**Camp Policy**

Camp is an integral part of Treetops educational programme. It is not a holiday. The aims of camp are:

- To nurture the students’ independence, respect, self motivation, self control and self direction
- To provide opportunities for students to develop a sense of personal and social responsibility
- To provide an opportunity for students to develop established relationships and foster new ones
- To develop students’ self-confidence
- To extend students’ educational experiences

Parent volunteers may be required to assist in supervision and will require a Working With Children Clearance in order to do so. Parent volunteers should be rotated to ensure that every Parent has the opportunity of going on camp and that every student has the opportunity of attending camp without their parents.

*Treetops Montessori School will take into consideration religious, cultural and physical factors which may call for exceptions to this rule. The final decision will be at the discretion of the Principal.*