MARSDEN VALLEY EDUCATION CENTRE





Have your class camp in the heart of a "Gold Rush" town on the West Coast! **Key Competencies:** Our LEOTC programmes compliment and support the NZ curriculum and thus enhance classroom learning. They are an authentic, hands-on and interactive learning experience with a strong focus on the development of the 5 Key Competencies.

> NZ Curriculum: Thinking Using language, symbols and texts Managing self Relating to others Participating and contributing

Our Values: All our Marsden Valley Education Centre LEOTC programmes integrate Values identified by the current curriculum and Te Whariki. The programmes encourage students to persevere in the face of difficulties, think critically, creatively and reflectively; also to respect diversity, be fair, honest, responsible, and accountable and act ethically; to respect others, themselves, to take care of our environment and the treasures/taonga displayed here at Shantytown.

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Based in Shantytown Supported by Ministry of Education

Active hands on educational activities for all ages

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MVEC overnight camps are provided only to schools that have booked an education programme and agreed specific Achievement Objectives and Learning Outcomes with the Educators.

All visits are for one night only and will run from 12 noon to 12 noon or from 5:00p.m to 5.00pm the following day.

Shantytown provides basic accommodation in the Conference Centre (Welshman's, 4 rooms). Bring all your own bedding. One shower is available.

Schools will have access to the kitchen area for food preparation and washing up after the cafe has closed for the day and before 8:00 a.m. the following morning. Meals can be provided for students if required at additional cost. A small barbeque is also available on request.

The only buildings available after opening hours will be the Conference Centre and Cafe. All other areas will be locked and alarmed.

The Main Gates will be closed at the end of the working day but not locked so access is available in the event of an emergency.

Students are the sole responsibility of the visiting school staff overnight. A list of emergency numbers will be provided should the need arise for help during this period.

MARSDEN VALLEY EDUCATION CENTRE OVERNIGHT CAMPS

A unique overnight camp experience incorporating educational programmes for years 1-13.



Situated on an original goldfield, surrounded by native forests, creeks and the buildings of Shantytown, the possibilities are endless for all subject areas.



Accommodation: \$14.00 per student.

Meals: \$18.50 per person (includes dinner & breakfast)

Education programme: \$14.00 per student (includes gold panning & train ride)

Prices are valid until 31 December 2019



"For some it is their 1st camp experience and it is a great safe environment to do this in. Some students worked really well as a group and often in class activities they may have struggled with this but they did well in this practical situation." Nov 2014

"The Tuesday was very well planned from the time we arrived right through and into the evening. Our students thoroughly enjoyed being dressed in traditional clothes, having a variety of hands on activities alongside the educators knowledge and opportunities for questions and answers. During the evening the students also commented on how accommodating the staff had been. For our students from a low decile school the little things are things they notice, such as the kitchen staff had left marshmallows for them to put into their hot chocolates." May 2016

