RAINFOREST & ECOLOGY

Group Activities RAINFORE



Army Duck Tour 45 mins Discover the World Heritage listed rainforest on an amphibious Army Duck. Over land and water with entertaining and knowledgeable Duck Drivers

Tree Planting

Allow 30 mins

Plant 1 tree per person or 1 tree per group. Includes plaque for Honour Board with group / university name and date of visit + Certificate of appreciation presented to each participant. Seedlings are cultivated by Kuranda Conservation Nursery.

Eco Sustainability Tour Allow 45 mins Take a Behind The Scenes look at the eco-efficient initiatives in place at RFS. Vermiculture; Biocycle waste treatment plant; Army Duck fuel conversion and Desert 'Loos' just to mention a few

Tropical Fruit Tasting 20 mins Try skewers of tropical and exotic fruit in the Tropical Fruit Orchard. Tropical Treats staff will introduce each fruit to group and conduct a mini taste-test / "guess which fruit" forum. Dragon Fruit; Mango; Soursop; Sapote; Jackfruit; Sugarcane; Passionfruit and more!! A lot of the fresh produce on the Lunch buffet comes from the Rainforestation garden!



INDIGENOUS CULTURE

Dreamtime Walk

Introduction to Aboriginal culture and traditions with a Pamagirri Guide: Boomerang Throwing; Didgeridoo Playing Lesson: Spear Throwing demo.

Pamagirri Show 30 mins

Traditional Aboriginal Performance in the Rainforest Amphitheatre

Aboriginal Art Workshop Allow 1 hr

1 x large 'group-size' canvas or individual mini canvases are prepared with a basic Aboriginal design painted by a Pamagirri Artist. The Pamagirri Artist conducts a workshop to explain traditional colours; painting techniques (dot art etc); story telling and traditions. Each person will add their own aboriginal dot-style design to the canvas.

Large canvas will be finished with a professional touch by a Pamagirri Artist then packaged and posted to the school/corporation as a unique memory of the group's Aussie visit.

Individual canvases will be dried and ready to take home on the day

Boomerang Painting 30 mins Design and paint your own boomerang with the guidance of a Pamagirri Artist

Face painting 5 mins per person

Have your face painted by a Pamagirri Performer before the dance show





WILDLIFE EXPERIENCES

Wildlife Park

Hands-on Interaction with native Australian Animals in Wildlife Park with Wildlife Keeper. Snake holding; Kangaroo feeding; Barramundi Feeding. Even meet an elusive Tiger Quoll and get to know the endangered cassowary

Wildlife Photos 15-20 mins Hold a koala or baby croc, Includes 5x7 photo

Behind The Scenes Tour 45 mins Accompany a Wildlife Keeper on their rounds. Help with Koala leaf prep & feed out in 3 koala enclosures Visit food prep area; Explain medical treatment / vet visits/ injured animal care; Reptile feeding / croc feeding / Roo enclosure cleaning

