

# SMOOSH Vacation Care Program Spring 2019



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SMOOSH Vacation Care operates  
at  
Hampden Park Public School,  
Bankstown Public School  
Bankstown South Infants School  
Eastlakes Public School



Spring school Holiday 30/9/19 to 11/10/19

Bookings Open: 9/9/19

Bookings Close: 24/9/19

South Eastern Community Connect SMOOSH programs are  
Government Approved for Child Care Subsidy

With 85% CCS the cost of a vacation care day will be \$8.86 plus excursion



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## SMOOSH Vacation Care Booking

**Spring 2019**

Child / Children's Name/s: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents / Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's / Guardian's Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's / Guardian's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1	30/09/19 Multicultural Day With dance and music	1/10/19 Hoyts EQ and Centennial Park	2/10/19 Excursion to Ta- ronga Zoo	3/10/19 Excursion to Lollipop Playland at Menai	4/10/19 Bike riding and electronic day
	Lunch Provided Cost :\$7	Bring your Lunch Cost: \$16.00	Bring your lunch Cost: \$19.00	Lunch Provided Cost \$19.00	Lunch provided Cost:\$7.00
Week 2	7/10/19 Public Holiday	8/10/19 Excursion to Luna Park	9/10/19 Excursion to PCYC At Woolloomoolo	10/10/19 Tye Dying and Pizza making	11/10/19 Excursion To EASTLAKES SMOOSH Carnival
		Bring your Lunch Cost: \$24.00	Bring your lunch Cost: \$15.00	Lunch Provided Cost:\$7.00	Lunch Provided Cost: \$7.00

Please book my child / children in for the following days. **Please tick and return by DATE: 24/09/19**

The cost of the day without Child care Subsidy is \$46 plus excursion.

With 85% of CCS ,the cost comes down to \$8.75 plus excursion/incursion

I consent to my child participating in any excursions planned for the days I booked. I consent to my child being transported by Telfords and SECC buses.

I understand I will be liable for the vacation care fee of \$46(before child care Subsidy )plus any excursion costs applicable for the days I have booked.

Parent or guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please return to [grichards@secc.sydney](mailto:grichards@secc.sydney) or hand to a SMOOSH Educator.



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# Vacation Care Spring 2019

**MONDAY 30/09/19**

**Zip around the  
world in two hours**



**Enjoy yummy foods  
And learn about  
various cultures**

**Participate in a  
World dance workshop**



**Lunch provided  
Cost: \$7**

**TUESDAY 1/10/19**

**Excursion to  
Hoyts  
Entertainment Quarter  
with popcorn**



**Play and picnic at  
Centennial Park**



**Depart 9am, return 3pm**

**Bring your lunch  
Cost: \$16.00**

**WEDNESDAY 2/10/19**

**Excursion to  
Taronga Zoo  
Meet some of the  
amazing animals up  
Meet some of the  
amazing animals up close**



**Depart 9am, return 3pm**

**Bring your lunch  
Cost: \$19.00**

**THURSDAY 3/10/19**

**Lollipop Playland in  
Menai**

**LEVEL 1, 44-60 ALLISON CRES-  
CENT, MENAI NSW 2234**

**with rock climbing**



**Giant Slides  
Bouncy Castles  
Tea Cup Ride  
Huge Climbing Structure  
8 metre high rock wall**

**Depart 9am, return 3pm**

**Lunch provided  
Cost: \$19.00**

**FRIDAY 4/10/19**

**Bring in your bikes  
and scooters to ride  
at SMOOSH**

**Safety gear essential!!**



**ELECTRONIC DEVICE**

**AFTERNOON**

**Bring in your electronic  
device**



**Lunch provided  
Cost: \$7**



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# Vacation Care Spring 2019

**MONDAY 7/10/19**

**PUBLIC HOLIDAY**



**TUESDAY 8/10/19**

Excursion to  
Luna Park at Milsons  
Point



for Loads of fun rides  
and Coney islands

Year 3– year 6 go on  
unlimited rides and kindy to  
year 2 go to Coney islands  
with one ride

Depart 9.am, return 3pm

**Bring your lunch**  
**Cost: \$24.00**

**WEDNESDAY 9/10/19**

Excursion to  
Woolloomooloo PCYC  
Cnr Cathedral & Riley Streets  
for Gymnastics



Tumble, bounce, flip, cartwheel  
like an Olympian- learn & devel-  
op these skills-  
Street Art – channel your inner  
artist with a morning of colour,  
creativity and canvas. take your  
creation home with you. -

