



Bishop Fox's
High Standards & High Expectations

October 2025

Dear Parent / Guardian,

World Challenge Expedition 2027

During this week, students in Years 8, 9 and 10 enjoyed an inspiring assembly led by several Bishop Fox's students who took part in the 2025 World Challenge expedition to Borneo. They shared photos and reflections from their once-in-a-lifetime experience trekking through rainforests, planting trees to support orangutan habitats, and taking part in paddleboarding, white-water rafting and traditional dancing.

Following this, World Challenge and Bishop Fox's are delighted to announce the next expedition opportunity: a trip to eSwatini and South Africa in July/August 2027. Students will take part in challenging treks, contribute to meaningful community initiatives, and experience a safari in the world-famous Kruger National Park.

This expedition is open to students currently in Years 8, 9 and 10. The total cost of the trip is £4,395, with an initial deposit of **£350** due by **Tuesday 18th November 2025**.

To find out more, please join the online parent information evening hosted by World Challenge on **Tuesday 4th November at 7pm**. You can register and access full trip details, including the itinerary and travel dates, via the following link: <https://weareworldchallenge.com/trips/emf37a/>

This is a life-changing opportunity for students to explore eSwatini and Kruger with expert guides, developing teamwork, resilience and independence along the way.

Due to the anticipated level of interest and the demanding nature of an international expedition of this kind, students are required to complete a **short application form** explaining: why they would like to take part, what personal qualities and skills they can contribute, and how they hope to grow from the experience. Applications can be submitted here: <https://forms.office.com/e/8ZaxCxtcMP>

Please note: if your child is not successful in securing a place following the application process, their deposit will be fully refunded.

Yours sincerely,

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