

CSEF Information

The college would like to ensure that we have taken into account your student's eligibility for the camps, sports and excursion funding (CSEF) for 2016. The CSEF funding will partially cover the cost of the planned Year 8 2017 camp which costs \$285.00

School **camps** provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors, **excursions** encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works and **sports** teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF is provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. The allowance will be paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions, or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student is: \$225 for secondary school students.

Eligibility date

CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/legal guardian's concession card successfully validating with Centrelink on either the first day of term two (11 April 2017) or term three (13 July 2017).

Validation Dates

- If the parent/legal guardian's concession card successfully validates on the first day of term two (9 April 2017), the application will be processed and the full annual payment will be made to the school from the commencement of term three.
- For applications which fail the term two validation, but become valid on the first day of term three (14 July 2017), the application will be processed and payment will be made to the school during term three.
- If your application does not meet both validations, please note that you will be responsible for making the full contribution for your student's camp cost of \$285.00

How to Apply

Please complete the attached CSEF application form.

For more information about the CSEF visit

Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) Application Form

Mornington Secondary College

School Name

School REF ID

Parent/legal guardian details

Surname _____

First name _____

Address _____

Town/suburb _____ State _____ Post Code _____

Contact number _____

Centrelink pensioner concession **OR** Health card number (CRN)

OR

Foster parent* **OR** Veterans affairs pensioner

Foster Parents must provide a copy of the temporary care order letter from the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS)

Student details

Child's surname	Child's first name	Student ID	Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	Year level

I authorise the Department of Education and Training (DET) to use Centrelink Confirmation eServices to perform an enquiry of my Centrelink customer details and concession card status in order to enable the business to determine if I qualify for a concession, rebate or service. I also authorise the Australian Government Department of Human Services (DHS) to provide the results of that enquiry to DET.

I understand that:

- DHS will use information I have provided to DET to confirm my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund and will disclose to DET personal information including my name, address, payment and concession card type and status.
- this consent, once signed, remains valid while my child is enrolled at a registered Victorian school unless I withdraw it by contacting the school.
- I can obtain proof of my circumstances/details from DHS and provide it to DET so that my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund can be determined.
- if I withdraw my consent or do not alternatively provide proof of my circumstances/details, I may not be eligible for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund provided by DET.
- information regarding my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund may be disclosed to the Victorian Department of Health and Human Services and /or State Schools Relief for the purpose of evaluating concession card services or confirming eligibility for assistance.

You are able to request access to the personal information that we hold about you, and to request that any errors be corrected, by contacting your child's school.

Signature of applicant _____