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## **Year 7 EOTC Week Information**

Dear Parents and Caregivers of Year 7 Students

This letter is to advise you of the EOTC (Education Outside the Classroom) trip your child will be involved in during week 7 of Term 1 (15–19 March 2020). The Year 7 EOTC week this year is themed “Culture and Identity” and will be largely based at Scots with some excursions.

### **Activities:**

The week will start with an exploration of Chinese culture – dance, martial arts, calligraphy and more. The students will work with NZ Ballet and Sugar Flour Patisserie School showcasing some French culture. A day off site will explore Powhiri and Maori history with a hangi meal, and the final day will focus on Indian culture – exploring dance, art, sports and the Holi festival. This will be a week of new experiences and exciting activities for all involved.

### **Cost:**

The total cost for the week is approximately \$175. A deposit of \$100 will be invoiced to you on Fri 28th February 2020.

This **deposit is non-refundable** as it covers the fixed costs associated with group bookings. There is the need for a cut-off date for any student withdrawal, and for this camp it is Friday 28 February. **For any absence from this week – you must first gain permission from the Middle School Principal (before this date). After this date your deposit may not be refunded.** I am aware that at times there are exceptional circumstances, the Principal reserves the right of discretion in these circumstances.

### **Where:**

The group will meet at Scots College each morning at approximately 8:30am. Some days will be at the College and others will be off site. More information to come on the daily activities. Students will be finished between 3-3:30pm each day.

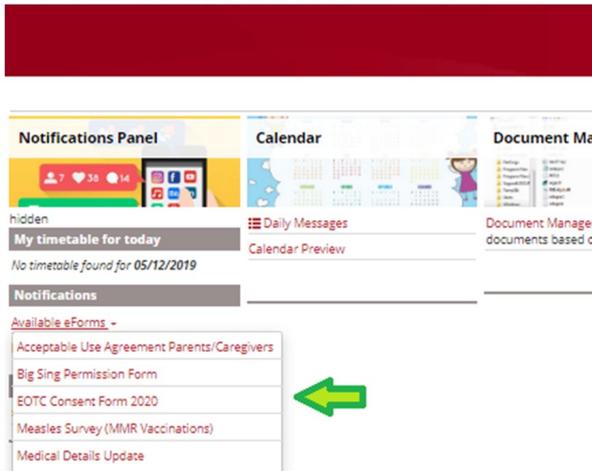
### **When:**

Monday 15 - Friday 19 March 2020 Term 1.

## What to do before:

Register! You need to do this **before the end of week 2 (Sunday 7 February)**. This that was emailed to you by our server or alternatively you can access it via Parent Portal - Available eforms on PC schools see image below.

1. Log in to the Parent Portal
2. Click on eForms and locate the EOTC consent form



You will be able to list any specific dietary and medical requirements here. Repeat for each child.

During the course of Term 1 teachers will be preparing kids for this camp, thinking about what culture is and how it has an impact on them. It is important that your child read all notices relevant to camp and come ready to try all activities.

**What to wear:** Neat, casual clothing is fine. Some of the days require old clothing as they may get messy!

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Kind Regards  
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