



Curtin OSHC School Holiday Program

Summer 2025

Site information:

Curtin Primary School, 70 Theodore St, Curtin ACT 2605

8:00am - 6:00pm

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Fri, 19 Dec 2025

Would you like to be a firie? - INCURSION

ACT Fire and Rescue from Phillip Fire Station will visit with a fire truck to teach us about their work. We'll also build model fire towers using sticks and string. Bring sticks from home or collect them at school, we'll provide the string.

The incursion starts at 11 am.

Mon, 22 Dec 2025

Paper Fun Day

We'll explore fun paper activities including making beautiful hand-made paper using pulp and a screen, bookmark making, and newspaper fashion. We'll have a frozen treat with afternoon tea.

Please bring old newspapers.

Tue, 23 Dec 2025

Lunch in the Queen's Terrace Cafe - EXCURSION

We're visiting Australian Parliament House for a self-guided tour and hot lunch at the cafe. We'll text you for lunch orders the week before. Lunch cost is included in the daily fee.

Arrive by 10 am sharp. We'll return by 2 pm.

Wed, 24 Dec 2025

Chef Day

Today you're a chef! Decorate your own apron, then use it while making cupcakes. Decorate your cupcakes and eat them. We'll provide the aprons. We'll also do different activities with wool. Baa!

Thu, 25 Dec 2025 - Thu, 01 Jan 2026 Shutdown Period - No Programs

Fri, 02 Jan 2026

Creature Day

Today we'll transform each other into a creatures with face paint. We'll create fizzing eggs that reveal creatures inside and bake salt-dough creature fossils.

Mon, 05 Jan 2026

Printmaking and Shadow Art

We'll craft shadow images and create dramatic stories using a light source and 3D objects. We'll do printmaking, so bring an old shirt or smock. We'll also get dramatic - you can set up your own market stall with your newly printed 'goods' or you could run activities for other children to enjoy.

We'll have a frozen treat with afternoon tea.

Tue, 06 Jan 2026

Fire Brigagde Museum - EXCURSION

We're touring the museum with the Fire Brigade Historic Society of the ACT to see restored trucks and equipment and meet retired firefighters. Weather permitting, we'll have lunch in Telopea Park.

Arrive by 9:30 am sharp. We'll return by ~2 pm.

Wed, 07 Jan 2026

The Pout Pout Fish [G] - EXCURSION

We're going to Limelight Cinemas to watch a hilarious and heartwarming story of the prickly recluse Mr Fish and hyperactive seadragon Pip, inspired by the popular children's books.

Arrive by 9 am sharp. We'll return by ~2 pm.

Thu, 08 Jan 2026

Portraits tell stories! - EXCURSION

We're taking a 1-hour guided tour at the National Portrait Gallery: Portraits Tell Stories! Back at Curtin, we'll create fun portraits of our superpowered, evolved selves.

Arrive by 10 am sharp. We'll return by ~2 pm.

Fri, 09 Jan 2026

First Aid with Twisty - INCURSION

Twisty, an expert first aid trainer, is visiting to teach us some first aid skills. We will also make our own environmentally friendly chalk which we can use, once it dries over the weekend, to decorate and beautify the playground.

The First Aid workshop starts at 10:30 am.

Mon, 12 Jan 2026 Snakes Alive! - EXCURSION

We're visiting the Australian National Botanic Gardens to see the ACT Herpetological Society's display of reptiles and amphibians, including the endangered Southern Corroboree Frog and threatened Grassland Earless Dragon.

Arrive by 9 am sharp. We'll return by ~2 pm.

Tue, 13 Jan 2026 Mouse Hunt [PG] - EXCURSION

A National Film and Sound Archive screening of a 1997 slapstick comedy about two brothers restoring a rundown mansion while dealing with a crafty mouse who has other ideas.

Arrive by 11:15 am sharp. We'll return by ~3:15 pm.

Wed, 14 Jan 2026

National Archives of Australia - EXCURSION

Supported by the Archives' educators, we'll visit an exhibition on Australian design. In the studio, we'll design and build a 3D model spacecraft. We'll also watch the movie Paper Planes [G] at the Archives.

Arrive by 9 am sharp. We'll return by ~2:45 pm.

