

31 January 2019

Dear Parents

Year 12 Chemistry - Analytical Chemistry Excursion

A Year 12 Chemistry excursion will be conducted on **Tuesday, 10 September 2019**. The purpose of this excursion is to familiarise students with specific instrumentation used in Analytical Chemistry – a key part of the Year 12 Chemistry course. Students will be completing experiments and then analysing compounds using high-level equipment at Macquarie University. Expert guidance will be provided by university demonstrators and lecturers to complete a variety of analyses and answer HSC-style questions. Attendance on this excursion is compulsory.

Please take note of the details of the excursion below:

- Date:** Tuesday, 10 September 2019
- Venue:** Macquarie University
- Departure:** You will need to be at the front entrance of the E7B building by 9.00am. You will need to make your own way to the venue.
- Directions:** The best way to get to the university is by bus or train. Forest Coach Lines run regular buses to and from the venue. Macquarie University station is accessible from Chatswood station. See the map of Macquarie University (Canvas) for further directions.
- Return:** Activities finish at 2.30pm. Students will need to make their own way home.
- Dress:** School uniform
- Cost:** The excursion costs will be covered in school fees.
- What to bring:** Pen, pencil, ruler, rubber, clipboard, study booklet (given prior to excursion), camera (optional).
- Food:** Students are to bring their own morning tea, lunch, snacks and drinks for the day. The university does have food outlets, however access to these will be limited.

The excursion will be accompanied by Mrs Butler and Mr Wright.

Yours in the service of Christian education

Mrs F Butler
Chemistry Teacher

Mr M Green
Science Coordinator

Mr T Hewitt
Deputy Principal, Curriculum (7-12)

Please complete and return to Mr Wright as soon as possible

I give permission for my child _____ of Home Class _____ to attend the chemistry excursion to Macquarie University on Tuesday, 10 September 2019.

- I understand that my child is required to make their own way to and from Macquarie University.

Signed: _____ Date: _____
(Parent/Guardian)