

VACATION CARE PROGRAM
DECEMBER 2024/JANUARY 2025

GENERAL INFORMATION

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Service Location

Woodcroft College Vacation Care operates from the Woodcroft College OSHC Building which is located opposite the Junior School Building.

Operating Hours

The Vacation Care Program operates from 6.45am to 6.15pm during the school holidays & Pupil Free Days.

Arrival & Departure

Upon arrival and departure parents are to sign their children in and out on the daily attendance sheet. This is a legal requirement. Children cannot sign themselves in and out.

Enrolment

All children attending the Vacation Care Program must be enrolled with Woodcroft College OSHC. Enrolment Forms can be located on the College website, or a hard copy can be collected from the Junior School OSHC.

Vacation Care Bookings

Please return your completed booking form and Direct Debit Authority to OSHC staff or email to woodcroftoshc@woodcroft.sa.edu.au. Bookings will be confirmed via email.

Consent for Excursions

The College uses Consent2Go as an alternative to paper records and consent forms. Consent2Go will inform you about any excursions that are planned as part of our Vacation Care Program. If your child is booked into our program on a day that an excursion in planned an email will be sent asking you to complete consent for your child to attend. Consent2Go is also the collection point for student health information. Prior to giving consent you will be prompted to check and update where necessary, any medical or health information for your child.

Daily Fee

Vacation Care OSHC Based: \$75 per child, per day Vacation Care Excursion: \$90 per child, per day

Fee Payment

To attend Vacation Care please fill in a Direct Debit Authority form and return with your enrolment. Invoices will be sent weekly by email.

Cancellations

Once we have received your booking form, full fees will be charged for any cancellations, unless we are able to fill your child's spot from our waitlist.

Child Care Subsidy System (CCSS)

From 2 July 2018, Child Care Subsidy payments are made directly to services on behalf of families. To ensure you do not miss out on your Child Care Subsidy, complete your assessment as soon as you have filled in your registration form. Families can do their assessment through myGov using their Centrelink online account or through the Express plus Centrelink mobile app.

What to Bring

Recess, lunch, afternoon tea and a water bottle must be brought each day.

If children are staying for a long day, we do suggest you pack extra snacks.

We follow the Woodcroft College Nut Free Policy. No food containing nuts is to be brought to Vacation Care.

Sun Smart Policy

A copy of the sun safe policy is available upon request.

Slip: Please pick lightweight loose clothing during vacation care period. Clothing needs to cover most of your child's body including arms and legs. No thongs are to be worn during Vacation Care.

Slop: It is recommended that sunscreen be liberally applied to all areas of skin that is difficult to cover with clothing.

Slap: It is policy that every child must be wearing a Woodcroft College hat during Vacation Care.

Program

Our program is designed for school aged children from Reception to Year 6.

We aim to provide a fun, safe, healthy and educational environment where children can enjoy school holidays linking our program to the National Quality Framework.

Don't forget your Woodcroft College hat, recess, lunch, afternoon tea and water bottle every day!





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Pupil Free Days: Thursday 12 December and Friday 13 December 2024

Thursday 12 December

Christmas Craft | Several stations will be set-up to design your own Christmas cards, tree ornaments, personalised Christmas stockings and outdoor group activities.

Friday 13 December

Oodles of Noodles | Sticky noodle creations and Christmas craft.

Week 1: Monday 16 December to Friday 20 December 2024

Monday 16 December

Dickenson's Amusements | Super-sized games - why not challenge yourself with a game of air hockey. **Christmas Craft** | Christmas mug decorating.

Tuesday 17 December

Incursion: Wilbur's Wildlife | Arrive by 10.00am to enjoy the experience interacting with a selections of animals. **Christmas Craft** | Tree Tuesday - making decorations for your Christmas tree.

Wednesday 18 December

OSHC Christmas Cinema | Hosted in the Mark Porter Hall, join us for a cinema experience to enjoy our all-time favourite Christmas movies on the big screen.

Thursday 19 December

Incursion: Christmas DIY Project | Get creative this holiday season with our ultimate DIY projects.

Friday 20 December

Electronics Day | Bring along your own portable devices. We will be spending allocated sessions during the day on our devices. All devices need to be fully charged.

Week 2: Monday 13 January to Friday 17 January 2025

Monday 13 January

Incursion: Hatching Eggs | Experience the joy of learning and caring for chickens. Our chickens will hatch over the next five days.

Craft | Paint and create plaster garden meerkats.

Tuesday 14 January

Excursion: Blackwood Roller Skating | Please be wearing active wear and you must have socks on. Arrive 8.30am and return by 1.00pm.

Wednesday 15 January

Wacky Wednesday | Fred the exploding head and let's get messy by making your own slime trinkets.

Thursday 16 January

Excursion OLEN | Explore 6 engaging activity zones and interactive wall. Premium court games, arts and crafts, multi player gaming and mini golf. Arrive 8.30am and return by 1.00pm.

Friday 17 January

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Week 3: Monday 20 January to Friday 24 January 2025

Monday 20 January

Excursion: Noarlunga Cinema | Paddington in Peru. Please bring movie snacks. Arrive 8.30am and return by 1.00pm.

Tuesday 21 January

Incursion: Think Big Performance | A group of passionate musicians providing a fun, entertaining, interactive and educational children's show. Performance will be in the Magain Performing Arts Space from 2.00pm to 3.30pm.

Wednesday 22 January

OSHC Lego Masters | Bring your creative mind and team up with your friends. Let's get building!

Thursday 23 January

Incursion Interactive Touch Screens | Vibrant touch screens with user-friendly interfaces. Ideal for children of all ages. A diverse range of games to suit different interests and skill levels.

Friday 24 January

Fun Friday | Join us for day of craft, games, music, sports and celebrate the end of the holidays.



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