



Tinaroo EEC Year 6 Leadership Extension Camps Important details for Principals or Organising Teachers

This year Tinaroo EEC will conduct a three-day (2 nights) Year 6 Leadership Extension Camp for student leaders in your cluster.

Camp Dates: Wednesday 26th February to Friday 28th February 2025 (1st camp)

This camp, in previous years, has been very successful and has allowed young school leaders to improve their skills and provides the opportunity to interact and share ideas with students from other schools.

Arrangements for 2025 include:

Both North and South Camps will be hosted at the Barron River Campus on the same dates.

TEEC will again liaise with schools to provide appropriate teaching staff to assist with the camp. TRS will be paid to cover only these teachers.

This opportunity is designed to upskill teachers within the cluster and offers will be rotated yearly.

Schools are welcome to send extra staff to support their students on the understanding that they need to cover their own release arrangements.

Any teachers that attend for the duration of the camp will receive 15 hrs PD around the 7 Australian Professional Standards for Teachers.

Target Group: Year 6 (extension) - School captains, Vice captains. (*Max: of 4 students per school, 2 for small schools*)

Venue: Tinaroo Environmental Education Centre.

Cost: \$340 per student. This includes Camp Fees, Catering, Leadership Shirt, Rewards Day and TRS component per child. Costs are to be paid by the school. DoE will direct debit your school for the total amount after the camp 1st camp.

Transport: Please organise transport for your students to and from Tinaroo EEC. Arrive Day 1 at 8.45am; Depart Day 3 at 1:30 pm. As far as practically possible a vehicle share arrangement needs to be organised to fit the environmental ethic of this Centre.

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Please Note: The focus of the camp will be on developing leadership skills through a variety of indoor classroom work and outdoor challenges. There will be a strong focus on communication skills.

Principal's involvement: The principal or teacher working with the student leaders in your school is encouraged to attend a presentation and planning session at 9:30am on the third morning. After a presentation of the skills covered on camp and a short forum to share leadership experiences, the principal/teacher develops a Leadership Plan with the leaders for the year. Principals are also invited to attend the presentations on the Rewards Day at the end of year.

Please note that principals and teachers are always welcome to visit anytime during the camp.

Rewards Day dates: Thursday 27th November 2025 - North Day and Friday 28th November 2025 - South Day

Principals, please ensure that:

- 1. Students bring their Consent Forms with them to camp.
- 2. All students arrive at camp wearing their full school uniform.
- 3. Students are aware of the expectations of the TEEC program for the year.

Please download and complete the following (available on the same page as where you found this document):

- Attendance Sheet (email it to TEEC by end of week 3 Friday 14th February, 2025).
- Information for parents:
 - o Parent information letter
 - o TEEC Consent form
 - Behaviour Expectations for Students
 - Informed Consent Swim/Canoe

We look forward to meeting and working with everyone involved in the Year 6 Leadership Extension Program this year.

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