



# Singleton Public School

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Education

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## Canberra Information and Packing List

This note contains further details of Singleton Public School's 2024 Canberra excursion for Year 6 students.

The bus will be leaving school on Monday, 8 April at 6.00 am sharp, further details regarding departure and arrival times to come.

### Medication

ANY medication needed for your child to take during the excursion must be given to **Mrs Street prior to departure** on Monday morning.

**Medication will not be given unless prescribed by a doctor and sent to school in the original box or bottle that is labelled from the chemist. The student's name and instructions for use must be typed by the chemist on the box or bottle and list the prescribing doctor. Medications cannot be repacked (even by the chemist unless as a Webster pack).**

### Spending Money

Students are permitted to bring a maximum of \$50.00 spending money, which covers the cost of souvenirs. Each child will be responsible for looking after their money themselves.

### Devices

Students are NOT permitted to bring electronic devices on the trip (this **includes** mobile phones and smart watches/devices). Students may bring a camera that does not connect to the internet. Extra batteries or chargers should be included. Students are responsible for their own equipment at all times.

Teachers will be taking photos throughout the excursion. Student photographs will be posted on the Singleton Public School Facebook page throughout the week, as time permits.

**Please note, any unauthorised devices will be kept with teachers until the end of the trip and returned to parents on arrival back from the excursion.**

### Food

- Students will need to bring recess, a packed lunch and drinks on Monday, 8 April to eat during the trip to Canberra. This will need to be packed in their day pack, separate to their main travel bag or suitcase.
- All meals are provided for the remainder of the excursion.
- Students may bring extra snacks along on the excursion. These are to be kept in their rooms and not taken with them during daytime activities. Please ensure there are NO products that contain nuts brought on the excursion.

Students will be staying at Sundown Motel Resort, 205 Narrabundah Lane, Symonston, ACT.

We request that you do not contact our accommodation. We will provide parents with a mobile phone number where you can contact us in **emergency situations only** closer to the date. The packing list is on the next page for students to keep track of their items when packing.

Mrs Street and Mr Tattis  
Year 6 Teachers

Anna O'Brien  
Relieving Principal

**SPS Year 6 Canberra Packing List (please label all items with your child's first and last name)**

- A backpack to use as a daypack everyday
- A labelled refillable water bottle
- A complete personal hygiene kit
  - toothbrush, toothpaste, comb, soap, roll-on deodorant and a towel (Feminine hygiene products, if required).
  
- Full school uniform (including black school shoes, correct school socks and school navy hat) to wear while touring Canberra.
  - This will be for each of the days we are in Canberra (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday).
  - The attractions we will be visiting on those days require students to be in full school uniform.
  - The students **must** arrive in full school uniform on the Monday.
  - Year Six Hoodies are acceptable school jumpers. Students may wear out of uniform on FRIDAY ONLY.
  
- Casual clothes and sport shoes.
  - Students will be able to change into these clothes for activities outside of touring hours.
  - Long pants and a jumper to wear during nighttime activities.
  
- Pyjamas
- Notebook and pen
- Three large plastic bags for dirty clothes
- Students may like to bring travel sized board games, a deck of cards or other non-electronic activities to play during free time in their rooms.