

4 June 2019

Dear Parents

Year 12 Biology - Museum of Human Disease Excursion

A Year 12 Biology excursion will be conducted on **Thursday, 27 June 2019**. The purpose of this excursion is to attend two Museum workshops. The first workshop will cover content related to Modules 7 and 8 (Infectious/Non-infectious Diseases). There will be a lunch break and then a second workshop which covers content from Module 6 (Genetic Changes). Students will have the opportunity to observe preserved specimens and examples of diseases relevant to the curriculum. They will also revise genetics through a station-based series of activities and questions in the museum, using the specimens to help explore the subject in more detail. Please note, some individuals may be sensitive to the display of real human tissue. If you feel this may be the case for your child, please contact Mrs Collins via the School Office.

Please take note of the details of the excursion below:

- Date:** Thursday, 27 June 2019
- Venue:** The Museum of Human Disease, University of New South Wales
Ground Floor of the Samuels Building.
- Time:** You will need to be at the front entrance of the Museum by **9.00am**
(see map attached).
- Directions:** The best way to get to the Museum is by bus. Buses travel to UNSW from Central Station regularly (see details on map attached).
- Return:** Activities finish at 2.30pm and students will need to make their own way home.
- Dress:** School sports uniform, hat and wet weather items if applicable.
- Cost:** The excursion costs \$21.00 which will be added to your school fees.
- What to bring:** Pen, pencil, ruler, eraser, and clipboard
- Food:** Students are to bring their own morning tea, lunch, snacks and drinks for the day. The museum does have an overpriced kiosk that you can purchase food from.

The excursion will be supervised by Mrs Collins.

Yours in the service of Christian education

Mrs E Collins
Science Teacher

Mr M Green
Science Coordinator

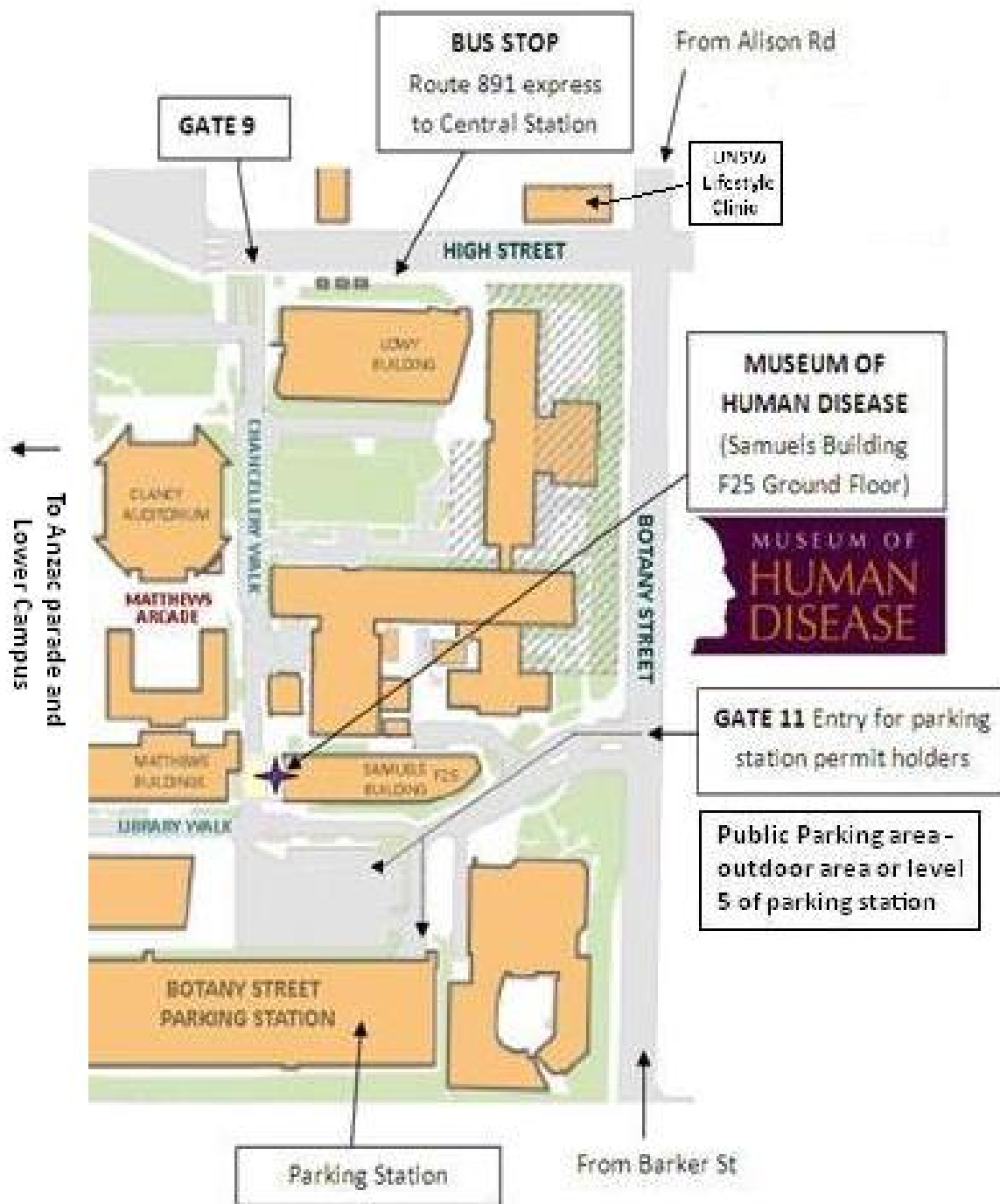
Mr T Hewitt
Deputy Principal, Curriculum (7-12)

Please complete, detach and return to Mrs Collins by Friday, 21 June 2019

I give permission for my son/daughter _____ of Home Class _____
to attend the Biology excursion on **Thursday, 27 June 2019**.

- I understand students are required to make their own way to and from the University of New South Wales.
- I understand that the cost of \$21.00 will be added to my school fees.

Signed: _____ Date: _____
(Parent/Guardian)



Pedestrian access via Gate 9, High Street or Gate 11, Botany Street.
 Buses travel to various points near Gates 9 and 11 from Central Station and Circular Quay.
 Bus services travelling to this part of the University are: M50, 348, 357, 370, 400, 890 and 891.