

YEAR 9 ASPIRE PROGRAMME - Urban Day 3:yLead Altitude Day.

Date: Monday, 29 May 2023

Dear Year 9 Parents and Guardians,

On the 29<sup>th</sup> of May we will be heading into the city for the annual yLead Altitude Day. Altitude Day shows Year 9 students that they can be positive leaders within their school and wider community. It gives students the opportunity to feel heard, network with other students, and to be inspired by the guest speakers who are doing great things. Altitude Day gives students the confidence to be themselves, and the framework to turn their passions and goals into reality.

To ensure student safety throughout the excursions, students must complete another travel plan and ensure they stay with the class in Perth Town Hall for the duration of the excursion. There is no opportunity to buy lunch, so students must bring a snack and lunch. Teacher supervision will commence at 8:20am and conclude at 2:00pm. Students will be dismissed at 2pm from Perth Town Hall.

### Aims of Urban Excursion:

Social/Emotional & Academic - opportunity to build leadership and communication skills. Also, to help build positive memories and stronger relationships with each other, and to continue to develop resilience and confidence.

#### Times:

Arrive: 8:30am SHARP and Depart: 2:00pm.

Students must arrive at the Perth **City** Library (573 Hay Street, Perth) which is located directly behind Perth Town Hall at 8:30am SHARP. Students will be dismissed from Perth Town Hall at 2:00pm.

### **Transport Information:**

As it is our third Urban Excursion, students will need to plan to get to Perth City Library by 8:30am from home using public transport.

Staff Members attending: Adam Di Rosso, Stefan Gouws, Larissa Fontana & Amitha Narlapati.

Costs: students will need to bring their own lunch. Transport to the train station will be provided by the school. Students will need to bring their Smart Rider (topped up) or \$4.40 if they don't have a SmartRider.

### Checklist of what to bring on Friday:

- SmartRider (for public transport concession fare) or \$4.40 if it has not been ordered. (There is no student discount without a Smart Rider)
- Lunch and Snacks. There will be no opportunity to buy lunch.
- Fully charged phone (if you have one)
- Pen
- Water bottle
- PE bag to carry any items if needed.

## Permission Forms and Signed Agreement:

Because of the special nature of these excursions, each student and parent must **submit a signed agreement and travel plan** (see pages below) **by Thursday morning, the 25**<sup>th</sup> **of May**.

### **Upcoming Dates:**

More information will be sent out shortly, but please make note of the following date:

Thursday, 15<sup>th</sup> of June 2023- Fremantle Urban Excursion (TBC)

Kind regards,

Larissa Fontana, Adam Di Rosso, Stefan Gouws & Amitha Narlapati Year 9 Aspire Team



### Year 9 Consent Form – Urban Excursion 3

yLead Altitude Day, Perth City

By attending the Year 9 Urban yLead Excursion (29 May 2023), you are agreeing to following the set of rights and responsibilities below.

#### Rights

- It's your right to be in a safe, welcoming, fun environment, where you make memories with your classmates and teachers that you'll remember for a long time.
- It's your right to enjoy the day activities designed to support your growth academically, socially, emotionally, and physically.

#### Responsibilities

For this to happen, it is your responsibility to

- Follow leaders' instructions, which includes:
  - o Staff & Volunteers
  - o Take responsibility for my belongings
- Respect safety and privacy:
  - o Staying with my class at all times
  - o Regularly check in with my teachers as directed
  - o Going to the bathroom with a friend
  - o No headphones
  - o Have a fully charged phone (if you have one)
- Be on time:
  - Make sure you're aware of the times you are required to be places and keep to them including check ins and leaving times.
- Act 'Above the line'
- Look out for each other:
  - o Travel in groups where appropriate.

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If you are unable to keep to these responsibilities, you may not be able to attend futher Urban Days.

Parents/Carers	
I give my son/daughter,	_ permission to attend the Year 9 Aspire Urban Day and to

- o Participate in the yLead Altitude Day
- o Catch public transport

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Date:



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Travel Plan – 29<sup>th</sup> May 2023

Time I will leave home:
How I will get to Perth (include bus/train times and routes, any stops in between, wait times etc.):
The excursion and teacher supervision finishes at 2:00pm at Perth Town Hall.
Agreed time I will leave the city to get home:
How I will get back home (include bus/train times and routes, any stops in between, wait times etc.):
Student Signature:
Parent/Guardian Signature: