HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION

YEAR 11 & 12 OUTDOOR EDUCATION

The practical component of Year 11 and 12 Outdoor Education requires students to commence class **BEFORE school**. Students must accept the commitment to achieve the practical outcomes of the course.

The procedure and responsibilities are:

1. All students must attend Period 0 – this means a 7:15am start to the day. Students who attend will then be able to go home early (1.25pm) when this subject occurs on Period 5 during the week. This process continues for the whole year.

2. Students may leave school early when they have this class Period 5 (1.25pm) only if they have attended the Period 0 class. The students must see their teacher in the Sport Centre for an attendance check before leaving the school.

3. Students who DO NOT attend Period 0 will:
   - Report to main office (if late) to register their attendance, then
   - Move to the PE Office in the Sport Centre;
   - See their teacher at the end of Period 1 to explain their absence from the class;
   - Students who miss Period 0 will NOT leave school early when they have Outdoor Education Period 5 and must report to the PE Office. The students will be expected to complete missed work and leave school at the normal finishing time.

4. Students need to be aware that water activities such as snorkelling and sailing require proficiency in swimming. Teachers will conduct basic swimming assessments early in the course. Students who do not demonstrate the required level of proficiency will be re-counselled to a different course.

5. Two (2) **compulsory** practical expeditions are completed each year. These expeditions are not optional and contribute more than 50% of the assessable components of the course.

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Parent and Student Consent Form

I understand this course starts at 7.15am and agree to follow the procedures and responsibilities required to participate in Year 11 and 12 Outdoor Education.

Date: _____ Student Name: _____

Student Signature: _____

I am aware of all of the requirements for the Year 11 and 12 Outdoor Education course including the requirement for students to be proficient swimmers.

Date: _____ Parent signature: _____