

Gilgandra Public School

Honesty & Courtesy





Safe, Respectful, Learners

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Dear Parents

The 2021 Young Leaders Program will involve selected Stage 3 student leaders in a Sustainability Action Plan that not only develops their self-confidence but also enhances the student's voice by building on connections within the school and other student school leaders. The students will complete a water and energy initiative that will contribute to their School Environmental Management Plan, informing Principals with strategies in which to improve and enhance their school environment.

The program involves students attending a leadership camp (Wednesday, 4 May to Friday 6 May) and is supported by a series of three video conferences.

Cost:

The cost is \$150 per student, which includes all meals, activities and NPWS camping fees. This will be covered by the school. Travel:

Travel to and from the camp will be private car driven by Adam Smithers.

The students will be departing from school on Wednesday, 4 May and returning on Friday, 6 May after lunch.

Supervision:

Wes Leedham and Ange Bunner will be the supervising teachers as well as the EEC staff for the entirety of the camp. Adam Smithers will accompany the students attending.

Accommodation:

Students and other supervising staff will be staying onsite at the Warrumbungle National Park Environmental Education Centre (WNPEEC).

Venue:

Warrumbungle National Park Environmental Education Centre

Packing List:

Covered in walking shoes

1 litre water bottle or camel pack

old jeans/long pants and long sleeved shirts (for walking through the bush)

comfortable clothes to wear after your shower

underwear

socks

pyjamas

bag for dirty clothes

bag for wet clothes

raincoat

hat

sunscreen

torch

toiletries (including toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, shampoo, conditioner and comb)

bathroom towel and towel (for yoga) or yoga mat

thongs for the shower

sleeping gear - swag or sleeping bag with sleeping mat, pillow

mess kit (including a plate, cutlery and a cup)

money (optional - to purchase souvenirs from the Visitor's Centre)

camera (optional)

a smile

a picture of your hero.

Food:

The Warrumbungle National Park EEC will provide ALL meals for the duration of the camp. The EEC promotes healthy eating and environmentally friendly food.

For further information please do not hesitate to contact Tricia Howard on 68472043.

Patricia Howard Principal





Young Leaders of the West 2022



The 2022 Young Leaders Program will involve selected Stage 3 student leaders in a Sustainability Action Plan that not only develops their selfconfidence but also enhances the student voice by building on connections within the school and other student school leaders. The students will complete a water and energy initiative that will contribute to their School Environmental Management Plan, informing Principals of strategies in which to improve and enhance their school environment.

What: The program involves students attending a leadership camp supported by a series of video conferences.

When: Term 2, Week 1
Camp: Term 2 Week 2
Wed 4th Fri 6th May

Cost: \$150 per student

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https://warrumbung-e.schools.nsw.gov.au/





Young Leaders 2022: VC and Camp – SCHEDULE Term 2 Week 2

Camp Cost \$150 per student for the camp

Maximum two Stage 3 leaders per school unless discussed with WNPEEC

Theme: Waste and Biodiversity

V.C. Schedule

Zoom #	Week and Day	Time	Agenda
1	Term 2 Week 1 Friday 29th April	2:00 - 2:30*	Welcome, Program introduction, what to bring to camp and what to expect.
2	Term 2 Week 4 Friday 20 <i>th</i> May	2:00 - 2:30*	Project update and any issues
3	Term 2 Week 7 Friday 10th June	2:00 - 3:00	Movie review and awards – wrap up

Nb. *If these times do not suit you please discuss with us ASAP.

Warrumbungle National Park EEC Young Leaders Camp Schedule

Day 1 - Wednesday 4th May 2022

Time	Activity	
1230 - 1300	Arrive at WNPEEC	
1300 - 1400	Welcome, introduction and ice breaker activities	
1400 – 1500	My hero and what makes a good leader? Leadership syles movie	
1500 - 1630	Afternoon tea, Bushwalk and sensory/ trust activities	
1700 - 1800	Settle in to camp, showers and dinner prep.	
1800 - 1845	BBQ Dinner	
1845 - 1915	Guest speaker -	
1915 - 2030	movie making skills and criteria show past video, Donna and night game (rotatations)	
2000 - 2040	Supper, meditation & ready for bed	
2040	Bed time	

Day 2 - Thursday 5th May 2022

Time	Activity	
700-740	Yoga and wash	
740 - 800	Breakfast + make lunch	
800- 1500	Split Rock walk, morning tea and lunch at summit	
1500 - 1630	Afternoon tea, smoothies & free time	
1630 - 1650	Movie making lesson	
1650 - 1800	Showers/ Relax/ games dinner and dessert prep.	
1800 - 1845	Spaghetti bolognese and ice cream/crepes, berries & maple syrup	
1845 - 2015		
2015 - 2020 Supper, mediation and ready for bed		
2030	Bed time	
2045	Lights out	

Day 3 - Friday 6th May 2022

Time	Activity		
715 - 740	Yoga and wash		
740 - 800	Breakfast		
800 - 930 Reflection and debrief -weve got your back, vision exercise and letter			
930 - 1015	Camp pack up and cleaning		
1015 - 1030	Morning tea		
1030 - 1145	Waste & Biodiversity- brief about what the movie will be about, Your school project and a WNPEEC example		
1145 - 1215	Lunch - BBQ		
1215 - 1230	Conclusion		

Camp What To Bring

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- Underwear
- Socks
- Pyjamas
- · Bag for dirty clothes
- · Bag for wet clothes
- Raincoat
- Hat
- Sunscreen
- Torch

- Toiletries including toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, shampoo, conditioner, comb etc
- Bathroom towel and towel (for yoga) or yoga mat
- Thongs for the shower
- Sleeping gear swag or sleeping bag with sleeping mat
- Pillow
- Mess Kit including a plate, cutlery and a cup
- Money (Optional to purchase souvenirs from the Visitor Centre)
- Camera (Optional)
- Lunch box
- A smile!
- · A picture of your hero



Please note:

The Warrumbungle National Park EEC will provide ALL meals for the duration of the camp. The EEC promotes healthy eating and environmentally friendly food.

Please advise if you have any special dietary requirements!

The Schedule of Study is designed so that all students share the same experiences whilst visiting the Warrumbungle National Park EEC, however circumstances on the day may result in unexpected changes. Any changes will be communicated with you promptly.

If you have anything further to discuss with us or if we can help you in any other way, please our team 02 6825 4302.

Kind Regards,

Wes Leedham

Principal

Warrumbungle National Park Environmental Education Centre (WNPEEC)

NSW Department of Education



