

EPPING BOYS HIGH SCHOOL

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Voluntary Student Activities of a Religious Nature in Schools

Dear Parent/Carer,

A number of students at Epping Boys High School participate in voluntary activities of a religious nature in school. In accordance with Department of Education policy, visiting group leaders undergo all appropriate child protection checks and the content is monitored. All sessions are supervised by a teacher.

Following are details of the voluntary groups of a religious nature, which operate at Epping Boys High School

Group	Run by	Day and Venue	Participating Year
Inter-School Christian Fellowship (ISCF) Leadership	School Chaplain	Tuesday lunch time (The Well)	Years 10-12
ISCF – "CRASH"	School Chaplain	Friday lunch time C7	Years 7-12
ISLAMIC Individual Prayers	Muslim students	Monday – Thursday lunch time D1	Years 7-12
ISLAM Prayer Group	Solomon Hamid – Muslim community member approved	Friday lunch time D1	Years 7-12

The NSW Department of Education's Implementation document for Religious Education Policy requires parental permission for students who participate in voluntary student activities of a religious nature in schools. Before participating in any of the above-mentioned activities, a student must present the permission slip, signed by a parent or carer, to the front office. Group leaders will maintain a list of all students from whom a permission note has been received. Permission will remain effective throughout 2024 unless a letter of withdrawal is received from the student's parent or carer.

Should you have any enquiries in relation to this letter, please contact Mr Dean, Head Teacher of Administration, via the school email.

Yours sincerely,

Jessica Schadel
Principal
February 2024

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Please detach and complete the permission slip below and return to the front office

Voluntary Religious Activity Group – Parent/Carer Permission

Student's Name: _____ Year: _____

I have read the information about the religious activity groups which operate at Epping Boys High School. I understand these activities operate under the auspices and supervision of the Principal

I give permission for my son to participate in: *(Please tick the group/s in which your son would like to participate)*

CRASH Leadership	School Chaplain	The Well	Years 10-12	<input type="checkbox"/>
CRASH (ISCF)	School Chaplain	Friday lunch time C7	Years 7-12	<input type="checkbox"/>
ISLAMIC Individual Prayers	Muslim students	Monday – Thursday lunch time D1	Years 7-12	<input type="checkbox"/>
ISLAM Prayer Group	Muslim community member approved	Friday lunch time D1	Years 7-12	<input type="checkbox"/>

I understand this consent will remain effective throughout 2024 unless a letter of withdrawal is provided by me to the school.

Parent/Carer's Signature: _____ (please print) Date: _____

Parent/Carer's Name: _____ (please print)