

## **Blanket Consent Information**

"Striving to be the best we can be"

'Blanket Consent' covers events which occur during the course of a school day, including outings and for the duration that your child attends Elmwood Normal School.

Where an event involves risk exposure greater than what would typically be the case at school, such as adventurous activities or hazardous environments, or the event continues overnight, specific consent will be required.

Medical		
	In an emergency school may act on my behalf School may administer pain relief on advice and supply from parents I agree that if prescribed medication needs to be administered, a designated adult will be assigned to do this. I will ensure that prescribed medication is clearly labelled, securely fastened and handed to the designated adult with consent form and instructions on its administration. I will inform Elmwood Normal School as soon as possible of any changes in the medical or other circumstances. I agree to my child receiving any emergency medical, dental, or surgical treatment, including anaesthetic or blood transfusion, as considered by the medical authorities present. Any medical costs not covered by ACC or a community service card will be paid by me. If my child is involved in a serious disciplinary problem, including the use of illegal substances and/or alcohol, or actions that threaten the safety of others, he/she will be sent home at my expense.	
St	udents Responsibility	
Stı	udents attending EOTC activities will understand that:	
	<ul> <li>any EOTC event is an opportunity to learn, practise skills and gain attitudes and values in an environment outside the classroom. They will realise that this requires taking on genuine responsibility for learning and safety.</li> <li>In order for this to happen, students will:</li> <li>show courtesy and consideration for others; follow the rules and instructions of staff and other supervisors at any event; take part in all activities within challenge-by-choice options; accept the rules set by the school for any event, even if they are different from what is accepted at home.</li> <li>if their actions are considered unacceptable by staff, or their actions put them or others in any danger, their parent/caregivers will be</li> </ul>	
	contacted and they may be sent home at their parents' expense.	
Pa	Parents	
	I agree to my child taking part in EOTC events. I acknowledge the need for them to behave responsibly.  I understand that there are risks associated with involvement in Elmwood Normal School's EOTC events and that these risks cannot be completely eliminated.  I understand Elmwood Normal School will identify any foreseeable risks or hazards and implement correct management procedures	
	to eliminate or minimise those risks.  I understand that my child will be involved in the development of safety procedures. I will do my best to ensure that my child follows	
	these procedures. I acknowledge that in order to gain a better understanding of the risks involved I am able to ask any questions of Elmwood Normal School about the activities in which my child will be involved. I recognise that participation in such activities is voluntary and not mandatory. My child and I both understand that they may withdraw from the activity if they feel at risk. This must be done in consultation with the person in charge.	
	I understand that Elmwood Normal School does not accept responsibility for loss or damage to personal property (either my child's property or damage to other's property caused by my child) and that it is my responsibility to check my own insurance policy.	