



RAMS

Risk Analysis & Management Systems

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Confidence Course

Risk Level: Medium

Minimum Adults Needed: 2

Location: Confidence Course

Supervisors: Parent Helpers/Teacher(s)

Important Information for Supervisors of Activity Groups:

- ⇒ The children and their safety is **your** responsibility for the entire duration of the session. Do not allow any child to leave the group without your permission.
- ⇒ Please ensure your cellphone is off & attention is on the children at all times.
- ⇒ Please ensure you are acquainted with the **Activity Instructions** and the **RAMS** form for your activity prior to beginning the session.
- ⇒ It is expected that your organisation will have briefed supervisors as to any special needs/at risk children (e.g. a severe bee-sting allergy, epilepsy).
- ⇒ If you have any concerns about the activity, the equipment or your level of ability in regard to this activity, please speak with One Big Adventure staff immediately.
- ⇒ Normal precautions for child safety apply such as:
 - ◆ Ensure adequate clothing and footwear are worn especially if outdoors.
 - ◆ Maintain group control at all times.
 - ◆ Be aware of emergency procedures.
 - ◆ Know who your First Aid Officer for the group is and their location.
- ⇒ Encourage full group participation and have fun together!

- ◆ The **RAMS** outlined below are for hazards that could result in serious illness, injury and/or death. These hazards are specifically related to use of One Big Adventure activities and equipment.
- ◆ Risks associated with normal daily life have not been included (such as bee stings, sunburn, etc.) as it is expected that all groups will apply normal precautions to avoid these and to address them if need be.

Environment		
Risks	Causing Factors	Normal Operations
Death or injury	Wet weather causing slippery equipment/moss	Make sure children walk on the ground if the planks are too slippery. Use towels to dry course off if its wet/staff routinely waterblast course
	Trees or branches breaking/falling	Staff regularly check for fallen branches and surrounding trees for rot

Equipment		
Risks	Causing Factors	Normal Operations
Death or Injury	Equipment breaking or unsafe	Equipment regularly undergoes maintenance checks and repairs

People		
Risks	Causing Factors	Normal Operations
Death or injury	Loss of group control, kids pushing each other, inadequate adult supervision or misbehavior/ falling off/ kids wandering off to stream	Adequate adult supervision & manage group order. Give clear instructions.

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

1. Stop the activity
2. Assess the situation and the group safety as well as your own
3. Administer first aid and seek further treatment if necessary
4. Fill in Accident Report Sheet with your First Aid Officer (See Staff)