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Dear Parents,

Worm farming Incursion – DLA2, DLA3 & GLA1

We have organised this incursion to be an interactive, educational addition to their Sustainability unit in Geography this term. Kids love getting their hands dirty and they get to keep their own mini worm farm!

The incursion program and original presentation has been designed by Vermiculture expert, Kevin Smith, who has been educating school students for over two decades!

He will bring masses of wriggling worms for the students to get up close and personal with. The session lasts an hour and covers; worms, the environment, worms role in waste management, recycling, worm biology, sustainability, mini beasts and gardening.

Each student will need to collect a clear plastic bottle to make their mini worm farm with. 1.25 litre or 2 litre cool-drink or water bottles are best.

You will need to cut the necks off the bottles so that they become a cylinder shape, i.e. the students have to be able to put their hands into the bottles. The bottles will need to be prepared (cut down) before the day.

When: TUESDAY 1st AUGUST

Kind Regards,
Sally Price, Bethany Dunbar & Elise Pirga.

I give permission for my child _____ to attend the incursion and have enclosed the \$8 fee in the envelope provided.

Name and signature