

Terratribes



NORD ANGLIA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL Hong Kong
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What is Terratribes?

Terratribes is an Experiential Education Company



We use the outdoors and adventure to teach students about the relationships between themselves, others, and their environments.

What do students learn?

Students learn to understand themselves more fully and relate to others more effectively.

Psycho-Social Skills Development

- Confidence
- Self-Concept
- Self-Efficacy
- Self-Esteem
- Perseverance
- Respect

Environmental Ethics & Responsibility



Terratribes programs for younger students focus more on affective learning, but also engage students in cognitive activities.

Affective outcomes of adventure programming include

Intrapersonal: Emotional & Individual

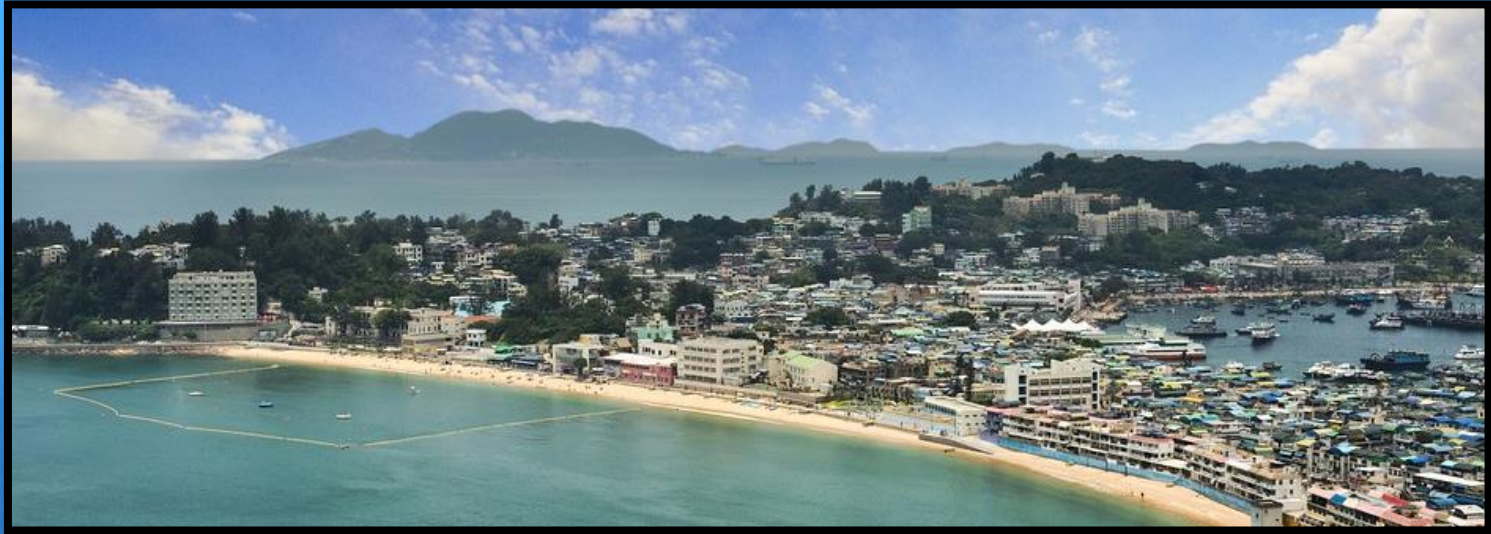
- + New confidence in oneself
- + Increased willingness to take risks
- + Improved self-concept
- + Enhanced leadership
- + Increased logical reasoning
- + Greater reflective thinking

Interpersonal: Social & Group

- + Enhanced cooperation
- + More effective communication skills
- + Greater trust in others
- + Increased sharing of decision making
- + New ways to resolve conflicts
- + Improved problem solving
- + Enhanced leadership

Terratribes programs aid the development of Advanced Performance Characteristics

- + **Generalisation** – *The ability to see how what is happening in this instance could be extrapolated to other situations*
- + **Connection finding** – *Using connections from past experience to seek possible generalisations*
- + **Ability to see alternative perspectives** – *Taking on the views of others to deal with complexity and ambiguity*
- + **Meta-cognition** – *Ability to knowingly use a wide range of thinking approaches and to transfer knowledge from one circumstance to another*
- + **Dealing with complex & multi-step problems** – *Can break down a task, decide on a suitable approach and then execute activity*
- + **Strategy planning** – *Ability to approach new learning experiences by actively attempting to connect it to existing knowledge or concepts*
- + **Critical or logical thinking** – *Ability to deduce, hypothesise, reason, seek supporting evidence*
- + **Flexible thinking** – *Ability to abandon one idea for a superior one or generate multiple solutions*
- + **Self-regulatory processing** – *Ability to monitor, evaluate, and self correct*
- + **Concentration, Persistence, & Resilience** – *The ability to keep going until the task is complete*



Year 4 – Cheung Chau

June 17 – 19, 2015



Program Focus

3 – days of...

Adventure Based Learning

- High Ropes Challenges

Outdoor Education

Cultural Heritage Awareness

Fun & Excitement!!

Day 1		Group 1	Group 2
	Breakfast		
	AM	Arrival at Central Ferry, Pier 5 for ferry to Cheung Chau	
	Lunch	Lunch at Don Bosco	
	PM	ABL's	Cheung Chau Challenge
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	Dinner	Local Restaurant	
	Night	Don Bosco Youth Center	
Day 2		Group 1	Group 2
	Breakfast	Breakfast at Don Bosco	
	AM	Abseiling	Ropes Course
	Lunch	Lunch at Don Bosco	
	PM	Ropes Course	Abseiling
	Dinner	BBQ Dinner at Don Bosco	
	Evening	Night Briefing & Showers	
	Night	Don Bosco Youth Center	
Day 3		Group 1	Group 2
	Breakfast	Breakfast at Don Bosco	
	AM	Beach Olympics at Tung Wan Beach	
	Lunch	Packed Lunch	
	Afternoon	Departure from Cheung Chau to Central Ferry, Pier 5, Hong Kong	
	Evening		
	Night		

Cheung Chau Don Bosco Youth Center



Day 1

Arrival & Challenges

- Board bus at school
- Transport to Pier 5, Central
- Lunch at Youth Center upon Arrival
- Rotational Activities
 - Cheung Chau Challenge
 - Adventure Based Learning Initiatives
 - Team-building Challenges
 - Group-based Problem Solving
- Dinner at a Youth Center
- Reflections/ Showers
- 9 p.m. Lights Out



Day 2 – Abseiling & Ropes Course

- Breakfast
- Rotational Activities
 - Abseiling
 - Ropes Course
- Lunch at a Youth Center
- Rotational Activities
 - Ropes Course
 - Abseiling
- BBQ Dinner at Youth Center
- Reflections & Showers
- 9 p.m. Lights Out



Day 3

Beach Olympics!

- Breakfast at Youth Center
- Beach Olympics
 - Team-Building games
 - Group Problem Solving
 - Designed for the Beach
- Packed Lunch for Ferry Ride
- Ferry to Pier 5 in Central
- Bus Transport back to NAIS for pick-up



Addressing NAIS's Primary Concerns



Security & Safety

- + Don Bosco Youth Center has been serving young people for over 40 years.
- + The center has fencing around a majority of its perimeter.
- + Teachers & guides will be camping in tents near students
- + Terratribes staff are trained in wilderness first response & advanced first aid
- + Teachers and guides will be with students at all times during the trip

Facilities, Amenities, & Contingencies

Facilities & Amenities

- + Dormitories sleep up to 16 students, with 7 dorms available
- + All students will sleep in dormitories for both nights
- + Students have access to toilets at all times
- + A separate building is available if a student suffers from separation anxiety

Contingencies

- + In the event of rain we have a communal room available in which we can facilitate adventure based learning games



Questions?

Thank you!

