



12 February 2019

Parent/Guardian:

Students studying the TT561A/TT661A unit, will be visiting the Sydney Street Op Shop on Wednesday 13 February 2019. This excursion is a learning activity to extend their knowledge on sustainable fashion as well as to buy denim jeans required to create their textile project as part of their assessment. They will be supervised by Mrs Sopa and will travel to and from the Op Shop in the College bus.

Whilst it is optional for the students to buy second hand denim clothing, the excursion seeks to make students aware of the principles of sustainable fashion and living, by recycling, revamping, recreating and reusing, in order to avoid clogging landfill with clothing waste. Please note that all students are expected to attend as it will be during their normal lesson time.

Since this lesson goes into lunch, we plan to have lunch on our way back at McDonalds, or if preferred they can bring their own lunch with them.

The cost for this excursion is \$5.00 (for the denim item) with extra money needed to pay for their lunch at McDonalds (if applicable).

If you require any further information, please don't hesitate to contact Mrs Sopa at the College on 4969 4199 or via email on tebogo.sopa@mercymackay.qld.edu.au

Regards

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