



# CAMP HORIZON

## Participant Frequently Asked Questions

### 1. What is Camp Horizon?

Camp Horizon is an initiative by the Youth Coordinating Forum (YCF) comprising of Youth and Sports Board, Education Board and ITREB. Camp is known for its ability to bring high school-aged youth together and encourage the formation of life-long friendships in a fun-filled, supportive and nurturing environment. Participants from Australia, New Zealand, and Papua New Guinea will come together in Sydney from 24th to 27th January 2025.

### 2. What are the objectives of Camp Horizon?

At Camp Horizon, we want to create a space for our youth to:

- Reflect on the role of Islamic values as being an integral part of one's daily life.
- Encourage responsibility, care, and service for the Jamat, Ummah, society, and humanity.
- Foster within each participant a balance of Din and Dunya and encourage regular practice of faith in their daily life.
- Equip participants to explore, practice, and articulate their faith comfortably and confidently in all contexts.

### 3. Who can attend Camp Horizon?

In Australia and PNG, high school students who are in grades 7 to 9 in 2025.

In New Zealand, high school students in grades 8 to 10 in 2025.

### 4. When is Camp Horizon?

Camp Horizon is a four-day (three-night) residential camp held from 24th to 27th January 2025.

Participants will meet in Sydney Jamatkhana at 7:00 AM on 24th January 2025.

Participants will be transported to and from the campsite by bus.

A closing ceremony for participants and parents will follow Jamatkhana ceremonies on 27th January 2025.

## 5. Where will Camp Horizon be held?

Camp Horizon 2025 will be held at **CCC Central Coast Sydney, Australia.**

## 6. What travel arrangements will be provided for my child?

Participants will be responsible for arranging their flights to and from Sydney for Camp Horizon.

It is recommended that interstate and international participants arrive no later than Thursday 23rd January 2025, and depart no earlier than Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2025. It is requested that all interstate and international participants, especially those travelling from outside of Australia, purchase adequate travel insurance. Host family accommodation will be arranged for interstate participants for the duration of their stay in Sydney. Complete transportation for camp activities will be provided during their stay in Sydney, including pick up and drop off at the airport.

## 7. What health and safety measures will be taken during Camp Horizon?

There will always be trained medical staff on site. Registration forms require details of any existing medical conditions and allergies a participant may have. This information must be provided when filling out the registration form. Participants will always be provided with water and sunscreen and encouraged to wear hats during outdoor activities. In addition, participants may wish to carry personal insect repellent with them. There will also be a safety team at night.

## 8. Will participants be allowed to keep prescribed medication?

The Camp has a zero-tolerance policy on all drugs, cigarettes and alcohol. Any prescribed medical drugs need to be provided to the medical staff at registration, along with dosage instructions. All medicine will be administered by trained medical staff.

## 10. How can I register?

Please complete the registration form via the The.Ismaili App or Camp website.

## 11. How much does Camp Horizon cost?

A fair cost structure has been decided, keeping in mind that many participants will be travelling from interstate and overseas.

Sydney (host city)	AU\$350
Adelaide	AU\$250
Brisbane	AU\$250
Melbourne	AU\$250

Auckland	NZ\$55
Perth	AU\$50
PNG	AU\$50

**12. I can no longer attend Camp Horizon, can I receive a refund?**

As external bookings are required, we can not offer refunds after 31st October 2024, this includes deposits.

**13. When is the last day to pay the full payment?**

No payments will be accepted after 30<sup>th</sup> November 2024. Please ensure to make payment before this date to secure your spot.

**14. I would like to attend Camp Horizon but require financial assistance, how do I access it?**

Please contact Amin Ali (Chairman of AKYSB) at [Amin.Ali@anzni.org](mailto:Amin.Ali@anzni.org) for a private and confidential discussion.

**15. I still have more questions, whom should I contact?**

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