School Holiday Program Duffy Autumn 2024



Woden Community Service acknowledges the Ngunnawal people as the traditional owners and custodians of this land and their continuing connection to land and community. We also acknowledge Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples who have come from other nations to live on Ngunnawal land. We pay our respects to their cultures, ancestors and Elders past, present and future.



Sensory Week School Holiday Program

8:00am - 6:00pm

Autumn 2024

Contact: Duffyseniors@wcs.org.au | 0476849140

Monday | 15/4/24

Tuesday | 16/4/24

Sound - Acoustic Adventure

Get ready to tune into the world of sound! Participants will embark on an auditory journey filled with music, nature sounds, and rhythm games.

They'll explore different musical instruments, learn about sound waves and vibrations, and even try their hand at creating their own musical compositions using everyday objects.



Touch – Tactile Trek | Dinosaur Museum Excursion

Feel the excitement as we dive into the realm of touch! Children will engage their sense of touch through sensory bins, texture scavenger hunts, and tactile art projects. From squishy slime to smooth stones, they'll explore a variety of textures and learn about the importance of tactile sensations in our daily lives.

Arrive by 9.30am for bus pick up Location: Dinosaur Museum. Return – 1:30pm



Wednesday | 17/4/24

Thursday | 18/4/24

Taste – Gastronomic Getaway

Prepare your taste buds for an epicurean adventure! Participants will embark on a culinary journey, exploring different flavours, ingredients, and cultural cuisines. They'll engage in taste tests, cooking demonstrations, and food art activities, discovering the science behind taste and the art of mindful eating.





Sight – Visual Voyage | Hoyts Excursion (PG)

Dive into the colourful world of sight! Children will explore the magic of visual perception through art, nature walks, and optical illusions. They'll create vibrant masterpieces using various mediums, learn about the science of light and colour, and even experiment with kaleidoscopes and 3D glasses.

Arrive by 9.30am for bus pick up Location: Hoyts Woden Return – 1:00pm

Friday | 19/4/24

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Smell – Aromatic Expedition

Follow your nose on a fragrant exploration of the sense of smell! Children will delve into the world of aromas through scent stations, herbal gardens, and aromatic crafts. They'll learn about the olfactory system, explore the benefits of aromatherapy, and even create their own signature scents using essential oils and botanicals.

Please bring morning tea, lunch, a sun safe hat, and a drink bottle.

All children attending on excursion day/s must have a signed excursion permission form.

Please make sure children are wearing sun safe clothing & apply sunscreen every 2-3 hours.

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Monday | 22/4/24

Athletic Adventure | Let's Play Excursion

Get ready to break a sweat and have a blast! Children will spend the day exploring various sports and fitness activities, from soccer and basketball to yoga and martial arts. They'll learn new skills, practice teamwork, and discover the joy of staying active and healthy. Children will also embark on a journey to Let's Play.

Arrive by 9:30am for bus pick up Location: Let's Play. Return time: 1:30pm Tuesday | 23/4/24

Spotlight Spectacular

Lights, camera, action! Participants will kick off the program by immersing themselves in the world of performing arts. They'll engage in drama games, improv exercises, and dance workshops led by experienced instructors. Through collaborative rehearsals, they'll prepare for an end-of-day showcase where they can shine onstage and unleash their inner performers.

Wednesday | 24/4/24

Expressive Escapade | Museum Excursion

Let imagination soar as we dive into the realm of creative arts! Children will unleash their creativity through painting, sculpting, writing, and multimedia projects. They'll experiment with different mediums, techniques, and styles, expressing themselves freely and discovering the power of art as a form of self-expression.

Arrive by 9:30am for bus pick up Location: National Museum. Return - 1:30pm.

Thursday | 25/4/24

Public Holiday

Friday | 26/4/24

Innovator's Quest

Calling all young scientists, engineers, and innovators! Participants will delve into the exciting world of STEM through hands-on experiments, coding challenges, and engineering projects. They'll explore concepts in robotics, chemistry, physics, and more, sparking their curiosity and creativity as they tackle real-world problems.

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Tuesday | 30/4/24

Pajama Party

Let the fun begin! Participants will start the pyjama party with a warm welcome, pyjama fashion show. It's time to dim the lights and cue the popcorn! Children will enjoy a movie marathon featuring a selection of family-friendly films. They'll vote on their favourites, cozy up with blankets and pillows, and snack on popcorn and refreshments while laughing and bonding with friends.

Back at School

Wednesday | 1/5/24

Thursday | 2/5/24

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Friday | 3/5/24

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Holiday Themes

Sensory Week

Welcome to our exciting school holiday program designed to ignite curiosity and exploration through the senses! Over the course of the week. children will embark on a journey to discover the world around them through sight, sound, touch, taste, and smell. Each day will offer a unique sensory experience, engaging participants in hands-on activities, games, and experiments that stimulate their senses and encourage creative thinking.

Talents Week

Welcome to "Talent Odyssey," a dynamic school holiday program designed to celebrate and nurture the diverse talents of every child! Over the course of the second week participants will embark on an inspiring journey of self-discovery, exploration, and skill development. From performing arts to sports, STEM to creative writing, each day will offer opportunities for children to showcase their talents, learn from experts, and connect with peers who share their passions.

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Please Note:

- Policies and procedures for transporting children & risk management plans for excursions/incursions are in place and available at the service or by request.
- Families will be emailed asap if a planned activity is unable to go ahead due to unexpected events, or for a change in excursion/incursion schedules.
- Please ensure you arrive to the program with at least 20 minutes before excursion departure times and sign the permission form which will be available upon entry or at the sign in table.
- An Afternoon Tea snack will be provided by the service. Morning Tea and Lunch will need to be brought from home. Please avoid nuts, seafood and fish products if possible as our service may have children anaphylactic to these ingredients attending.
- If an outdoor excursion is postponed due to wet weather, a wet weather plan is in place to ensure sufficient indoor activities are planned for that day.