

## **Education outside the Classroom (EOTC)**

During the year, there are several occasions when children are taken outside the school for events.

In the past, this has meant that parents have had to give permission each time and return slips to teachers. This proves to be a time consuming job for all concerned especially for events such as the cross country etc, as teachers need to ensure all slips are returned before the event can go ahead.

Parents will still receive newsletters notifying them about the trip/event, unless it is within 1.5km of the school, e.g. a class walk to see a crane working nearby, a walk to look at the autumn leaves down in the park.

By selecting yes on the online enrolment you're giving permission for your son/daughter to participate in **all** class related education trips, including those activities involving water i.e. kayaking, swimming etc **within 1.5kms** during their time at Pillans Point School. You realise that there is a risk of injury or death in any outdoor activity and accept that all reasonable care will be taken to prevent such accidents.

By agreeing to this you will also do the following:

Update the school if there is any change to my child's medical or physical condition which would affect them participating in these local EOTC.

You understand that you will always be notified of events/activities outside the 1.5km radius through newsletters sent home and have the right to write a note to exempt your child from those trips or events.