## WestConnex = Transurban

## **Expression of Interest (EOI)**

Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Mathematics (STEAM) Youth Development Camp





The New South Wales Aboriginal Education Consultative Group Inc. (NSW AECG Inc.) in conjunction with WestConnex will be conducting a STEAM Youth Development Camp for Aboriginal students from Years 5 to 11. To commence the process the NSW AECG Inc. is calling for Expressions of Interest from schools with Aboriginal students in the nominated years.

The camp will contribute to creating the generational change required for students to achieve better outcomes at school and access post-school learning and employment pathways, in the areas of Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts and Mathematics. Camps such as these assist in opening up careers of the future for Aboriginal students.

The NSW AECG Inc. is committed and actively involved in supporting and raising the academic achievement of Aboriginal students. We aim to empower students to be active learners in their education and training by providing opportunities to develop skills in leadership roles within their schools and communities. This camp will look at opportunities that can inspire and motivate students who may be thinking of a career in STEAM or who simply want to challenge themselves.

Schools should forward Expressions of Interest (EOI) on behalf of students hoping to attend the camp. EOIs should be forwarded to the NSW AECG Inc. Secretariat by either email: info@aecg.nsw.edu.au or by Fax: 02 9550 3361. EOIs must be received by COB, Friday 27 September 2019. No EOIs will be received after Friday 27 September 2019. The maximum number of students for the STEAM camp is 100.

| Event:          | STEAM Youth Development Camp  |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Targeting:      | Aboriginal students from Years 5 to 11 (inclusive)  |  |  |  |  |
| Dates:          | Wednesday 6 November - Friday 8 November 2019   |  |  |  |  |
| Venue:          | The Tops Conference Centre, 51 Bendena Gardens, Stanwell Tops NSW 2508  |  |  |  |  |
| EOI:            | Close - Friday 27 September 2019  |  |  |  |  |
| Cost:           | Accommodation and meals are provided - information regarding food allergies etc. must be highlighted on the schools EOI and managed through the schools RISK Management process |  |  |  |  |
| Transport:      | Responsibility of and organised by individual schools - cost met by schools   |  |  |  |  |
| Supervision:    | Individual schools must send a teacher to supervise students  |  |  |  |  |
| Teacher Relief: | Cost met by individual schools  |  |  |  |  |



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| Name   |          |     |        |     |  |  |
|--|----------|-----|--------|-----|--|--|
| Date of Birth                                    |          | Age |        | Sex |  |  |
| Address  |          |     |        |     |  |  |
|  |          |     |        |     |  |  |
| Telephone  |          |     | Mobile |     |  |  |
| Email  |          |     |        |     |  |  |
| T-Shirt Size<br>(XXS, XS, S, M, L, XL)           |          |     |        |     |  |  |
| Local AECG                                       |          |     |        |     |  |  |
| School Name                                      |          |     |        |     |  |  |
| School Contact Number                            |          |     |        |     |  |  |
| School Contact Person                            |          |     |        |     |  |  |
| School Year                                      |          |     |        |     |  |  |
| Emergency Contact Details                        |          |     |        |     |  |  |
| Name   |          |     |        |     |  |  |
| Address  |          |     |        | _   |  |  |
| Telephone  |          |     | Mobile |     |  |  |
| Relationship to Applicant                        |          |     |        |     |  |  |
| Do you have any allergies or medical conditions? |          |     |        |     |  |  |
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