## Middle School Camping Program

Camps are designed in association with a Core Studies unit

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| 7    | 2     | 2      | **Term 1: Clifford Park Camp**  
Orientation to MS, Team building & initiative activities,  
Personal challenges including abseiling & ‘The  
Challenge Course’, Living in community, Introduction to  
canvas camping & cooking. | Clifford Park, Wonga Park | Tents |
| 7/8  | 4     | 4      | **Term 4: Cycle A Wilson’s Prom Camp**  
Overnight hikes (1 - 3 nights), Personal challenges in a  
communal setting, Develop canvas camping & cooking  
skills. | Tidal River and Wilsons Prom | Tents |
| 8    | 2     | 2      | **Term 1: Inspiring Girls camp**  
Look at: Healthy Self Image, Physical Challenges and  
Relationships | The Lodge, Belgrave Heights | Cabins |
| 8    | 4     | 4      | **Term 1: Man Camp**  
Look at: Healthy Self Image, Physical Challenges,  
Relationships and Significant adults in their lives | Gilwell Park, Gembrook | Tents |
| 7/8  | 2     | 4      | **Term 4: Cycle B Ecology Camp**  
Explore the coastal ecology along Bunarong Marine  
Reserve near Inverloch. Look closely at estuary, beach  
studies, rock pools, conservation strategies, coastal &  
dune zonation in small groups. | Inverloch Foreshore  
Camping Ground | Tents |
| 9    | 4     | 4      | **Term 1: Melbourne City Camp**  
Look at: The Role of the Church in the City, The  
Melbourne Mass, Rich Melbourne Poor Melbourne,  
Meeting Places, Creative Expressions, Sustainability &  
Multicultural Melbourne. Experience, Know, Connect,  
Critique & Shape Melb. | Churches in CBD | Halls |
| 2    | 5     | 5      | **Term 4: Canberra Camp**  
Look at several key issues about being Australian: The  
Australian Identity, Australian Politics & Me The Citizen.  
Understand Australia’s history, culture & politics | Warrambui  
Murrumbateman, NSW | Cabins |