



Boshack Outback

Taste, Touch & Feel the Real Australia

90 minutes from Perth, Western Australia

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Boshack Overseas Student Camp Program (2 Days 1 Night)

Includes

Accommodation: 1 Night Humpy/Safari Tent

Meals: 1 Breakfast, 2 Morning Teas, 2 Lunches, 1 Afternoon Tea and 1 Dinner

Activities: 1 Day (5 hours)

Highlights

Aboriginal Dreamtime and Didgeridoo Playing: Experience the ways of the early pioneers from thousands of years ago. Sit in the oasis environment amongst the paper bark forest. Blow the **Aussie didgeridoo** - see if you have the power. Some can do it, many can't.

Australian Bush Tucker: Enjoy our **Aussie billy tea and damper scones with jam and cream** in true bush style. Make your way to our peaceful Bush Tucker area and reflect while sampling **emu, kangaroo and emu meat**. Relax and take in the forest surroundings and enjoy the **hayride** back.

Boshack Outback Experience: Watch a demonstration of **boomerang throwing** and then have a go yourself. Does the boomerang come back? See if you can throw it right in this true Outback experience. Get up close and personal with some beautiful **farm animals and hand feed them**. Also try your luck at **Water Divining. Can you locate water in the bush?**

Bush Chocolate Tasting and Witchetty Grub: Traditional Aussie nuts and local honey made into a bush chocolate to test your taste buds. Witchetty Grubs is an aboriginal protein worm and is considered a sweet delicacy for tasting.

Early Pioneer and Aboriginal History: The setting in the paper bark forest goes back thousands of years. It was the perfect relaxing area in early life when there was no air-conditioning in the hot weather.

Yabbi Netting: The bush freshwater crayfish was an alternative to the meat diet in the bush. This crayfish is very similar to the ordinary crayfish that is caught from the sea.

Lifestyle and Culture of our Forefathers: A talk on how our ancestors lived and experienced the outback. Listen to how they survived in the harsh bush environment.

Orienteering – Land and Water: For land orienteering, navigate your way through the bush with a map. Retrieve the hidden story of Boshack. Next, try your hand at lake orienteering on our fresh water lake. Maneuver your way between the trees to find the secrets to the rest of the Boshack story.

Paper Bark Forest Walk and Historic Well: A 50 meter walk through the cleanest and freshest air one can experience. Visit one of the original settler's water holes which provided the freshest of water.

Raft Building: In groups of three, use bush materials to create a small raft to race against other teams.

Sketching and Net Fishing: Bring home with you a memoir of your time at Boshack by sketching something from our natural environment. Try your hand at Net Fishing from the shores of the lake and see what creatures we have swimming in our waters.

Programme

Day1

11am	Arrive at Boshack Boshack Outback Experience - farm animal feed, boomerang throwing, Water Divining Aboriginal Dreamtime and Didgeridoo Playing Bush Chocolate Tasting and Witchetty Grub Early Pioneer and Aboriginal History Lifestyle and Culture of our Forefathers Paper Bark Forest Walk and Historic Well Yabbi Netting Australian Bush Tucker Morning Tea
1pm	Lunch
2.30pm	Introduction to Boshack Camp and our environmental footprint Tour of lakeside camp and fire drill Settle into Humpies
3pm	Afternoon Tea
3.30pm	Self Co-ordinated Option Time Canoeing, feed kangaroos, campfire (in season)
5pm	Shower Set up for Dinner
6pm	Dinner
7pm	Self Co-ordinated activity

Day2

7am	Rise and Shine Pack bags, clean out Humpy and get ready for departure
7.45am	Breakfast
9am	Orienteering – Land and Water
10.30am	Morning Tea
11am	Raft Building or Sketching and Net Fishing

12.30pm	Lunch
1.30pm	Departure

Notes

- Each Humpy/Safari Tent sleeps 4 to 5 students.
- Separate male/female accommodation for teachers.
- Student participation in serving and tidying up after meals is a part of the Boshack experience. 3 to 4 children available for each main meal would be appreciated.
- If you need suggestions for the Self Co-ordinated Option Time, do enquire.
- Coach transfer to and from Boshack can be arranged at an additional price
- Schedule and activities may change slightly due to weather or unforeseen circumstances.

Important

Before your camp experience, remember to provide Chrissy with your mobile. Please call or text Chrissy before departing Toodyay to confirm arrival. There is no digital mobile range past Toodyay. Chrissy can be contacted at 0408 005 628 (Australia) or +61 4 0800 5628 (International).