

SCECS OSHC St Catherine of Siena Prestons

Spring 2026

Vacation Care Program

6:30AM
6:00PM

OPEN
CLOSE

PLEASE ARRIVE BY
9AM FOR
EXCURSIONS



IN-HOUSE

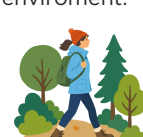
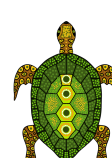


WORKSHOP



EXCURSION

Week One

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MONDAY, 28 SEPTEMBER			TUESDAY, 29 SEPTEMBER			WEDNESDAY, 30 TH SEPTEMBER			THURSDAY, 1 ST OCOTBER			FRIDAY, 2 nd OCTOBER		
MORNING CLAY CREATIONS			MORNING LASER & ARCADE GAMES			MORNING AUSTRALIAN MUSEUM			MORNING CANDLE MAKING			MORNING NATURE WALK		
Let's get messy! Come join us as we explore the world of clay. This hands-on activity is a fantastic way for children to bring their imagination to life! 			Come join us as we go to Villawood Timezone. Enter the next level of excitement at one of our laser tag & Arcade games! Dive into an immersive world of adrenaline-fueled fun. 			Come join us as we visit Australian museum The Oldest Museum in Australia — Stunning Natural History and Cultural Collection in Sydney Experience science, culture and nature in the heart of Sydney at the Australian Museum 			Come join us, as we step into making candles. Children will be guided by the educators through the process of making their own candles. 			Come join us as we go on a nature walk to discover what is close to our school on children's popular request we will spend the day exploring our enviroment. 		
AFTERNOON POTTERY WORKSHOP			AFTERNOON INCENTRE MOVIES			AFTERNOON ANIMAL FORM MOSAIC			AFTERNOON SLIME GLORE			AFTERNOON FINTRAY PARK		
Let your children try their hands at traditional pottery wheel skills! With guided instruction, they'll shape, mold, and create their own unique clay masterpieces. 			Sit back, relax, and enjoy a thrilling movie on the big screen with your friends while enjoying popcorn at OSHC. 			Have a fun, creative, mess free, fuss free fun with creativity. Children will be able to show and use their imagination into Mosaic art. 			This afternoon our children will be engaged in messy play and slime. On children's popular request we will be exporing making slime with different ingredients. Make sure you wear your oldest, most comfy clothes! 			After exploring our nature walk we will be walking to the local park (Fintray Park) having lunch and continue to explore! 		
	Base Fee	\$86.20		Base Fee	\$86.20		Base Fee	\$86.20		Base Fee	\$86.20		Base Fee	\$86.20
	Exp Fee*	\$14.30		Exp Fee*	\$46.05		Exp Fee*	\$24.85		Exp Fee*	\$19.60		Exp Fee*	\$0
	Daily Total	\$100.50		Daily Total	\$132.25		Daily Total	\$111.05		Daily Total	\$105.80		Daily Total	\$86.20
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MONDAY, 5 TH OCTOBER			TUESDAY, 6 TH OCTOBER			WEDNESDAY, 7 TH OCTOBER			THURSDAY, 8 TH OCTOBER			FRIDAY, 9 TH OCTOBER								
PUBLIC HOLIDAY			MORNING SYDNEY AQUARIUM			MORNING BECOME A SCIENTIST			MORNING SUPERHERO DAY			MORNING KEY CHAIN MAKING								
			Come on a journey of an amazing discovery through SEA LIFE Sydney Aquarium's unique marine environments and explore over 4,000 animals from more than 300 different species – the world's largest collection of Australian aquatic life! 			Experience being a scientist and do the experiments. Children will be learning about primary and secondary colors using test tubes, racks and pipettes and explore difference between physical and chemical change 			Come join us as we dressed up as our favourite super hero! Our day will be filled with lost of fun, games and activities. 			As per children's request, we will get creative with our making skills and participating in making key chains. This a great experience for the children to make gifts for their family and friends 								
			AFTERNOON SAND ART			AFTERNOON SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS			AFTERNOON GAMING TRAIOR			AFTERNOON KAROE FUN								
			Creative kids with an eye for sparkle will be captivated by these magical masterpieces! Children will have a blast choosing a design, peeling off the tabs, and pouring on rich, jewel-toned sand to bring their pictures to life. Peel, stick, pour, and create! 			This afternoon we will continue the fun from the morning incursion and do mopre science activities such as rainbow water run, vulcano and many more experiments throught the day. 			On childrens popular request, get ready to explore our Gaming Bus with a range of popular G rated games like Fifa, Mario Kart, Rocket League, Lego, Just Dance, and many more on the latest Xbox, Nintendo Switch, and PlayStation 			Love singing? Get ready for some fun as we dive into Karaoke Fun! Introduce your children to the joy of singing with classic songs for kids. Not only will they have a blast, but karaoke will also help improve their reading and speaking skills while creating joyful memories. 								
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Additional Information



