

## OLE! Week 2020

### Year 7 Information Package

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OLE! Week Monday 12 October to Friday 16 October has been given a brand-new look in 2020.

Students will be based on campus and will also experience the natural beauty of our surrounding Southern Highlands. Each year group will enjoy a diverse week of activities, aimed at making them feel connected and inspired. Oxley has enlisted the support of Lands Edge Foundation and other education providers to create an exciting week for all students in Year 7 to Year 11. We will also utilise the expertise of our College Staff.

The OLE! Cup will kick off the week with a student-driven Arts Competition on Monday & Tuesday involving:

- House Art
- House Band
- House Drama
- House Dance
- House LEGO
- House Touch Football

Student performances and pieces will be exhibited at the conclusion of Tuesday with points contributing toward their House. Information about the other OLE! Week activities are detailed below.

Each day of OLE! Week will occur during normal school hours and Berrima Buses will run as usual during this week. Students must provide their own sun hat and sunscreen each day.

Day	Uniform	Food	Other Equipment	Location
<b>Monday 12 October</b>	PE tracksuit/hat House hoodie (optional)	Canteen available – use Flexischools to order	Laptop and writing materials Water bottle Sunscreen	Oxley College
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### Year 7 Outdoor Adventure

Wednesday 14 October to Friday 16 October 2020

#### Outdoor Adventure

Year 7 will be immersed in the local landscape during OLE! Week. They will participate in the following activities facilitated by [Lands Edge Foundation](#).

#### Paddle

Students will be bused to the Berrima Reserve where they will learn to safely canoe on the slow flowing waters of the Wingecarribee. They will learn the basics and some advanced skills in slalom kayaking.



#### River Walk

Students will take a leisurely walk along the banks of the Wingecarribee river on the 'Berrima River Walk' whilst looking out for platypus and other wildlife. They will discover what the German Merchant Seaman built along the river while interred at Berrima for four years during WWII.

#### Bushwalk

The Box Vale Mine track follows the formation of an historic railway line and passes through cuttings, along embankments and through a tunnel 84 metres in length. Although much of the surrounding terrain is steep and rocky, the 4.4km walking track has easy grades and the return walk takes about three hours





### Mountain Biking

Beautiful and exhilarating rides for all levels. Welby MTB Track boasts a beginner, intermediate and advanced track through the beautiful natural bush just behind Mittagong. Students will learn how to mountain bike safely and improve their balance and trail riding skills.

### Initiatives on Bray Fields

Initiatives are best described as team building challenges that focus on planning, problem solving, and creative thinking.

Initiatives are a great way to challenge groups, begin or enhance the team-building process, or simply have fun!



### Solo Reflection

This is an opportunity for students to spend some quiet, reflective time in nature. Students complete this structured activity by themselves whilst still being in close proximity to the group.