and aspects of Science and Technology. They will explore aspects of our past and present that shape Australia's modern identity. It also makes a worthwhile contribution to their social and personal development as they engage in a unique experience with their peers and teachers.

Due to the extensive planning required for such an excursion, it is necessary for us to start now. The excursion will cost approximately $200. If you believe that you may have difficulty meeting the cost of this excursion, please make an appointment to see Mr Lendvai immediately so that we can ensure that your child does not miss out on this fantastic opportunity.

At this point, we need to confirm final numbers so that our tour operators may finalise coach and accommodation arrangements. If you wish for your child to participate in this excursion, you need to return the slip below to school along with a $50 deposit confirming the booking. This is due by Friday 14 March. Additional installment payments may be made during Term 2, but the precise costing cannot be confirmed until final attendance numbers are determined. Further documentation, as well as an overnight excursion permission form, will be sent home in Term 2.

In addition, we will require the support of some parents on our excursion. If you are interested in assisting us, please indicate this on the form below.

If you have any further questions, please contact Mrs Francis or Mr Barden as soon as possible.

Thank you for your support.

Kind regards,

Attila Lendvai
Principal

Deepa Francis and Robert Barden
Year 6 Teachers

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Student Name: ________________________ Class: __________

I wish for my child to participate in the Year 6 Excursion on Thursday 19 – Friday 20 June 2014. I have enclosed a $50 deposit to secure my child's booking.

Parent Signature: ________________________ Date: __________

☐ I am interested in attending the excursion as a parent helper. I have/have not completed the Child Protection course and form.

Parent Name: ________________________