What to Wear

Get ready to embrace adventure with a fun filled day at SCECS. Stay up to date with the weather forecast to dress suitably for the day ahead, comfortable clothes for full participation and enclosed shoes are a must! We recommend dressing in layers so that items can be added or removed. Please ensure all clothing items and belongings are clearly labelled with your child's full name to minimise lost property.



What to Pack

Fuel up for fun-filled days at SCECS vacation care with a healthy lunch! While we'll take care of providing breakfast, afternoon tea and late snack, we kindly ask that parents pack the below items. When preparing your child's lunchbox, please be mindful that we are a nut free service due to allergies and anaphylaxis. Your thoughtful consideration ensures a safe and enjoyable experience for all.

- ☒ Morning Tea/Fruit Break
- ☒ Healthy Lunch
- ☒ Refillable Water Bottle
- ☒ Sun Safe Hat
- ☒ Raincoat or Umbrella
- ☒ Warm Jumper



Medical Information

If your child has Asthma, Anaphylaxis, an Allergy, or any other medical condition, please provide your plans to your child's OSHC Coordinator. Please provide required medications to your OSHC Coordinator on the first day of attendance in their original packaging, clearly labelled with your child's name and a use-by date.



Terms & Conditions

Please refer to the [Family Handbook](#) located on our website. The booking is not confirmed until a confirmation email has been sent from our service. Please note: A Risk Assessment has been prepared for each excursion and is available at each service.



Child Care Subsidy

After your SCECS vacation care booking is placed through XAP, you must log into your MyGov account to check you have a confirmed enrolment.

Example CCS Rates for SCECS FY2026-2027

Vacation Care Fees	Daily Fees Before CCS	50% CCS Out of Pocket Fee	85% CCS Out of Pocket Fee
Base Fee	\$86.20	\$45.26	\$16.59
Base Fee + \$9.00 Activity	\$95.20	\$49.98	\$18.33
Base Fee + \$14.30 Activity	\$100.50	\$52.76	\$19.35
Base Fee + \$19.60 Activity	\$105.80	\$55.55	\$20.37
Base Fee + \$24.85 Activity	\$111.05	\$58.30	\$21.38
Base Fee + \$30.15 Activity	\$116.35	\$61.08	\$22.40
Base Fee + \$35.45 Activity	\$121.65	\$63.87	\$23.42
Base Fee + \$40.75 Activity	\$126.95	\$66.65	\$24.44
Base Fee + \$46.05 Activity	\$132.25	\$69.43	\$25.46



Excursions

Please note a Excursion & Transportation Permission Form must be completed for each excursion. This will be provided to you at the service. Risk assessments available upon request for each venue.



Spending Money

Please ensure that children do not bring any extra spending money unless specifically advised by your OSHC Coordinator.



Booking & Cancellations

Vacation Care bookings are subject to availability and may be placed/amended via XAP. Seven (7) days written notice is required for cancellations.



Enrol Now

If you need help with enrolling, please contact the OSHC Coordinator:



0439 232 963



prestons.oshc@syd.catholic.edu.au

If the Vacation Care service is not your child's regular OSHC location, bank details will need to be supplied prior to attendance.

