

Australian International School

*“Leading to a Bright Future”*

September 29, 2016

**Experiential Learning Camp**

**Year 4 Vung Tau Camp 2016**

**Thursday November 3 – Friday November 4**

Dear Parents

The Year 4 Camp this year will be to Vung Tau. Students will depart on Thursday, November 3 for two days and one night, returning on Friday, November 4 in the early evening.

**Rationale**

Camps are an ideal opportunity for students to further develop personal attributes such as understanding, being part of a community and considering others. They are challenged to move out of their comfort zone by taking appropriate risks and being personally responsible for making decisions without having a parent to default to.

**Camp Expectations**

All students are required to attend the camp and we are unable to provide alternative learning programmes should your child not attend.

Parents who have concerns regarding their child attending camp are required to personally attend a meeting with the Activities Director and Primary Principal or Deputy.

**Risk Assessment**

Safety is our paramount concern. A full risk assessment and associated actions and procedures has been carried out by Camp Asia to ensure that students are safe throughout their camp.

**Travel Insurance**

Travel insurance is included within the camp fee. This insurance covers personal accident, medical expenses and emergency evacuation.

**Cost**

The cost for this camp was fully included within your school fees.

**Itinerary**

A summary of the proposed camp is provided below. Details of the drop off and pick up process will be sent to you in due course. When you receive this, please put it in a safe place to ensure you have access to this information when it is required.

* *7.00am Assemble at Thao Dien campus, 7.30am Assemble at Thu Thiem campus*
* *8.00am Depart for Vung Tau*
* *Beach Fun – Sandcastle building*
* *Students will take cable car to the Ho May Mountain Resort*
* *Games in the theme park.*
* *Roller coaster*
* *Alpine coaster*
* *Bumper cars*
* *Ball pit*
* *Rides*
* *Swimming activity (pool)*
* *BBQ Dinner - Cloud Lake Restaurant*
* *Dance Party*
* *Teambuilding games*
* Pack up and return to HCMC (arriving at AIS campuses 4.00pm approx.)

**Parent meeting**

Parents are invited to attend the Primary Camp parent meeting on Tuesday 4 October, at 3-4pm, at Thu Thiem campus (264 Mai Chi Tho, An Phu ward, dist 2), Auditorium.

**Intentions**

It is essential that all parents confirm their child’s intention to participate, so that we can confirm our numbers for various bookings.

**Time line**

**Item Due no later than;**

Complete the online Registration and Medical forms Thursday 13 October

*(The link for online Registration and Medical forms will be emailed to parents by Friday 7 October)*

Submit the Photocopy of student’s passport/birth certificate & visa Thursday 13 October

**Further Information**

Further information may be sent to parents via email and will also be available on [myAIS](http://www.myais.vn/camps/). You are also welcome to contact me directly with any questions you may have at [gary.zuko@aisvietnam.com](mailto:gary.zuko@aisvietnam.com)

Kind regards

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Student Support

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