



Year 5 Sovereign Hill Excursion

Date note distributed:	Wednesday 8 th November
To:	Parents/Guardians of Year 5 students
Date & Time of event:	Friday 1st December
Cost:	\$50.00
You can find the QKR charge in the:	Year Level tab
Response Required: YES/NO	YES (return to classroom teacher)
Return form & payment due by:	Wednesday 22 nd November
Staff member in charge & e-mail addresses:	Evert Eykman eykman.evert.e@edumail.vic.gov.au

On Friday the 1st of December, the Year 5's will be going on excursion to Sovereign Hill, Ballarat. With our unit of study focussing on 'Australia in the 1800's', the children will be participating in a variety of activities relevant to the curriculum.

This will include:

- GOLD FEVER Education Session – Students join the 'rush' to One Eye Gully, re-living the highs and lows of gold fever. They role-play the varied experiences of the diggers, gold buyers and troopers, and experience the frustrations that led to Eureka.
- GOLD POUR DEMONSTRATION – At the Gold Smelting Works, students can learn about the science behind the melting and purification of a \$150,000 gold ingot.
- RED HILL MINE TOUR – Tells the story of the discovery of the massive Welcome Nugget.

Buses will depart at **7.45am sharp** and proposed return will be 4pm (Traffic depending).

Payment in full will be required by Wednesday 22nd November.

Thanking you,
Year 5 Teachers

OSPS uses an app called QKR! as our preferred payment method for accepting payments from parents. It is a quick and easy to down load and learn. QKR! Payments are child specific – please ensure you have selected the correct child before finalising a payment. Please visit the OSPS website for instructions and further information www.oakleighsouthps@vic.edu.au/tiqbiz-qkr

QKR website link www.qkr.mastercard.com/for-everyone-australia

Once you have completed your payment, please complete the permission note and return it to your classroom teacher. If you have any questions, please contact the school office on 9570 1016.



RETURN SLIP/ PERMISSION NOTE

I have used Qkr! (please tick the box).

Date of QKR! payment: _____

Please circle: I give permission for my child to participate in the Sovereign Hill excursion on Friday 1 st of December.	YES / NO
I also authorise the teacher in charge to give consent (where it is impracticable to communicate with me), to my child receiving medical, ambulance or surgical treatment as may be deemed necessary.	
Student's name:	Grade
Parent / Guardian Signature:	Date
Emergency Contact Number:	Medicare Number: