

# CHRISTMAS IN MELBOURNE

**Fri 13/12/2024 - Sun 15/12/2024**

**Kids & Youth Camp (5-17)**

## DETAILS

**Overview:** Hop on the train for a jolly Christmas weekend in Melbourne staying at Urban Camp. Dive into festive activities using public transport to explore iconic city spots, an ultimate mix of holiday fun and opportunities to build your skills!

**When:** Friday 13th - Sunday 15th December 2024

**Where:** Parkville, Melbourne, Victoria

**Cost:**

Ratio	Support Cost	Activity Cost	Total cost
1:4	\$1,900	\$550	\$2,450
1:3	\$2,220	\$550	\$2,770
1:2	\$2,900	\$550	\$3,450
1:1	\$4,780	\$550	\$5,330

*The above figures are approximate and may be subject to change based on the individual and their needs.*

**Pick-up and drop-off times & locations:**

- Geelong
- Werribee
- Footscray
- Colac
- Warrnambool

*Options depend on the number of people attending. Individual transport might be available at extra cost and depending on availability of support workers.*

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Get into the Christmas spirit with a weekend of festive activities! Participants will explore Melbourne city and all the events and spectacles it has to offer in a safe, supportive environment, with a focus on choice and control and support to make friends and create lasting memories!

## **Public transport experience!**

This camp will be an all-public transport journey to provide our participants opportunities to enhance their skills on navigating trains, trams, or exploring on foot!

## **Christmas in Melbourne - something for everyone**

While empowering participants their freedom of choice and control there are a range of activities offered to cater for everyone's interests. Activities include heading to the Queen Victorian Market, enjoying the Christmas displays at Federation Square and along the South Wharf, exploring Christmas wonderland and some tasty treat making to take home!

## **Urban Camp - accommodation & inclusions**

Located just a tram ride away from Melbourne CBD, Urban Camp offers cosy dorms with bunk beds, multipurpose rooms and a table tennis table perfect for activities including a game of ping pong or a dance off!

## **Skill development & empowerment**

We focus on boosting confidence, empowering participants' choice and control, and increasing problem-solving, communication, and teamwork skills. Every activity is designed and delivered to support participants to develop new skills and work towards their goals in a fun, safe environment.

## **Passionate support workers & active support**

Our dedicated support workers provide high-quality personalised, strength-based, person-centered care, ensuring each participant's individual needs and preferences are met. They are skilled and experienced in managing complex support needs and behaviors, ensuring a positive and engaging experience for all.



# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

## NDIS FUNDING

Camp support costs are claimed from your NDIS plan using your Core funding. You are required to have a current NDIS plan with adequate core funding. Want a quote? Reach out to our intake team at [intake@gateways.com.au](mailto:intake@gateways.com.au)

## CAMP ACTIVITY COSTS

The camp activity cost includes accommodation, food, and activities. This cost is typically an out-of-pocket cost, however it may be claimed from your NDIS plan under certain circumstances outlined by the NDIS, with prior understanding, confirmation and consent from participant, plan nominee, LAC or support coordinator.

## NEW TO GATEWAYS?

If you're new to Gateways Support Services you will be required to go through our intake process, providing relevant information and documentation to your dedicated intake officer and completing our easy digital signing process for service agreement and forms. To start this process, reach out to our friendly intake team at [intake@gateways.com.au](mailto:intake@gateways.com.au)

## NEW TO CAMPS?

If you're new to camps at Gateways or re-engaging after some time away, the camps team will support you to complete our secondary intake process, involving completion or updating your 'My Service & Support' profile, this document details all support needs and information for attending participant, ensuring a person centred experience in a well-supported environment.

## SUPPORT RATIOS

Your support ratio will be determined on an individual camp by camp basis, taking in to account a range of factors, such as camp accommodation/environment, activities planned, group dynamics and your support needs.



## ACCESSIBILITY & SUITABILITY

At Gateways, we are dedicated to offering engaging, meaningful and unique experiences for individuals of all abilities. Our camps are designed to accommodate a variety of support needs and capacity levels. The accessibility of each camp may vary, so we encourage you to contact our camp team at [camps@gateways.com.au](mailto:camps@gateways.com.au) to determine the best fit for you.



## MEDICATION

If you will be bringing medication to the camp, we require a medication treatment sheet to be completed and signed by a general practitioner. Medications in tablet and capsule form are required to be in a Webster pack from the chemist. For any other types of medications, please keep them in their original packaging with labels intact and your name and dosage clearly readable.

## CANCELLATIONS

Cancellations made within 7 days of the camp (including COVID-19 related cancellations) will incur full charge for the supports. Following your confirmation, a cancellation fee equal to the price of the activity cost will apply if a replacement person cannot be found, regardless of when the cancellation is made.



Gateways is an NDIS and DFFH registered disability service provider, with quality accreditation.

For more information contact our friendly camps team  
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