



Save and Learn in the Northern Territory

The ideal classroom is the great outdoors, making the Northern Territory the perfect school excursion destination. With vast horizons and contrasting landscapes, the NT provides endless inspiration. It's a place unlike any other, different in every sense, where students and teachers take the great Aussie pilgrimage to discover ancient geology, rich Aboriginal culture, important historic events, and turn learning into an adventure!

School groups from outside the Northern Territory are invited to submit an application for travel in 2026 to receive \$2,000 funding support to assist in delivering your NT school excursion.

The planned excursion simply needs to meet the following requirements:

- minimum of 10 students in the group
- staying at least five nights in the Northern Territory
- the itinerary must include three or more NT Learning Adventures (NTLA) operators.

Application forms and a list of current NTLA partners can be found at ntlearningadventures.com

All applications must be received at least four weeks prior to departure.

For help planning your excursion and to apply for the NTLA Save and Learn funding program, or request a copy of the NTLA guide, please contact Tourism and Events NT:

W ntlearningadventures.com

E education.tourismeventsnt@nt.gov.au

APPLICATION FORM - NT Learning Adventures Save and Learn Program

To apply, complete the following application form and submit with your full itinerary to education.tourismeeventsnt@nt.gov.au.

NAME OF SCHOOL

ADDRESS

SUBURB

STATE

POSTCODE

SCHOOL WEBSITE

GENERIC PHONE

GENERIC EMAIL

POSTAL ADDRESS
(If different from above)

Coordinating teacher contact details

NAME

POSITION

EMAIL

PHONE

Excursion details

Year level of students	Yr 3	Yr 4	Yr 5	Yr 6	Yr 7	Yr 8	Yr 9	Yr 10	Yr 11	Yr 12
Number of students				Number of accompanying adults					Total cost per student	
Dates of excursion			to				Number of days in the Northern Territory			
Regions being visited (tick all that apply)	Darwin		Kakadu		Arnhem Land		Katherine			
	Tennant Creek		Alice Springs		Uluṟu		Litchfield			

Identify at least three **NT Learning Adventures (NTLA)** experiences from your itinerary (excluding accommodation).

Who is arranging your tour (school, tour agent, tour operator, coach company etc.)?

How did you find out about the NTLA Save and Learn program?

How will this funding improve your students experience in the NT?

In addition to this registration form, please provide the following supporting documentation to complete your application:

a detailed itinerary, highlighting the main activities day by day

evidence of a financial commitment made by the school towards the excursion.

By ticking this box, I indicate that I have read and understood the terms and conditions of this grant program and agree to be bound by these terms and conditions.

SIGNED

DATE

Terms and conditions

NT Learning Adventures Save and Learn program

Any Australian school group, from outside the Northern Territory (NT), is invited to submit an application for funding to support their NT school tour. The planned excursion simply needs to meet the following requirements:

- minimum of 10 students in the group
- staying at least five nights in the in the NT
- the itinerary must include at least three NT Learning Adventures (NTLA) operators (excluding accommodation and other services). Alternatively, itineraries delivered by an NTLA operator that include extended cultural immersion elements in remote communities may also be eligible (at the discretion of Tourism and Events NT). A list of current NTLA partners can be found at ntlearningadventures.com.

School tours departing from 1 January 2026 that complete their travel by 31 December 2026 are eligible for \$2,000 (GST inclusive) funding, per school group. Schools are eligible to claim up to five rebates per calendar year. Each application must be for school groups undertaking tours on different dates and/or itineraries to be eligible.

APPLICATION

All applications must be received at least four weeks prior to travel. Late applications may not be accepted. The application is to be provided by email to education.tourismeventsnt@nt.gov.au and must include:

- completed and signed 'NTLA Save and Learn program' application form
- a detailed itinerary, highlighting the main activities, day by day

APPROVAL

All successful applications will receive an approval notice via email, a reference number and instructions on how to claim.

PAYMENT

The pre-approved funding is claimed after the group has completed their excursion. The funding is paid directly to the school by sending the final itinerary, evidence of payments made to at least three NTLA operators and an invoice to Tourism and Events NT, as per the instructions provided in the approval email. All invoices must be received by Tourism and Events NT no later than 10 days after the group has returned. Late invoices may not be paid.

The school must notify Tourism and Events NT if the planned excursion is amended or cancelled. Prior to making payment, Tourism and Events NT will seek confirmation that travel was completed as per the itinerary provided during application.

Tourism and Events NT reserves the right to change the terms and conditions or terminate the program as required.

For more information on NTLA and the Save and Learn program
visit ntlearningadventures.com | email education.tourismeventsnt@nt.gov.au

