



CARMEL

ADVENTIST COLLEGE

YEAR 9 ASPIRE PROGRAMME – Urban Learning Day #2: Y-Lead Altitude Day.

Date: Monday, 26th May

Dear Year 9 Parents and Guardians,

On the 26th of May, selected students will be heading into the city for the annual Y-Lead 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 a short lunch interval, so it is recommended that students bring a packed lunch. There is a McDonalds across the road and other café's surrounding the venue, which students could wait and purchase a later lunch at the end of the event.

Students are expected to be in their full formal winter school uniform.

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: The Green Cactus (Forrest Place) at 8:20am and meet Mr Adam Di Rosso; then walk to the Perth Town Hall for 8:35am registration.

Depart: Perth Town Hall at 2:00pm and follow agreed travel plan home.

Transport Information:

As it is our second Urban Excursion, students will need to plan to get to Green Cactus (Forrest Place) by 8:20am from home using public transport.

Staff Members attending: Adam Di Rosso

Costs: Students will need to bring their own lunch or money to buy after. Transport is free for students using their student SmartRider if there is not a negative balance on the card. This applies to all weekdays of the school term.

Checklist of what to bring on Monday:

- SmartRider
- Lunch, snacks or money to buy after the event
- 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 Friday, the 23rd of May.**

Please note that teacher supervision commences 8:20am at The Green Cactus in Forrest Place. The Leadership Conference runs from 9am and concludes at 2:00pm at The Perth Town Hall, where teacher supervision will end.

Students may arrive early or stay later in the city if arranged with parents, but there will be no teacher supervision during this time.

Upcoming Dates:

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

Urban Excursion 2: Thursday, 29th May (Parliament House, English & Maths Challenge)

Kind regards,

Adam Di Rosso, Amitha Narlapati, Luke Duncan & Vanessa Fernandez
Year 9 Aspire Team



Year 9 Consent Form – Urban Learning Day #2

Y-Lead Altitude Day, Perth City

DUE: Friday 23rd May

By attending the Year 9 Urban Y-Lead Excursion (26th May), 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:
 - Staff & Volunteers
 - Take responsibility for my belongings
 - Wear full school uniform (no non uniform items)
- **Respect, safety and privacy:**
 - Look out for each other and stay with your group at all times
 - Regularly check in with my teachers as directed
 - Going to the bathroom with a friend
 - No headphones
 - 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 at places and keep to those times – including check ins and group meeting times and leaving times.
- **Act 'Above the line'**

Student signature:

Date:

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

Parents/Carers

I give my son/daughter, _____ permission to attend the Year 9 Aspire Urban Day and to:

- Participate in the Y-Lead Altitude Day
- Catch public transport

Parent Signature:

Date:



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Year 9 Travel Plan – Urban Learning Day #2

Y-Lead Altitude Day, Perth City

<https://www.transperth.wa.gov.au/Journey-Planner>

Time I will leave home: _____

How I will get to **The Green Cactus** (include bus/train times and routes, any stops in between, wait times, your final ETA.):

The excursion and teacher supervision ends at 2:00pm at Perth Town Hall.

Agreed time I will leave the city to get home: _____

How I will get back home from **Perth Town Hall** (include bus/train times and routes, any stops in between, wait times, your final ETA.):

Student Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____