



St Andrew's Parish

CORPUS CHRISTI PRIMARY SCHOOL

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CERES ENVIRONMENT PARK - EXCURSION

Dear Parents,

Next term, students in Grades One and Two are learning about our Physical and Natural Environment. We will visit Ceres Park in Brunswick East - (a 4 hectare rehabilitated landfill site), to immerse the children in our big question "What do we need to do to sustain life for the future?" The excursion has been booked for Friday 2nd May, 2014.

We will be leaving school at **9:00 am** and returning at approximately **3:30pm** (this will depend on traffic). Children need to arrive at school no later than 8:45am on that day and need to bring their lunch and snack, with a drink (plastic screw top bottle or pop-top preferred), in a plastic bag clearly labelled with their name and grade. They will carry this with them. Children will also need to wear their full sports uniform, and wear gumboots and raincoat due to the nature of the excursion. **Children will need to bring their sneakers in a plastic bag to change into for the return journey to school on the bus.**

We require approximately **3 or 4 parent helpers** for each class, but please remember you must have a current **Working with Children Card** to attend the excursion and toddlers are unable to attend.

Please fill in the attached permission slip and return it to your classroom teacher no later than
Thursday 24th April, 2014.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Sultana, Mrs Dawson, Mrs Ware, Miss Padula, Miss Mounsey, Mr Volkwyn

Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School -Werribee

EXCURSION PERMISSION SLIP

CHILD'S NAME:GRADE:Teacher:.....

- My child has permission to attend:-

Excursion	Ceres Environmental Park
Venue	Ceres - Corner Roberts and Stewart streets, Brunswick East
Date(s)	Friday 2 nd May, 2014

- I understand that my child will be travelling to and from Corpus Christi Primary to Ceres by bus.
- Where I am unable to be contacted or it is otherwise impracticable for me to be contacted, I authorise the teacher in charge of the excursion to:

➤ **consent to**(Insert child's name)

- receiving such medical or surgical assistance as is recommended by a medical practitioner in the event of any illness or accident

or

- consent to such first aid as the teacher in charge of the excursion may consider necessary in the event of any illness or accident.

- **I accept**

- all risks involved in the administration of medical, surgical or first aid treatment considered necessary

and

- the responsibility for payment of all expenses incurred in relation to such treatment and any emergency transportation required.

- **I also accept** that:-

- my child may be returned home early from the excursion in the event of serious misbehaviour

and

- any cost associated with this will be met by me.

- Please state any current medical condition/s

- My child is currently taking the following medication:

1.

2.

I am *able* / *unable* to assist on the excursion.(Circle as appropriate)

Working with Children Check Requirements

If you are able to assist please note the following information is required and applies at all times while in the school grounds and when travelling with teachers and students to events held off the school grounds.

A requirement at Corpus Christi Primary School is that 'Working with Children Cards' are to be worn and displayed using a lanyard (available at the school office) at all times when working in the classrooms or when travelling off site as in attending an Excursion. Please complete the following information:

'WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK' CARD NUMBER: _____ / ____ Expiry _____

Signed: **Date:** **Mobile Number**

(Return to the Class Teacher by Thursday 24th April)