

## Year 10 Duke of Edinburgh Beach Hike

August 2021

Dear Parent/Caregiver,

The Bronze Duke of Edinburgh Award requires students to complete an Adventurous Journey. Nerang SHS students will complete this component by hiking the entire length of the Gold Coast beaches, from Coolangatta to the Spit. This hike will take two days to complete and involve an overnight camp at the Tallebudgera Creek Tourist Park.

Date: Monday 23 to Tuesday 24 August 2021 (**Pending current COVID-19 restrictions**)  
Venue: Gold Coast Beachfront – The Spit to Coolangatta  
Cost Per Student: Nil

Departure Time: 8:00am (from NSHS C05)  
Return Time: 3:00pm (to NSHS C05)  
Transport: Bus

Students are to Bring: A list of equipment has been created by the students in consultation with their teacher as part of their assessment

Food Arrangements: Students have created a meal plan for this journey and will need to cater for themselves

Clothing: Casual clothing that is sun safe and appropriate for beach walking, enclosed footwear and bathers for swimming.

Accommodation: Students will camp on site, tents and foam mats will be loaned by the school. Students will need to bring their own sleeping bag and pillow or equivalent.

All COVID-19 control measures have been taken to meet departmental and Chief Health Officer Requirements.

If you have any enquiries please do not hesitate to contact Oliver Lintott on 5503 7888 or [orlin0@eq.edu.au](mailto:orlin0@eq.edu.au)



Daniel Alarcon  
Head of Department

**Activity Risks & Insurance:** Please note that the Department of Education and Training does not have personal accident insurance cover for students. If your child is injured as a result of an accident or incident while participating in the activity, all costs associated with the injury, including medical costs are the responsibility of the parent/carer. Some incidental medical costs may be covered by Medicare. If you have private health insurance, some costs may also be covered by your provider. Any other costs must be covered by parents/carers. It is up to all parents/carers to decide what types and what level of private insurance they wish to arrange to cover their child. Please take this into consideration in deciding whether or not to allow your child to participate in this activity.

**Privacy Notice:** The Department of Education and Training (DET) is collecting the personal information requested in this form in order to, obtain lawful consent for your child to participate in the activity. Help coordinate the activity, respond to any injury or medical condition that may arise during, or as a result of the activity and update school records where necessary. The information will only be accessed by authorised school staff and will be dealt with in accordance with the confidentiality requirements of s.426 of the Education (General Provisions) Act 2006 (Qld) and the Information Privacy Act 2009 (Qld). The information will not be disclosed to any other person or agency unless it is for a purpose stated above, the disclosure is authorised or required by law, or you have given DET permission for the information to be disclosed.

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*Teacher Responsible: Oliver Lintott*

*ID: 517674*

Consent:

By signing this form, I agree that:

- I have read all of the information contained in this form in relation to the activity (including any attached material) and I am aware that the Department of Education does not have personal accident insurance cover for students.
- I understand that I must have all annual school fees paid for my child's participation in the activity.
- In the event of an accident or illness, school staff may obtain or administer any medical assistance or treatment my child may reasonably require.
- I accept liability for all reasonable costs incurred by the Department of Education in obtaining such medical assistance or treatment and undertake to reimburse the Department of Education the full amount of those costs.
- I have provided the school all relevant details of my child's medical or physical needs on enrolment.
- I have provided relevant updated medical information to: admin@nerangshs.eq.edu.au

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I give consent for my child, \_\_\_\_\_, to participate in the Year 10 Duke of Edinburgh Beach Hike on Monday 23 to Tuesday 24 August 2021.

Parent/Carer Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (Please Print)

Parent/Carer's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_