YEAR 6 CANBERRA EXCURSION

11th February, 2015

Dear Parents,

In order to enhance the children’s studies in Human Society and Its Environment and Science and Technology, we have arranged a 2-day/1night excursion to Canberra in Week 8 of Term 1.

During our visit the main focus will be the study of Federal Government. To do so we will visit Parliament House, where the children will visit both Houses of Parliament and the Parliamentary Education Centre. We will also visit the Electoral Education Centre, which we have found to be highly beneficial in developing the children’s understanding of how preferential voting works.

Other planned visits include Old Parliament House, Australian War Memorial, Australian Institute of Sport, C.S.I.R.O. and Questacon.

A detailed itinerary and medical details form will be sent home in the coming weeks.

WHEN: Thursday 19th March and Friday 20th March, 2015

COST: Cost per child for this excursion is $240.00

PLEASE NOTE:
• Payment can be made at any time before the due date and can be paid by instalments.
• Payment should be finalised by Friday, 13th March.
• As we need to finalise numbers now, please complete the attached slip and return to school before the end of Week 4, Friday 20th February, 2015.
• If you have any difficulty with payment, please contact Mrs Veling as soon as possible. (ALL children are expected to attend the excursion so delayed payment or a payment plan can be arranged where genuine financial hardship is a consideration.)

Yours sincerely,

Sue Veling                        Michael Mifsud                        Kirsty Reynolds
Principal                        Assistant Principal                    Patricia Scott
Year 6 Teachers

My child has permission to attend the Canberra Excursion on Thursday, 19th March and Friday, 20th March. I am aware that the children will be travelling by coach.

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Child’s Name                Parent’s Signature

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