



Mad About Maps (Wild Play Garden)

Stage 2 Geography

This excursion is a hands-on geography skills and play based learning program where the skills of navigation, map making and data collection are presented in a way that is fun, full of movement all taking place in the park's newest learning space the Ian Potter Children's Garden.

The excursion activities will include:

- From big to small, mud mapping with a focus on BOLTS
- Using paper maps to complete a wild play treasure/ scavenger hunt
- Eco-art mapping activities reflecting on the variety of wild play garden habitats including banksia scrub, grassland meadows and bamboo forest

Curriculum links and syllabus outcomes:

- **GE2-1** examine features and characteristics of places and environments.
- **GE2-2** describe the ways people, places and environments interact
- **GE2-4** acquire and communicate geographical information using geographical tools for inquiry