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We are inviting you to our Duke of Edinburgh International program information night. We are delivering this program to the 2022 Year 10 cohort and are looking forward to meeting with you to discuss this exciting opportunity.

This program aims to provide students with opportunities to challenge themselves, learn new skills and integrate with local community groups. There is a substantial component for work required outside the classroom, which is why it is important to meet with families to discuss the logistics of this program. The Duke of Edinburgh program entails the following key award sections for completion

- Voluntary Service - get involved in your community and give service to others.
- Skills - build your skills in something practical or creative, such as drawing, painting, fishing, or music.
- Physical Recreation - take part in something active such as football, basketball, dancing, surfing or swimming.
- Adventurous Journey - discover a sense of adventure and do something challenging with your friends.

Deputy Principal 9/10 Mark Harland, Year 9 coordinator Hamish Thompson, and teachers Kieran Morley and Mia Storey will be present to discuss the program's management for next year. We are also fortunate to have the Queensland Award Centre head educator, Craig Humbley, who will be present to help answer any questions.



Date: Monday 8 November, 2021

Time: 5.30pm to 6.30pm

Location: Cairns state High School, Auditorium (N Block), entry via Cnr Sheridan and Upward St

If you are curious for more information on the Duke of Edinburgh prior to the presentation night, please access the following link: <https://dukeofed.com.au/>

If you are unable to attend the evening's presentation, we will make the resources from the night available to parents and guardians via the school website. Please contact Hamish Thompson on hmtho3@eq.edu.au if you have any specific questions.

A COVID check in will be required upon entry.

Regards,

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Deputy Principal 9/10

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