## EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

## STEM YOUTH DEVELOPMENT CAMP



Lake Keepit 28<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup>May 2020



Head to the NSW AECG Inc. website link below to find out more information and to download a registration form. Alternatively you can contact the NSW AECG Secretariat on 9550 5666 and info@aecg.nsw.edu.au

https://aecgservices.com.au/programs/stem-camps/











Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Youth Development Camp

## Lake Keepit

 $28^{th} - 29^{th}$  May 2020

The New South Wales Aboriginal Education Consultative Group Inc. (NSW AECG Inc.) in conjunction with the Department of Education's, Aboriginal Education and Communities and the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Mathematics Alliance (ATSIMA), will be conducting a STEM 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 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 STEM 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: <a href="mailto:info@aecg.nsw.edu.au">info@aecg.nsw.edu.au</a> or by Fax: 02 95503361. EOIs must be received by COB, Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2020. No EOIs will be received after the Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2020. The maximum numbers of students for the STEM camp is 100.

EVENT: STEM Youth Development Camp

TARGETING: Aboriginal students from Years 5 to 10 (inclusive)

DATES: Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2020 VENUE: Lake Keepit Sport & Recreation Centre

Fitness Camp Road, Rushes Creek NSW 2380

EOI: Close – Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2020.

COST: Accommodation and meals provided by the NSW AECG – information regards 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

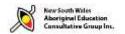
For more information, please contact Kyara Nean at the NSW AECG Secretariat on (02) 9550 5666 or <a href="mailto:kyara.nean@aecg.nsw.edu.au">kyara.nean@aecg.nsw.edu.au</a>







Expression of Interest	
Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM)  28 <sup>th</sup> May – 29 <sup>th</sup> May 2020	
Name:	
Date of Birth:	
Sex:	Students Year Group: (E.g. Year 5)
Age:	
Do you have any dietary requirements? (Please specify) Do you have medical conditions?	
(Please specify)	
Local AECG:	
School Contact Details  Please note the schools contact email address will receive all correspondence	
School Name:	
School Contact Person:	
School Contact Number:	
School Email:	
Emergency Contact Details	
Name:	
Address:	
Mobile:	Other Contact Number:
Relationship to Applicant:	





## Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics STEM Camp - Information Sheet

Thank you for your interest in attending the Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics STEM Camp for Aboriginal students which will be held from Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2020 until Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2020.

Accommodation: Lake Keepit Sport & Recreation Centre

Fitness Camp Road, Rushes Creek NSW 2380.

Accommodation Facilities: Accommodation is in bunk styled lodges. Students will need to supply their own

sleeping bag, pillow and towel. If you require assistance with this please contact

Kyara Nean on 02 9550 5666 or kyara.nean@aecg.nsw.edu.au

Accommodation will be available on Wednesday night the 27<sup>th</sup> May 2020 for those schools travelling large distances. If you will require this additional

accommodation please contact Kyara Nean on 02 9550 5666 or

kyara.nean@aecg.nsw.edu.au

Transport: Transport to and from Lake Keepit Sport & Recreation Centre will need to be

arranged by the school. If assistance is required with transport, please contact

Kyara Nean at the NSW AECG Secretariat on 02 9550 5666.

Meals: All meals are supplied including breakfast, lunch, dinner, morning and afternoon

tea. Meals will commence with Morning tea on Thursday 28th May and finish with

Lunch on Friday 29th May 2020. Could you please forward any dietary

requirements to kyara.nean@aecg.nsw.edu.au

**Supervision:** Accompanying teachers will be responsible for the supervision of their students.

All schools MUST send a supervising teacher(s).

Times and Camp Activities: Registration for the Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics STEM

Camp will commence at 9:00am. The workshops will start at 10.00am on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2020 and finish on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2020 after Lunch. A risk assessment and full agenda will be supplied prior to the camp.

**Photographs and filming:** An Authority to publish form will be supplied prior to the camp for photographs

and filming.

**Cost:** All accommodation, meals and camp activity costs are covered.

Acceptance: Your School contact will be individually notified if your students have gained a

place in the camp or if you have not been successful, after the closing date of

EOI applications on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2020.

If you require any additional information or clarification, please contact the NSW AECG Secretariat on 02 9550 5666 or by email to <a href="mailto:kyara.nean@aecg.nsw.edu.au">kyara.nean@aecg.nsw.edu.au</a>.

Many thanks for assisting to make this happen. It should be a great learning opportunity for students to engage in their culture and see the relevance of STEM.



