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Year 12 Outdoor Education Kayak Journey

Our two Year 12 OED classes undertook their Kayak Journey in Week 2 and 3 to Katarapko National Park. Both groups paddled from Berri to Camp 1 (10 km's) on the Wednesday afternoon.

The Thursday route was the longest of the three days, passing through Lock 4 (what a great initiation to the purpose built structure), over a weir in Katarapko creek negotiating the weaving creek system for a further 12 kilometres, eventually arriving at Camp 2 later in the afternoon.

An early start on Friday morning (5:45am) meant that the group were on the water at 7am enjoying the calm water and countless water birds going about their business. To quote Mr Meredith: "It doesn't get any better than this".

The groups appointed leaders for each stage of the expedition, taking it in turns to provide focussed leadership, organisation and collaboration with fellow class mates. A good time was had by all; importantly, each student had the opportunity to show evidence accounting for 15% of their SACE OED grade.

Mr Meredith and Mr Sward
OED teachers



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