

Dear Parents and Carers,

"Year 5 Taster Day for students wishing to apply for Year 7 in 2021"

Tuesday 19 November 2019

Moving from Primary to Secondary school can be an exciting and challenging time for students and parents. Students are expected to adapt to a new school environment, make new friends and become accustomed to different teaching methods and teachers. To assist students MacKillop Catholic College invites students currently in Year 5 to attend the Taster Day on Tuesday 19 November 2019.

Throughout the day each student will experience a program that could include Visual Arts, Science, PDHPE, English, Mathematics, HSIE, Music, Drama and Industrial Technology. Students will be accompanied by members of the MacKillop staff and our senior students from the College.

Students will be required to wear their school sports uniform, including their school hat and will need to bring their own recess, lunch and writing implements. There will be no canteen facilities available.

Students are to meet at the COLA just near the Administration Building by 8.45am and be collected from the same location at 2.30pm. If your child needs to leave before 2:30pm, please send a note with your child stating the time at which you will collect them. You may collect them from outside the Administration office at the necessary time.

For safety reasons, when travelling by car please drop and collect your child from the 'Kiss and Drop' zone located outside the College fence (turn right at the round-about). There is a gate at the top of this zone where your child can safely enter and exit the College. *Please be advised that this is a drop-off and pick-up area only. If you wish to park your car you will need to park in the over-flow car park on the outside of the school grounds. Do not park in the Bus Zones.*

Please advise your child's individual school if you are attending this day.

Could you please complete the permission note attached and return it to the administration office or via email: smccw@dbb.catholic.edu.au by Friday 15th November 2019. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact Janine Silver - College Enrolments Officer or Kathleen Black - Transition Coordinator on 4392 9399

Kathleen Black Transition Coordinator MacKillop Catholic College



Permission Note

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Name of Child:
My Child's Current Primary School:
Parent/Guardian Name:
Current Home Address:
Parents Contact Number:
Parents Email Address:
I give permission for my child to attend the "Year 5 Taster Day" at MacKillop Catholic College on Tuesday <u>19 November 2019.</u>
Signed:
Date:
Please complete the following information with regards to your child's medical needs.
General Practitioner name (GP):
General Practitioner contact number:
Medicare number:
Emergency contact name:
Emergency contact number:
My son/daughter has the following special/ medical needs (please provide full details). If none, please note N/A.