



Wet Weather Planning

The great outdoors can be very unpredictable.

Thankfully if the weather is only making the day a little bit wet Great Aussie activities will continue as normal.

It is best for children to pack wet weather gear no matter what the forecast has scheduled. We will continue to carry out your proposed activity schedule as long as it is safe to do so.

If the weather turns into heavy rain, wind and/or lightning we will refrain from participating in outdoor activities and move to indoor activities. We will return to the outdoors once the weather subsides.

Raining on camp - Not to worry!

Here at Great Aussie school camps the rain will not dampen your camp experience!

There are several indoor spaces that allow us to conduct some indoor activities. Some examples of each activity are as follows:

Marble run- An activity that is really focused on communication and teamwork. Each participant has a section of pipe. The group has a marble. Using the pipes, create a marble run for the marble to race along. The team sets a goal and tries to make the marble travel down the pipe run for as long as possible by moving down to the end of the line once the marble has passed them. There are many variations that can be thrown into this challenge.

Hula hoop frenzy- These challenges are all about high energy, fun and problem solving! Teams will take part in relay challenges. They may have to navigate through an obstacle course as a human centipede all stuck together. What ever the challenge Hula hoop frenzy will certainly create memories and learning experiences.

Newspaper challenges- Have you ever tried to make a newspaper shoe? Where would you start? Would you roll the paper? Rip it? fold it? What about a creating a newspaper hut? Teams will be challenged to create various items using only newspaper and small pieces of tape. What a great way to share creative ideas, communicate and build together!

Minute to win it- This activity session involves lots of fast paced and fun challenges that involve strategy and quick thinking. The resources we use are items such as cups, jelly beans and tooth picks, paddle pop sticks and cotton balls.

Debriefing is an important part of the learning process. Each of our recreational programs create opportunities for learning, discussion and reflection. Our activity staff members will create many debriefing opportunities for all participants, this gives groups and individuals a chance to observe, reflect and evaluate.

The above activities can be run as a replacement for your entire schedule or it can replace one or two of your original activities depending on the severity of the weather. E. g If the rain is too heavy for rock climbing it may still be ok for you to build a bush hut.

We are flexible and will work closely with you each day to help make your experience the best it can be.



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