

Example of Gr8 Orientation Camp - Back to Basics

(Early Arrival - 2 nights- Early Departure)

"The purpose of orientation camps is to create an opportunity for new learners in grade 8 to get to know one another. The opportunity for register teachers to meet and interact with their class. Prefects | RCL to introduce rules/school anthems/school values wit the Gr8s. Through the program we can facilitate a faster and stronger bonding opportunity over a short space of time. The program and the camp facilities allow for teachers and facilitators to monitor behaviour, interaction & activities to ensure a safe and respectful engagement. We are proud to say schools have returning for the last 23 years every year with their Gr8's.

Arrival Day 1

09:00 Welcoming

- Dividing into teams
- Team Names & War-cries
- Bodycheck and safety drills
- Camp rules
- Room allocation
- Orientation & Lay-out of Camp (Build a model of camp)
- Something cold to drink

13:00 Lunch Time

- My place at *School*
- Me, Myself and I. - (Activities* focused on getting to know yourself and your teammates.)
- Activities |(Rotations of groups 4-6-8 groups depending group size)
- Build a word * Stack the towers * Sockey * Dodgeball.*

18:00 Dinner

- Evening Program
- Stalk the Lantern * Nature Presentation (Bird Id & Tree ID)

Shower time

BedTime

Day 2

- Wake up call, an answer to the rhythm of the African Drum
- Morning Coffee & Rusks

Morning Activities (Rotation of groups Day 2 & Day 3)

- Game Drive * Dance Exercise * Animal cards * KQF

08:00 Breakfast (Day 2)

(Rotation of groups 40 min sessions 10min Water break & Rotation Time)

- Me, My Class & I * Totem pole * Volleyball * Adventure Challenge * Bushveld sports * Swimming & Tuck shop * Worm farming * Water Slides.

13:00 Lunch

- Continuing with the above activities.
- Concert Preparation

18:00 Dinner

- Concert

Shower time

Bed Time

Day 3

- Wake up call, an answer to the rhythm of the African Drum
- Morning Coffee & Rusks

Morning Activities (Rotation of groups Day 2 & Day 3)

- Game Drive * Dance Exercise * Animal cards * KQF

08:00 Breakfast (Day 3)

- Operation Clean up; lost & found
- Pack - up
- Quick feedback on Camp and activities
- Group Photo
- Board the busses

11:00 Depart