Dear Parents/Guardians,

As part of the unit of work studied throughout Term 1 the Year 6 teachers have organised an excursion to our nation’s capital, Canberra, as a culminating experience to the weeks that will be spent studying Australian Government as an integrated theme.

The itinerary for this excursion can be found on our school website. The cost of the excursion, which includes all accommodation, meals, entry into the numerous significant sites and venues and travel to and from Canberra on a luxury coach will be $250.00. Student assistance is available to those families in need of financial assistance, however, funds are limited. A payment schedule has been developed to help families budget for this expense and experience. Limited places are available (85 students) so please make the following payments on, or before the due date:

1. Deposit of $100 due Friday 6th February (Term 1, Week 2)
2. $75 payment due by Friday 20th February (Term 1, Week 4)
3. $50 payment due by Friday 6th March (Term 1, Week 6)
4. Final payment of $25 due by Friday 13th March (Term 1, Week 7)

All schools must complete risk assessments prior to attending any excursion to ensure that all safety precautions have been taken to protect our students and our teachers on their trip away. As such, every student’s attendance is subject to such an assessment to ensure that their behaviour whilst on the excursion does not cause risk or harm to themselves, other students and the teachers attending the excursion.

A risk assessment for this excursion can be found on the school website; alternatively, a copy is available at the front office upon request. Please note, all medical forms, overnight ‘Code of Conduct’ note and permission notes must be submitted prior to the excursion, otherwise your child may be ineligible to attend.

Year 6 Teachers & Mr. Anderson

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GOSFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL
Canberra Excursion (Permission Note)

I give permission for my child ________________________ of class _________ to attend the Canberra Excursion from Wednesday 18th March – Friday 20th March, 2015. I understand that my child’s attendance on this excursion is subject to a risk assessment and all payments and notes have been made.

Signed ________________________ (Parent/Guardian)    Date _______________

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