Thu, 15 Jan 2026 Ratatouille [PG] - EXCURSION

A National Film and Sound Archive screening of a film about a rat who wishes to become a famous French chef. Would you eat a meal prepared by a rat?

Arrive by 11:15 am sharp. We'll return by ~3:30 pm.

Fri, 16 Jan 2026 Silent Disco and Washi Tape Craft

Today we have the Silent Disco set. Dance, sing along, or listen while doing activities like washi tape craft. We'll also build a giant marble run using recycled tubes and boxes. Please bring some boxes or tubes for the activity, if you have some spare.

We'll have a frozen treat with afternoon tea.

Mon, 19 Jan 2026 Playdough and Scavenger Hunts

Make your own playdough in blue, red, green, purple, or any colour you want - you choose! We'll also do scavenger hunts. Help run them by hiding items or images, but remember where you hid them!

Tue, 20 Jan 2026 Zootopia 2 [PG] - EXCURSION

We're going to Limelight Cinemas to watch the Zootopia sequel, where detectives follow the twisting trail of a mysterious reptile turning the mammal metropolis upside down.

Arrive by 9 am sharp. We'll return by ~2:15 pm.

Wed, 21 Jan 2026 National Museum of Australia - EXCURSION

Today we are visiting the National Museum to take a selfguided tour. The museum has 250,000 objects which represent Australia's history and cultural heritage.

Arrive by 9 am sharp. We'll return by ~1:30 pm.

Thu, 22 Jan 2026 Chicken Run [G] - EXCURSION

A National Film and Sound Archive screening of a film about a great escape. Please watch the trailer to ensure this film is suitable for your child.

Arrive by 11:15 am sharp. We'll return by ~3 pm.

Fri, 23 Jan 2026 Tie Die and Polymer Clay Magnets

Make a polymer clay magnet of favourite food, animal, or your own idea for your fridge. We'll do tie die, so bring an old shirt or smock. Plus, the silent disco returns for another relaxed session. We'll create a playlist based on your song choices.

We'll have a frozen treat with afternoon tea.

Mon, 26 Jan 2026 PUBLIC HOLIDAY - NO PROGRAMS

Tue, 27 Jan 2026 National Gallery of Australia - EXCURSION

Our first ever facilitiated experience at the National Gallery of Australia (NGA): 'Made to Order'. Our 2-hour visit will include extended art making activities.

Arrive by 9 am sharp. We'll return by ~2 pm.

Wed, 28 Jan 2026 Questacon - EXCURSION

Questacon has fun interactive learning experiences that stimulate engagement in science and technology, including the newly re-opened Mini Q for our younger attendees and Zap! Clank! Pow!

Arrive by 9 am sharp. We'll return by ~2 pm.

Thu, 29 Jan 2026 Ponyo [G] - EXCURSION

A National Film and Sound Archive screening of an uplifting Japanese animated fantasy by Studio Ghibli. Ponyo became the eigth highest grossing animated film of all time. We will watch the dubbed version.

Arrive by 11:15 am sharp. We'll return by ~3:15 pm.

Fri, 30 Jan 2026 CLOSED

No programs running today

Program Notes

Children must bring suitable sun-safe clothes and a hat, closed-toed shoes, and a water bottle. We may do water play on any hot day, so please consider packing sunsafe swimwear, a towel, and thongs.

Children should bring wet weather gear on excursion days if the forecast suggests a possibility of rain.

No morning tea or lunch is provided, except where stated. Please bring morning tea and lunch from home. No nuts or seafood are allowed.

The service will provide an Afternoon Tea snack.

Policies and procedures for transporting children and risk management plans for excursions and other activities, where necessary, are in place and available at the service.

If the schedule of planned activities is amended, families will be informed as soon as possible.

Please ensure you arrive at the program at least 45 minutes before excursion departure times or earlier if the service requests. Ensure you sign the excursion permission form, which will be available upon arrival.

There is a possibility that excursions and other activities will be cancelled due to extreme weather. Alternative indoor activities will be provided on such days.

Provisions contained within the Medical Conditions Policy and Administration of Medication Procedure are strictly adhered to, and compliance with them is a condition of attendance.

Ensure all medical and dietary requirements are detailed on the Enrolment Form and action plans are uploaded.



We'd love to hear your feedback