

Fun @ Thriftwood



Thriftwood was an amazing adventure to embark on as year 11's. It was the perfect way to practice team building exercises with each other in celebration of our school's hundredth birthday. My group was able to compete in the activities such as sky high, rock climbing and zip lining.

Sky high consisted of climbing up a rope ladder and walking across a high wooden beam at the top while strapped to a harness in case you fell. This really challenged us to conquer our fears and as a team we all supported each other during each turn. Now having conquered sky high, rock climbing forced us to put total trust in our friends as they held the very rope that we were dangling from. But it gave us a sense of responsibility and we felt a new found trust with each other after that experience. Rock climbing also gave us an opportunity to fly to the ground like superman. The last activity, my personal favourite, was zip lining. This was the perfect way to end the day, challenging each other to complete different poses as we zipped down the line and aiming to land on our feet and not in the mud at the end. Thriftwood was definitely an amazing experience I did not regret and I hope it continues for all Year 11s to come.

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