

Locally Developed Courses Water Experience 15 – Inside GYPSD

Thank you for registering your students in a Water Experience Course!

How much will it cost?

TLC submits the course marks to Alberta Education.

Upon receipt of funded CEU's, TLC will journal voucher funded CEU's (2.5 credits per student) back to your school.

Your school pays the Palisades invoice for meals and accommodation.

Your school pays for all outside costs associated with taking a locally developed course (Winter Travel Marmot lift, lesson and rentals and Water Experience Rafting with Jasper Raft Tours).

How do I prepare my students?

This attachment has live links and is meant to help you plan and execute a safe and enjoyable trip for your students.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Education Lead

Phone: (780)-852-6210

(GYPSD Teacher on Interchange Agreement with Parks Canada)

The Palisades Stewardship Education Centre

Water Experience 15 is the result of a unique partnership!



As preparation for the course, you'll need to:

1. Advertise and have students sign up, commit and complete pre-immersion work. Note- you need at least 12 people (teachers/chaperones can be included in this number as it is the number needed for the kitchen contractor).

You'll find a poster that may be helpful [here!](#)

The Facebook page [Palisades GYPSD](#) has an album about Water Experience.

There is an overview document about the centre found [here](#).

2. Based on the following information (scheduling details), contact Jasper Raft Tours and organize your Athabasca Float Trip. Ensure you mention you're a group at the Palisades as they'll give you a good rate!
**Remember that your school is responsible for paying the rafting bill.
3. Find the schedule template, pre-immersion work and spreadsheet [here](#).
4. Have students complete pre-immersion work and book a videoconference session with the education team if needed.
5. Organize bussing details, and other trip details such as permission forms. Risk Management Protocols (if needed by your division for field trip approval) are available as a [synopsis](#) or a [full document](#).
6. Finalize scheduling details, and student numbers with Paul Langevin paul.langevin@pc.gc.ca
7. Prior to arrival, please send the Education Lead the spreadsheet with student details completed (your student records person can hopefully fill this in for you!) and the pre-immersion marks entered .
8. Send Dietary/Medical concerns and Room List to the Palisades Office palisades.centre@pc.gc.ca
9. Ensure students/parents the [packing list and an understanding of the centre](#).
10. Upon completion of the course, mark post-immersion works and send completed spreadsheet to the Education Lead and Donna Funk with TLC.

Safe Travels!



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