

07/03/2025

Middle Years Zoo Excursion

Dear parent/carer,

As part of the OAC Middle Years Curriculum students are invited to participate in our excursion to the Adelaide Zoo.

The trip to the zoo is an opportunity for years 7-9 to connect and collaborate in their learning.

We will predominantly be enjoying exploring the zoo but there will be some learning activities.

Year 7s will have some activities linking to their Maths, Science and Health & PE curriculum

Year 8s and 9s will have activities linked to English and Science

Date: 07/04/2025

Time: Arrive 10:30AM to enter the zoo 10:45 – Exit the zoo 2:15 to pick-up by 2:30

Location: Adelaide Zoo, Plane Tree Drive, Adelaide, SA

To attend this event: Students will be required to organise their own way to and from the Zoo.

Students must meet staff to sign in and receive a lanyard at the Plain Tree Drive main entrance at **10:30** to enter with the group. Students will exit the zoo at **2:15** to be picked up by **2:30**. If your child is leaving by another method (e.g. public transport) please notify in your response.

If your child requires a support person to attend the event beyond what school staff can offer, please contact Harry Smith by email – Harry.Smith830@schools.sa.edu.au with name and contact details of the support person.

Financial assistance is available for students where Open Access College is the enrolling school and who live 80km from Adelaide CBD to attend face to face events.

Cost: There is a fee of \$13.00 per student to be paid by 30/03/2025 Please use the account details below:

Account: Open Access College **BSB:** 105-069

Account Number: 278824640 **Reference:** Student Name + Zoo

*School Card holders may be able to negotiate attendance cost with their teacher.

Students must bring: Sunscreen, Water, Comfortable shoes and weather-appropriate clothing to walk around in, lunch (or money to purchase lunch from the zoo canteen).

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Please refer to the attached consent form for further details.

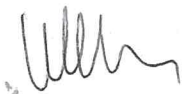
Return the completed consent form and media consent to
Student.Services805@schools.sa.edu.au by **30/03/2025**.

Photos may be taken at this event and published on our website and Facebook page. If you have returned a media consent form at enrolment for 2025, you do not have to return another. You can check whether we have a media consent form on file via Daymap Connect Parent Portal.

During an incursion or excursion students are expected to keep their mobile devices switched off or on silent and store them in their bags unless instructed otherwise. For further information refer to our [Mobile Phone Policy](#).

Please contact Harry Smith if you have any queries or concerns
Harry.Smith830@schools.sa.edu.au or by telephone on 8309 3518

Yours sincerely,



Harry Smith
Teacher



Jeane Schocroft
Deputy Principal

