



# GOWRIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## CCS Mash Up Day

Dear Parents and Carers,

Please see the attached page for information about the Middle Years Mashup Day at Caroline Chisholm School for 2021 Year 7 students.

Gowrie Students will walk from Gowrie Primary to Chisholm in the morning, and back to Gowrie at the conclusion of the event. Gowrie Staff members will accompany students on the walk and during the day.

*Staff accompanying students on excursions will take all reasonable care while the students are in their charge to protect them from injury and to control and supervise their behaviour and activities. Parents should be aware that staff members are not responsible for injuries or damage to property, which may occur on an excursion where, in all circumstances, staff have not been negligent. Parents should warn children of the risk to themselves, to others and to property, of impulsive, wilful or disobedient behaviour. I authorise the teachers to obtain medical assistance which they deem necessary should an accident occur, and agree to pay all medical expenses incurred on behalf of the above student.*

Please fill in the permission form below and return to the front office by **Friday 23 October 2020**

Thanks,  
Andrew Heffernan – Executive Teacher

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### 'CCS Mash Up Day' – Transition Program Excursion Permission Note

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ in Class: \_\_\_\_\_ to walk Caroline Chisholm School Senior Campus and back to GPS on Thursday 29 October 2020 for the '**CCS Mash Up Day** Transition Program. I am aware my child will be walking to and from the venue using bike paths and road crossings.

Full Name of Parent/ Carer (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/ Carer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Everyone COUNTS**

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## Orientation Day for Year 7 students of 2021

# MIDDLE YEARS MASH UP

<b>What?</b>	<p>As part of our ongoing commitment to providing smooth, fun and streamlined transitions, our last event for 2020 is the 'Middle Years Mash-Up'.</p> <p>The Middle Years Mash-Up will include several fun activities designed to build teams and learn a little more about Caroline Chisholm School. Students will be involved in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- High school Lessons: including English, Maths, Art, 'Team building' and 'Get to know you' activities</li> <li>- A 'Meet and Greet' with the Year 7 Coordinator Daniel Downes and class teachers</li> <li>- A School Tour</li> <li>- Hands on activities designed to get kids connecting with their peers, teachers and our school community</li> </ul> <p>In the meantime if you would like go on a virtual tour, meet some of our teachers and see what CCS has to offer, scroll through our <b>NEW transitions website</b>: <a href="https://carolchisholmschool.wordpress.com/">https://carolchisholmschool.wordpress.com/</a></p>
<b>Who?</b>	Any students enrolled at Caroline Chisholm School (CCS) in 2021 or prospective students.
<b>Why?</b>	The purpose of the day is to start the team building process ready for Term 1, 2021. This day will provide students with an opportunity to connect with other students who are also starting their Middle Years journey at CCS in 2021.
<b>When?</b>	<p><b><u>Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> October Week 4, Term 4</u></b></p> <p>Please arrive at 9:55am for a 10:00am start. The day will conclude by 2.30pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Please ensure arrangements are made to collect students who are not coming to this event with their school group.</li> </ul>
<b>Where?</b>	<p>Caroline Chisholm School, Senior Campus.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- For students who are coming with a school group, please send a delegate to sign in with our lovely Front Office staff and head straight to the gym.</li> <li>- <b>Please ensure your students arrive with a name tag, stating the child's name and school.</b></li> <li>- For individuals from outside our Feeder Primary Schools, please bring your child to the Front Office to sign in and complete an ACT ETD Medical form. You will be met by one of the Middle Years Mash-Up Tour Guides who will take you to the gym.</li> </ul>
<b>RSVP</b>	Please confirm attendance with Mr Heffernan by Friday 23 October 2020 by returning the attached permission note, or emailing your permission to <a href="mailto:Andrew.heffernan@ed.act.edu.au">Andrew.heffernan@ed.act.edu.au</a>
<b>Additional Information</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Please wear full school uniform.</li> <li>- Please bring a labelled SunSmart hat, water bottle and writing equipment.</li> <li>- Food and drinks will <b>NOT</b> be provided at this event. Please bring a packed lunch (preferred), or money to purchase food from the school canteen.</li> </ul>

Looking forward to meeting all of you! If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Kind Regards,  
Michaley Phokos - *Middle Years Executive Teacher*