Dear Parents/Guardians

This year Staines Memorial College is continuing an initiative that began last year aimed at preparing students for their last year of school and beyond. We are pleased to announce that we are offering a Year 11 camp aimed at developing camaraderie, leadership skills, goals and focus for Year 12 as well as providing some positive and life-long memories of their time at school.

General details of the camp are below:

**Date:** 24-26 November 2014  
**Location:** YMCA campsite at: 81 Byrnes Rd North, Joyner QLD 4500  
**Transport:** College bus (cost covered by College)  
**Deposit:** $20 (due by 11th August- Term 3)  
**Cost:** $170pp* (Original Cost)

*This is the maximum cost and it includes travel, accommodation, food (at the campsite) and activities. We want everyone to attend and are working to keep costs down. Students are currently fundraising to reduce this cost. This term we plan to:

1. Coordinate a themed non uniform day (Week 5)

Due to the fundraising that the students have already undertaken in Terms 1 & 2, we have been able to reduce the cost of camp to **$135.00 per student**. This cost will be reduced again after the fundraising this term.

As it is important for us to pay deposits and ensure everything is booked in a timely manner, please return the form at the bottom of this letter indicating your students’ participation in the camp and including their $20 deposit.

This is to be returned to the front office in A block by **Monday 11th August**.

If you have any questions or suggestions before then please contact Miss Petersen at the College.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Nicole Petersen  
Year 11 Pastoral Care Teacher

_____________________________________________________________________________________

I ____________________________ give permission for my son/daughter ____________________________ to attend the Year 11 camp. Enclosed is the $20 deposit.