



## Petrie State Primary School

Developing talents; reaching goals

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Dear Parent/Caregiver

In our Term 2 Science unit, the Year 3 students will be learning about the motions of the day and night sky and the Solar System. As a part of our studies, we will be taking the students to the Brisbane Planetarium. This is located within the Botanical Gardens at Mt Coot-tha.

The students will take part in a presentation in the Cosmic Skydome. This skydome is one of the most advanced in the southern hemisphere. Students will be immersed in an educational and entertaining experience. The Planetarium astronomers will take them on a journey through space and accurately recreate the night sky over Brisbane, the Solar System, our galaxy and beyond.

After lunch, we will make the most of our visit to the Botanical Gardens, investigating and observing some of the different plant habitats represented in the gardens such as in the Tropical Dome and the Japanese Garden.

Date: Friday 23 June 2017

Time: Depart school at 9.00am and return by 3.00pm

Cost: \$16.60 which includes bus travel to/from and admission to the Planetarium

### Permission slips and payment must be returned to the office by Friday 15 June 2017

We are looking for volunteers to assist with supervision during the excursion. There are limited seats available on the bus and volunteers may need to drive. If you are able to supervise please see you child's teacher.

Yours sincerely

K Hogberg, C Frier, M Sherriff and R McLeish  
Year 3 teachers

Angelique Kropp  
Principal

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### Year 3 – Planetarium – Friday 23 June 2017

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ of class \_\_\_\_\_  
to participate in the excursion to the Planetarium.

Cash/Cheque payment of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

BPoint paid \_\_\_\_\_ date

Direct Deposit Date and Reference: \_\_\_\_\_

Centrepay/credit balance at the school

*I acknowledge that the Department of Education and Training does not have personal accident insurance cover for students. (In these times of litigation, we are required to add this statement to every activity we conduct at school. We will, of course, continue to take great care of your children and manage all foreseeable risks).*

Parent/Caregiver Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_