

# Early Learning & Care Vacation Care Program

**St Mary's College**

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Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> July
<b>KINDNESS CHALLENGE</b>  Join us for a heartwarming day of fun and friendship in our Kindness Challenge! We'll spread joy through random acts of kindness, create beautiful friendship bracelets, and strengthen our bonds with exciting team-building games. It's a day all about lifting each other up, sharing smiles, and making the world a kinder place—one thoughtful act at a time.	<b>EDUCATORS' FAVOURITE TREATS COOKING DAY</b>  Put on your aprons and get ready for a delicious day in the kitchen! We're whipping up some of our educators' all-time favourite sweet treats—rocky road, lamingtons, caramel slice, and a fresh fruit salad to balance it all out. It's a hands-on cooking adventure filled with fun, flavour, and maybe a little mess too. Come ready to mix, stir, taste, and enjoy!	<b>FIRST RESPONDERS DAY</b>  Celebrate our everyday heroes with an action-packed First Responders Day! Learn essential first aid skills in an engaging session with St John Ambulance, then meet a real-life police officer during a special visit. Kids will get a behind-the-scenes look at how first responders keep us safe, with plenty of opportunities to ask questions. It's a fun and inspiring day that could spark a future hero in the making!  <b>Morning Session – First Aid</b> <b>Afternoon Session - Police</b>	<b>BOARD GAME BONANZA DAY</b>  Step into a world of fun and friendly competition at our Board Game Bonanza! Play giant versions of your favourite classics, get creative and design your very own board game, and discover some exciting new games to try with friends. Whether you're a strategic mastermind or just in it for the laughs, there's something for everyone on this game-packed day!	<b>MUSEUM - TMAG</b>  Join us for an exciting day out as we explore TMAG! From fascinating natural history exhibits to inspiring art and cultural displays, there's something for every curious mind. It's a day of discovery, learning, and fun—perfect for young explorers who love to ask questions and uncover new things about the world around them.  <b>Depart: 10.00am</b> <b>Return: 1.00pm</b>
<b>\$85.00</b> In-House Activity BYO Lunch/Drink Bottle	<b>\$100.00</b> In-House Activity BYO Lunch/Drink Bottle	<b>\$85.00</b> Incursion BYO Lunch/Drink Bottle	<b>\$85.00</b> In-House BYO Lunch/Drink Bottle	<b>\$100.00</b> Bus Excursion BYO Lunch/Drink Bottle

Operating hours: 7.00am – 6.00pm | Please pack morning tea, lunch (unless otherwise stated on the program), water bottle and a sun smart hat | Afternoon tea is provided each day | We offer a number of other supervised experiences each day including: painting, construction, craft activities, ball games, sports activities, outside play, music, board games, jewellery making etc.

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<b>WINTER WONDERLAND</b>  <p>Get cozy with us as we transform the day into a magical Winter Wonderland! Come dressed in your favourite PJs and enjoy a warm cup of hot chocolate, gooey s'mores, and a hearty lunch of soup and garlic bread. We'll get creative with wintry crafts and enjoy the ultimate chill-out day full of fun, food, and frosty vibes—without the frost!</p> <p><b>\$85.00</b> In-House Activity BYO Drink Bottle</p>	<b>MESSY DAY</b>  <p>Get ready to roll up your sleeves and dive into a world of messy fun! From squishy clay and stretchy slime to colourful painting and ooey-goey oobleck, this day is all about sensory play and creative chaos. No need to stay clean—just bring your imagination and get ready for a seriously fun (and seriously messy!) day!</p> <p><b>\$85.00</b> In-House Activity BYO Lunch/Drink Bottle</p>	<b>PANCAKE TRAIN</b>  <p>All aboard for a sweet adventure on our Pancake Train Excursion! We're heading off on a fun-filled journey that ends with a delicious stop for some fluffy pancakes topped just the way you like them. It's the perfect mix of travel excitement and tasty treats—don't miss this special day of trains, friends, and syrupy smiles!</p> <p><b>Depart: 10.00am</b> <b>Return: 12.30pm</b></p> <p><b>\$100.00</b> Bus Excursion BYO Lunch/Drink Bottle</p>	<b>AMERICAN FOOD DAY</b>  <p>Get ready for a tasty trip to the USA with our fun-filled American Food Day! Kids will roll up their sleeves to make their own hamburgers, hot dogs, crispy potato wedges, and sweet, chewy Rice Krispie treats. It's a hands-on cooking experience packed with flavour, creativity, and classic American favourites. Come hungry and ready to cook up a storm!</p> <p><b>\$100.00</b> In-House Activity BYO Lunch/Drink Bottle</p>	<b>SHIVER ICE SKATING</b>  <p>Start the day cozy and creative with winter crafts—perfect for getting into the chilly season spirit! Then, join us and our friends from St Brigid's for an exciting ice skating session at MyState Arena. Whether you're gliding like a pro or taking your first steps on ice, it's a day full of fun, friendship, and frosty adventures!</p> <p><b>Depart: 12.30pm</b> <b>Return: 3.00pm</b> <b>\$115.00</b> Bus Excursion BYO Lunch/Drink Bottle</p>

