

CIRCULAR FOR PARENTS

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To: Parents (Class 7 to Class 11)

From: The Principal

Subject: Outdoor Adventurous & Educational Camp

Dear Parents,

This is to inform you regarding the exciting outbound adventurous and educational camp that we have planned for our senior school students this year.

In order to give our students a broader exposure and leadership experience, the camp has been planned outside Gujarat and will include **3 nights 4 days** stay at the site. **The camp is planned at Sajjan and Dabhosa in Thane district in Maharashtra.**

The schedule of the camp is as below:

Programme dates: 20th December 2018 to 24th December 2018

Departure : 20th December Night, Thursday from Kalapur railway station

Arrival: 24th December Evening, Saturday at Kalapur railway station

Note : The timings for the arrival and departure as well as other details of the train will be shared later.

Please find the details of the camp below.

The camp serves to provide life skills, leadership skills, adventure skills, rural and community service experiences to students through various planned activities. The camp is planned to relocate the study of environment to its rightful place enhancing the curriculum of classroom learning. The outdoors become a living laboratory for the learners in understanding the elements of nature available in and around us. The nature study conceived here is not so much about the learning of names and classifications but giving an inexplicable experience that would become a continuous process of learning.

Dabhosa Nature Camp is close to the Dabhosa waterfall, one of the highest waterfalls in Maharashtra. To top it all this is one of the very few waterfalls which is perennial. The crater shaped bowl into which the waterfall cascades and the lake at the bottom of the waterfall is truly a spectacular site for the urbanite. The camp consists of 10 beautiful rooms overlooking the waterfall and 2 large dormitories. There is a dining area and full service kitchen

Sajjan is part of a beautiful terrain situated near Jawhar of Thane District in Maharashtra. Developed as a nature camping site, this 30 acre campus is a combination of nature and culture. The participants would spend 2 days in Sajjan Nature Club campsite and enjoy activities like Rappelling, Valley crossing, Kayaking, Wall climbing, Swimming etc.

Accommodation ~

Accommodation at Dabhosa in Non Ac Dormitories and at Sajan in AC Tents.

Travel Mode ~

Travelling between Ahmedabad to Borivali and Borivali to Ahmedabad by AC Chair Car/ sleeper Train.

Travelling between Borivali-Dabhosa-Sajan-Borivali by 3x2 Non Ac Bus.

Activities

- Kayaking, Wall climbing
- Life skill learning games and activities
- Physically challenging involvement in obstacles
- Self cooking, music and dance
- Team building games and Night trekking
- Community service activities in the neighbouring village

Things to be carried

- Four pairs of casual clothes, sports shoes, socks, cap, floaters etc.
- Odomos, torch and sanitary requisites (tooth paste, brush, sun screen lotion, soap, towel etc.)

Please note the cost to be paid per child for the outdoor educational camp is Rs. 10,800 including all travel cost. The payment is to be made in cheque and sent to the School Counselor / Home Room Teacher latest by **11th October 2018, Thursday** . The cheque should be in favor of '**Redbricks Education Foundation**'.

The cheque has to be sent with the child in a sealed envelope with a note in the almanac about the same. The name of the child and class should be written on the back of the cheque.

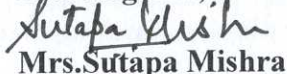
Kindly send the consent for your child's participation in the camp and attach the form duly filled **latest by 11th October 2018, Thursday**, along with the payment.

Please note that any cheque sent after 11th October 2018, will be accepted depending on availability of train tickets for the camp.

We look forward for all our students to take part in this adventurous camp.

Also note that this camp is compulsory for Class 9 to Class11 students as a part of their IAYP Program to qualify for the award and certification.

Best Regards,


Mrs. Sutapa Mishra

The Principal

Redbricks School (Class 7 to Class 11)