



# Ambarvale High School

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## Incursion Information Medieval Enrichment day Year 8

Dear Parent

Your child will be participating in a Medieval Enrichment Day to be held on Ambarvale High School grounds. This program is a series of workshops aimed at allowing students to gain firsthand experience with medieval military tactics, clothing, food, music and customs.

A variety of history educators, re-enactors and experienced artisans will be running the workshops in conjunction with the HSIE faculty staff. The workshops will accommodate every Year 8 student and improve their understanding of the changes in society from the 11<sup>th</sup> century to the 15<sup>th</sup> century.

This one-day program is designed to reinforce the History curriculum already being delivered in HSIE classes and provide an opportunity for Year 8 students to access and handle medieval re-enactment and accurate artefacts from the time, most of which are not easily available within the school.

The Medieval Enrichment Day program is designed to specifically address the social and military changes from the Dark Ages to the Middle Ages. Students will have the opportunity to dress up in period costume, participate in simulated combat, participate in traditional food preparation and home maintenance and engage in traditional music and dance.

**When:** Thursday, 25 March 2021

**Where:** Ambarvale High School

**Time:** Period 1-4

**Cost:** \$2.00 donation to be brought on the day

**What to bring:** Writing material and history workbook, phone or camera to capture evidence

**Dress Code:** Full PE/Sports uniform to be worn

**Please note:** If you do **NOT** wish for your child to participate please email Ms Novak using the school email address [www.ambarvale-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:www.ambarvale-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au) or alternatively call Ms Novak on 4627 1800 to advise.

**Emergency Contact Number:** 4627 1800

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