24 October 2016

Dear Parent/Carer,

YEAR 7 GEOGRAPHY EXCURSION
MINNAMURRA RAINFOREST & KILLALEA STATE PARK (AMENDED)

This semester five Year 7 Geography classes will be studying the issue of Rainforests and will be involved in fieldwork activities at Minnamurra Rainforest. This will also include travelling to Killalea State Park, Shellharbour. Fieldwork is a compulsory part of the Geography course and a Class Task relating to the fieldwork will also be completed.

The compulsory fieldwork will take place on Friday, 4th November, leaving the College at 8.15am and returning at 2.00pm in time for normal transport home. Transport will be by bus.

Students are to wear their PE uniform (black shorts, red College polo shirt, College tracksuit top with black tracksuit pants). Food, drink, sun protection and writing materials such as pencils, pens, clipboard, should also be carried. There is no cost involved.

Part of the educational package provided by the Rainforest guides is a guided walk of approximately one hour. The walk is regarded as moderately strenuous with uphill walking.

Please complete the Reply Slip below and have your son return it to his Geography teacher by Wednesday 2nd November.

Yours sincerely,

MR M CROTTY
Head of Social Science

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I consent to my son ________________________________ of Home Room ________ attending the Year 7 Geography Excursion to Minnamurra Rainforest and the Illawarra Fly on Friday, 4th November

I understand that transport will be by bus, and that walking is involved for approximately one hour. (Please advise if there are any concerns with this.)

Optional comment re: walk or other needs: ____________________________________________

I also understand that if my son is absent a written explanation will be required and an alternative Class Task will need to be completed.

Signed: ________________________________ (Parent/Carer) Date: ____________