

Dear Parents & Carers,

We are looking forward to a wonderful time at Birrigai on 29<sup>th</sup> April – 1<sup>st</sup> May 2019 being Monday to Wednesday of Week 1, Term 2.

Below is a list of what your child needs to bring and what they are not to bring. The days should be fine but maybe cool and as we will be outside for most of each day they should bring clothes they can layer to keep warm. Please pack before the end of the holidays as our camp starts **Day 1 of next Term**.

**RECOMMENDED PACKING LIST FOR 3 DAY STAY AT BIRRIGAI**

- 3 sets of underwear
- 3 pairs of socks
- 3 shirts with sleeves (2 long sleeved, 1 short sleeved), **No** singlet tops
- 1 or 2 woollen or polar fleece jumpers
- 2 pairs of shorts (we could have a hot day but afternoons and nights will be cool to cold)
- 2 pairs of trousers / track pants
- 2 pairs of closed in shoes (runners or boots)
- Pyjamas
- Towel
- Hand Towel (there are no paper hand towels supplied in accommodation bathrooms)
- Toiletries - soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo, comb or brush
- 1 broad brimmed hat
- Sunscreen
- Sleeping Bag **and** 1 single sheet (preferably fitted)  
or 2 sheets (preferably one fitted). Birrigai supplies blankets
- 1 pillow
- a cuddly toy for bed
- quiet time activities – a book, cards

**BIRRIGAI WILL PROVIDE**

- Blankets (2)
- Japara style raincoats as needed.
- Water bottle for visitors to keep

**DO NOT BRING**

- Any food including snacks, lollies, soft drink, nuts or products containing nuts.

***Birrigai will provide all the food the students will require while on camp including special dietary requirements (vegetarian, halal, gluten free, dairy free, peanut allergy, diabetic etc, as notified on your medical information note)***

- iPods, phones or other portable music players
- Expensive Cameras (bring a disposable camera if one at all)
- Torches

## Year 4 Camp Reminders

Now is the time to get ready to go to Birrigai  
on the first Monday till Wednesday of Term 2.  
After the holidays come to school ready for camp, Day 1!

Camp Dates	8.45am Monday, 29 <sup>th</sup> April to 3.00pm Wednesday, 1 <sup>st</sup> May 2019 This is the first three days of Term 2
Departure Time & Where to Meet	<b>Meet at</b> the corner of Knox St & Irvine St, (the bus stop) at 8.45am, (Monday morning) to leave at 9.00am sharp. <b>When you arrive,</b> find your teacher & stay with your class group. DON'T WANDER OFF If it is raining we will meet in the hall.
Medication	<b>All medication must</b> be in a snap lock bag, labelled (with your full name and what dosage is to be taken, when) and handed to Sue Hurkett when you arrive.
Clothing Reminders	Pack according to the distributed <i>What to Bring</i> checklist. It is forecast to be clear but cool and will be cold at night and in the mornings Please <b>bring clothes you can layer</b> to keep warm - e.g. a t-shirt under a long sleeved collar shirt under a jumper etc. The camp supplies raincoats, so unless there are storms the program continues.
Packing	Make sure to double check you have everything you need. <b>Remember to label</b> all of your clothing and belongings. Only bring what you can carry!
For Free Time	There will be some free time when you can explore the area and play outdoors but you may wish to bring a book or Uno cards etc <b>Do NOT bring</b> any valuables, any electronics or Beyblades etc.
Arrival at school	We will arrive back at school at approximately 3.00pm on Wednesday. Once you collect all your belongings (including medications) and find your parent/carer, <b>you must let your teacher know</b> BEFORE leaving.
Travel Sickness	If you are prone to travel sickness and need to take medication for this, do so BEFORE you come to school on Monday morning AND let your teacher know you need to sit at the front of the bus BEFORE camp. Please hand in travel sickness medication Monday morning for Wednesday's return trip.
Food	ALL food is provided by Birrigai, so <b>NO</b> food is to be brought to camp. Birrigai will not allow any food to be in cabins.
Essentials	As this is an outdoor education program it is essential to wear sunsmart clothing (ie collared and sleeved shirts), a sunsmart hat and suitable walking shoes or boots. Birrigai will provide everyone with a water bottle but children may wish to bring their own as well.