



Immaculate Heart of Mary School

14th February 2023



Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Our students have the opportunity to be involved in an exciting program: **'Children's University'**. Children's University (CU) aims to encourage high quality out of school activities for children aged between 5 and 14 years, engaging the wider community as learning partners in this process. The most important principles of CU are that participation is voluntary and activities must take place outside the normal school day during lunch, after school, weekends and holidays. All CU learning is designed to inspire children to think about their futures with a greater knowledge of the careers and professions that they could aspire to.

Led by the University of Adelaide, CU aims to nurture aspirations and develop a love of learning. Children and young people enrolled in CU are issued with a *Passport to Learning* which records their individual learning journey. After the first 30 hours of learning, children are rewarded for their participation at a graduation ceremony held at the University of Adelaide. Children can graduate multiple times depending on the hours they accrue. Information on the hours, and award levels, can be found in the *Passport to Learning*.

Participating students have access to activities at school, online and also in the wider community (*Learning Destinations*). These activities have been validated by CU trained staff as good learning experiences. Once your child becomes a member, a full list of *Learning Destinations* can be found by logging on to the CU Portal at www.cuaportal.com.

Please note that CU is not compulsory, children are encouraged to take responsibility for their learning, choosing what to do from a variety of offerings. Students are enrolled in CU when they receive their ***Passport to Learning***.

The annual fee for 2023 - \$38.50 (inc. GST) School Card Holders: \$16.50 (inc GST)
Replacement Passports - \$7.70 (inc. GST)

If your child would like to become a member of CU for 2023 please complete the details below and the **Photo/Recordings Release Form** on the back of this letter and return to the Office with payment by **TUESDAY 21st FEBRUARY**.

CU MEMBERSHIP 2023

I consent to my child participating in the Children's University Program in 2023.

Child's Full Name: **School:** Immaculate Heart of Mary, Brompton

Child's Preferred Name:.....

Gender: F M Other Prefer not to say

DOB:

Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander: Y N

English is a second language: Y N

Has your child been a CU member previously? Y N

If yes, current Passport No:.....

If yes, do they require a new Passport? Y N

I give consent for CU to upload their details to access the CU Portal. Y N

PLEASE COMPLETE FORM OVER PAGE...





PHOTO / RECORDINGS RELEASE FORM

I,..... (Parent/Caregiver name)

of (Address)

grant permission to the University of Adelaide to use, reproduce and communicate (in hardcopy or electronic format)

any photographs, audio and/or video recordings taken of my child(child's name)

over the time period below, for the following purposes:

- University publications and promotional activities (including but not limited to the University's website and social media sites, promotional and marketing materials and student recruitment activities);
- the University's administrative and teaching purposes.

I acknowledge and agree that this may result in public disclosure of my child's image.

Photo / Filming Dates: **January 1st to December 31st 2023**

Events: **All Children's University Australasia and Africa (10) Activities**

Signed:.....

Email:

Thank you for your assistance.

The personal information provided on this form will be used for the primary purposes set out in the University of Adelaide's Privacy Policy, to provide member identification and log-in access to the Children's University platform, and to assist the University to improve and tailor Children's University's offerings and functions. The University will also share the personal information with the participant's School or Organisation for administrative purposes. Please refer to the University's Privacy Policy (www.adelaide.edu.au/policies/62/) for more information, including the types of other entities to which the University may need to disclose Personal Information; how you can seek access to your Personal Information held by the University and how you can make a complaint if you feel your privacy has been breached.

** The CU Portal requires children to log in using a username and password. Once your CU Coordinator receives your membership consent form it will be sent to CU, who will issue your child a Passport to Learning, login details, handouts and guidelines to assist you and your child with navigating the website. These resources will be sent back to your CU Coordinator for collection. Submissions through the Portal will be kept for 12 months only.*

