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#### Dear parent/carer

Your child has been invited to participate in an excursion to the Science & Engineering Challenge at TRECC, Tamworth on: Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2024 Stage 5

## Wednesday 20th March 2024 Stage 4

This excursion has been planned for science/maths curriculum learning area

The excursion will cost \$0

The class will depart from Manilla Central School at 8:30am

The students will return to Manilla Central School by 3:20pm

Travel will be by Bus

The students will be supervised by staff members Ms Lara Nielsen and support staff

Students will need the following items on this excursion:

- writing pen
- snacks, lunch and water to be brought from home
- full school uniform

## **Additional Information**

Students are involved in an exhilarating day working in teams to solve real-world challenges, from building an earthquake resistant tower, to optimising networks for high-speed rail, and sending encrypted messages with light. The days foster teamwork, build problem solving and collaboration skills and provide insights into future STEM careers to support the workforce needs of the future.

Students **may** bring mobile phones on the excursion and are required to comply with our Yondr Mobile Phone Policy. Manilla Central School takes no responsibility for any loss or damage.

#### Privacy advice

The NSW Department of Education is collecting the information requested on this form. The information is being obtained for the purpose of ascertaining relevant medical information, requirements and other health care related needs about your child who is currently enrolled at the school and who may participate in school excursions, sporting activities or other educational or school activities conducted by or in conjunction with Manilla Central School.



The school will use this information to plan, support students, and minimise risks when conducting the school excursions or other related school activities.

Other persons or agencies that may be provided with this information include, but are not limited to, volunteers and members of external organisations who join with the school or are otherwise involved in planning or delivering the excursion, sporting or other school activity; and persons that may be called on to provide health care treatment or other assistance during or as a consequence of such excursions or activities.

Provision of this information is voluntary, however, if you do not provide all or any of the information requested, your child cannot participate in the excursion. In such circumstances, the school will make available a sound alternative educational experience.

Provision of this information will significantly assist the school in planning a safer educational activity. It will be stored securely. If you have any concerns about provision of this information, please contact the school principal to discuss further.

You may correct any personal information provided at any time by contacting the school office on 67851184.

Mr Shane Kelly Principal Date: 14/02/2024 Mrs Ariana Lawrence Coordinator

Please complete the attached consent and return to the office by Friday 15th March 2024



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# **Excursion Consent Form**

I consent to (student name) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of year \_\_\_\_\_\_ participating in an excursion to Science & Engineering Challenge at TRECC, Tamworth on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2024 or Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2024 at 8:30am – 3:20pm.

	Please tick
Medical Information Form (attached) is completed	
I understand that travel will be by bus	
I consent to my child receiving medical treatment in the case of an emergency	

Parent/Carer full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer signature:	Date:

