Blackwood Special Schools Outdoor Education Centre Inc. delivers quality adventure-based education exclusively to students with special needs, challenging students to enhance their life skills by taking them out of their comfort zones in a safe and supportive environment.

Surrounded by the stunning Wombat State Forest the Centre was established in 1970 and provides the ideal setting for adventure, environmental, creative and developmental programs aimed at extending the abilities of students with special needs. The layout of the Centre complements and utilises the natural beauty of the property to provide a variety of activity sites designed to challenge students both individually, and, within a team environment to further their personal, emotional, social and physical development.

As a registered charity and not-for-profit organisation, Blackwood Special Schools Outdoor Education Centre Inc., focuses on providing unique opportunities for students from Special Schools across Victoria.

Alphabet Dig  Archery  Bush Cooking
Bush Huts  Bushwalking
Campfires  Environmental Games
Expeditions  Fire Lighting
Frisbee Golf  Geo-caching  Go-Go Golf
Gold Panning  Low Ropes
Imagination Trail  Mt Bike Riding
Nightwalks  Orienteering  Service
Team Games  Yabbying
**Accommodation Sites**

**The School**
Set in a beautiful bush setting this brick bunk house accommodates 22. The building is heated by both open & combustion fire. With spacious dining & lounge areas and an equipped kitchen this site provides a comfortable living environment. Outside there is a gas bbq and adventure playground.

**The Residence**
This comfortable weatherboard house accommodates 24 people and is set on a residential block close to the centre of town. Heated by ducted heating this facility has a fully equipped kitchen, large dining area, adventure playground & gas bbq.

**The Tent Shelter**
Set in a picturesque bush setting where all your cooking is done on open fire, this facility offers 22 people the opportunity to comfortably live in safari style tents. Equipped with a kitchen, toilets & showers, this is an enjoyable and relaxing camping experience.

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**Blackwood Super Ride**
A large Special Schools cycling event over three days culminating in a one day, 40km, gruelling bike ride through the hills of the Wombat State Forest.

**Alpine Ride**
A five day Special Schools cycling event where students immerse themselves in Victoria’s Alpine Communities, by cycling 106km along the Murray to the Mountains Rail Trail and exploring Mt Buffalo National Park.

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