Depart 9am, return 3pm

**Bring your lunch**  
**Cost: \$15.00**

**THURSDAY 10/10/19**

Tye Dying workshop

Bring in a white  
T-shirt to dye



Make your own Pizza



**SPORTY AFTERNOON**

Team based ball games  
(modified tag, dodge ball,  
capture the ball, etc)

**Lunch provided**  
**Cost: \$7.00**

**FRIDAY 11/10/19**

Excursion to  
SMOOSH at  
Eastlakes  
public school  
for Jumping castle  
BBQ  
and Disco



**Crazy hair  
Tattoos**



Depart 9am, return 3pm

**BBQ lunch provided**  
**Cost: \$7.00**

## 'MY TIME, OUR PLACE' OUTCOMES!

In December 2009, all Australian Governments agreed to a new National Quality Framework for Early Childhood Education and Care. This means that all Australian children, regardless of their location will get the best possible start in life through high quality early childhood education and care and school age care services. Outside School Age Care services became included in the scope of this National Quality Framework from 1 January 2012.

Outside School Age Care service now operate under a new National Law and Regulations, and National Quality Standards. 'My Time, Our Place' - Framework for School Age Care in Australia is a key component of this National Quality Framework.

The vision of 'My Time, Our Place' is for all children to feel safe and have enjoyable experiences. It will guide educators to provide play and leisure-based experiences that are engaging and building foundations for life-long learning.

Through the five learning goals, educators will assist your child to develop:

1. A strong sense of their identity
2. Connections with their world
3. A strong sense of wellbeing
4. Confidence and involvement in their learning
5. Effective communication skills

While the Vacation Care activities and experiences have been intentionally planned to promote the learning goals of 'My Time, Our Place', the program is also designed to be flexible and allow your children to have fun!



# Vacation Care General Information

## Eligibility

- Vacation Care is open to all primary school aged children irrespective of which school they attend during term. During the summer break children enrolled to start Kindergarten in term 1 may attend vacation care.

## Booking Procedures

- Bookings are made by completing and returning the enclosed Booking Form before the due date. Forms are to be returned to SMOOSH by email or via a SMOOSH educator.
- Payment must be made at time of booking. We are unable to accept your enrolment if you have any outstanding/overdue accounts. Balances must be cleared prior to your application being processed. Please call us if you wish to discuss this further. You will receive confirmation of your booking with your statement.

## Clothing and sun protection

- Children are to wear comfortable casual clothing when attending Vacation Care.
- Children are to wear closed toe shoes. Thongs, strapless shoes, high heels, slippers, etc are not safe and therefore inappropriate.
- No Hat no Play. Staff will remind children to apply sunscreen and wear hats while playing outdoors. Please make sure that your child applies sunscreen before arriving and brings his/her own hat every day.
- Bring a backpack with lunch, water bottle, hat, sunblock and sweatshirt. Wear clothes you don't mind getting dirty.
- A change of clothes should be packed for your kindy child.
- Raincoats are essential on excursions.

## Sign in and out procedures

- You are required to sign your child in on arrival and out before you leave with your child.

- If you want your children to be picked up by someone other than yourself, you need to give us written, signed and dated authorisation showing the name of the person picking up your child. You can email or text this authorisation prior to or on the day. Your authorised person will be required to show photo ID.

## Excursions

- We will be departing at 9.00am and returning by 3pm for each excursion.
- Children must arrive at least half hour before departure. No responsibility is taken for late arrivals. In the event of adverse weather conditions, staff will make the decision if a venue is still suitable. Excursion transport will be through Telford's or SECC buses unless advised otherwise.
- The educator: child ratio is 1:8 with a maximum of 45 children attending each excursion. A risk assessment for each excursion is available for viewing at SMOOSH.
- Gail Richards or Kristin Gray (Responsible Person) will be accompanying the children on all excursions. Excursion educators are qualified in first aid, Asthma and anaphylaxis.

## Well-being and safety

For the safety and wellbeing of all children in our care we reserve the right to exclude a child if their behaviour poses an ongoing risk to their own safety or that of other children and staff. We will inform parents and work with them to resolve any issues before exclusion may be required.

## Cancellation and Absences

Refunds or credits will not be issued if you cancel. Once your child has reached 42 allowable absence days, parents have to pay full fees. Fees are due for your child/children even if sick or absent once you book the program. CCB is paid up to only 42 allowable absence days for each child per financial year. Please let us know if there are any changes to your address, phone numbers, or other information. Please note: Parents are not allowed to swap the day with other families or within the family.