

School Excursions Terms and Conditions

Our excursion program is free of charge



Student numbers

Due to safety requirements, there is a maximum capacity of 30 students per WaterNSW Educator.

You are not permitted to bring more students than you have confirmed on your confirmation booking form.



Photos

You are free to take photos during your visit to Warragamba Dam.

We ask that you respect the photo rules in the Water for Life exhibition and refrain from taking photos of the indigenous sections in the Water for Life exhibition.

You must also adhere to the Department of Education and your school's photo and social media policies.



Safety

All teachers and parent helpers are expected to read the WaterNSW Venue Risk Management document prior to arriving on site.

Teachers and parent helpers are required to participate in a site safety induction prior to the excursion commencing.

We may need to cancel your excursion. If this occurs we work with you to find an alternative date for your visit.

Warragamba Dam is an operational dam site, therefore we may need to amend or cancel access to the guided visit of the dam component of the excursion based on operational requirements on the day.

WaterNSW Education Officers will provide your students with alternative activities if the guided tour component is cancelled.



Contact Us

Warragamba Dam Visitor Centre
Production Avenue
Warragamba, 2752
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Duty of Care

Teachers who attend the excursion must supervise all students throughout the entire excursion and exercise duty of care.

Teachers must also bring a first aid kit. It should be easy to carry (eg backpack or shoulder strap).



Teachers & Parent Helpers

In order to comply with WaterNSW safety requirements we require the following minimum adult to student ratio to be met with a combination of school staff and parent helpers.

Early Stage 1 to Stage 2
1 Adult to 10 Students

Stage 3 to Stage 6
1 Adult to 15 Students

This ratio excludes WaterNSW Educators.



What to wear

All participants must wear sturdy, fully enclosed, flat soled shoes (no open shoes such as sandals, thongs or ballet flats) and bring a water bottle and a hat.

We strongly recommend participants wear long sleeves and long pants, as the dam visit component of the excursion is outdoors with very little shade.



If you need to cancel

Please phone the Education Team on (02) 4774 4433 to let us know as soon as possible.



If we need to cancel

We may need to your cancel your excursion at short notice due to operational requirements, wet weather or a total fire ban. We will contact you at the earliest opportunity if this occurs.