

St Mary's Primary School

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Dear Parents,

RE: National Zoo and Aquarium, Canberra Excursion K-6

All students at St Mary's Primary School are invited to participate in a trip to the National Zoo and Aquarium in Canberra. The cost of this excursion has been kindly supported by Catholic Care in response to the Bushfire Emergency in January.

Details are:

- Date: Friday 20 November 2020
- Depart school: 7:00am
- Arrive back at school 6:00pm
- Transport: Goodes Coaches

Students are to wear **school sports uniform** and ensure they have the following: school hat, water bottle, packed lunch and morning tea, and sunscreen.

We will also provide students with an extra water bottle and purchase all students a paddlepop from the zoo kiosk during the day.

Covid Safety Plans are provided to the school from both the bus company and the zoo. St Mary's Covid Safe plans are also in place for this excursion therefore, parents are not to send their child on the excursion if they are presenting with cold/flu like symptoms in line with our current Covid restrictions. Regular hand sanitising will be scheduled with the bus company and around zoo exhibits.

Optional: Students wanting to purchase souvenirs from the gift shop will be permitted to do so. Recommended \$20 limit. Students in K-2 are to place their money in an envelope with their name clearly marked on it, and hand their money to Ms Buckmaster for safe keeping, before getting on the bus.

We are very excited that we can offer this excursion to our students. Please sign permission below and submit by Friday 13 November.

Kind regards,

Mrs Jannine Richards

Principal