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## Booking Process

Upcoming Vacation Care bookings are to be made through the **My Family Lounge website/phone app**

This process has no additional forms to complete, allowing you to book vacation care instantly and receive immediate confirmation.

**By booking through the App you accept and agree to the details stated in this document**

## Fees / Cancellations / Absences

**Fees are \$85.00 per day.**

**Additional Fees for Incursions and Excursions.**

- **Tier 1** - \$15.00 per day for Incursions or General Excursions. These may include activities like visiting local parks, or in house experiences such as workshops or performances.
- **Tier 2** - \$30.00 per day for Higher-Value excursions, such as larger venues, or events that require additional entry fees and travel expenses.

**All fees are before any subsidy is applied.**

Fees are inclusive of excursions, bus costs, resources, and afternoon tea.

Booking and cancellation requirements as per the attached Fee Fact Sheet

## Services / Sites

<b>CORPUS CHRISTI Bellerive</b>	<b>HOLY ROSARY Claremont</b>	<b>ST BRIGID'S New Norfolk</b>	<b>ST CUTHBERT'S Lindisfarne</b>	<b>ST JOHN'S Richmond</b>	<b>ST MARY'S Hobart</b>
Kinder – Grade 6	Prep – Grade 6	Prep – Grade 6	Prep – Grade 6	Kinder – Grade 6	Kinder – Grade 6
0488 107 863	0447 599 368	0427 779 672	0437 270 922	0438 189 468	0427 781 500
<b>LARMENIER St Leonards</b>	<b>SACRED HEART Launceston</b>	<b>ST ANTHONY'S Riverside</b>	<b>ST FINN BARR'S Invermay</b>	<b>ST THOMAS MORE'S Newstead</b>	
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0407 061 451	0409 421 428	0437 014 241	0409 757 502	0409 561 167	

## Administration Team

35 Tower Road, New Town Tas 7008 | GPO Box 62 Hobart Tas 7000 | 1300 119 455 | [ccs.admin@aohtas.org.au](mailto:ccs.admin@aohtas.org.au)

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## Signing in / out – Collection of Children

Families, or an authorised person over the age of 18 with their own login, are required to deliver and collect their child from the Service using the sign in tablet.

You may add additional people to your contact list by emailing Administration with the person's name and phone number.

All new contacts are required to provide identification if they are collecting your child from the service.

**Educators are not to sign your children in and out.**

## Medication / Action Plans

If your child requires a **Medical Action Plan**, this needs to be provided **prior to your child's commencement**. Your child will not be able to attend care without a current Medical Action Plan. If medication is required to be administered to your child during Vacation Care (including self-medication e.g. asthma puffer), a completed **Medication Record (PP16)** is required prior to your child's commencement. Only medication with a pharmacist dispensing label outlining the child's name, dosage, name of medication and current date will be administered.

## Excursions

Children are asked to arrive at the service at least 15 minutes prior to the excursion leaving. Departure times are written on the program for individual days. Please be aware that times for excursions vary from day to day.

The legal requirement for excursion ratios is 1:15, we endeavour to run all of our excursion at 1:10.

Risk assessments are done prior to the children leaving for the excursion. If you would like to see a copy of the risk assessment, please ask one of the educators.

Families are required to sign the Excursion permission form on the day of excursions.

All bus companies we use are accredited. All drivers hold current WWVC cards.

## Weather Conditions

Services may need to change excursions / outdoor activities on the day due to weather conditions (rain or heat). Families will be notified on arrival at the service or by Storypark / email.

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## Clothing

Please ensure your child is dressed to suit the weather conditions. This includes enclosed shoes (no thongs) sun safe hat / warm jacket.  
Please read the program closely to see if there are any other requirements needed (e.g. swim wear / sports shoes)

## Food

Afternoon tea which consists of seasonal fruit and vegetables and a snack is provided daily. Please pack your child a healthy morning tea, lunch and a water bottle.  
Check the program daily to see if lunch is provided (e.g. BBQ)

## Behaviour

Early Learning and Care reserves the right to refuse access to children who do not act in accordance with our Child Behaviour Guidance and Management policy ([PP02](#))