



THE
**GINGER
FACTORY**
PLAY | TASTE | DISCOVER



Welcome!
**SCHOOL GROUPS &
VACATION CARE PROGRAMS
2025/2026**

EDUCATIONAL TOURS

School Groups

Activities at The Ginger Factory include tours and rides that offer a diverse range of educational experiences, which can be tailored to complement your classroom learning.

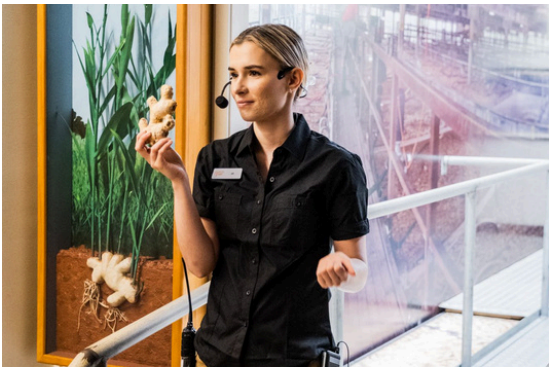
Facilities at The Ginger Factory include shaded lunch areas, ample toilets, and easy parking for buses. The Ginger Factory is an all-weather venue.



Live Bee Show

30 minutes – \$8 per student

Experience the fascinating world of the honeybee as our beekeepers share the hidden secrets of the hive. Students will learn about the different roles bees hold in the hive, their unique communication methods and the valuable contribution bees make to the economy and ecosystem.



Ginger Growing & Processing Tour

30 minutes – \$8 per student

Students will explore the ginger growing industry and learn the Buderim Ginger story as they tour Australia's only ginger factory. This informative tour is held along a viewing deck in our production facility and is fully guided.

THE ULTIMATE FARM EXPERIENCE

1.5 hours (3 x 30 minute separate tours) - \$20 per student - A teacher's favourite for students of all ages

Encompassing key components featured in the school curriculum, we have created the ultimate agricultural experience. With a focus on the environment, ginger growing and harvesting, food manufacturing, and the integral role bees play in sustaining a healthy ecosystem, students will gain a wealth of knowledge from our passionate tour guides and beekeepers.



*Seasonal experience available from September



RIDES



Overboard Boat Ride

15 minutes – \$7 per student

Go overboard with the Gingerbread Man on a fantastic voyage around the world. Explore thirteen different cultural geographical zones of the world on the Overboard Boat Ride. This attraction is fully indoors and has more than 250 animated puppets.



Ginger Train Ride

15 minutes – \$7 per student

Hop aboard on one of Queensland's original cane trains and take a step back in time. 'Moreton' enjoys taking students on a leisurely ride through our rainforest and Ginger Factory site as they learn about the history of Yandina and the local ginger industry.

BUNDLE AND SAVE		ADDITIONAL EXTRAS	
2 x Rides Ultimate Farm Experience	\$32 per student	DYO Gingerbread Person <i>Decorate your own gingerbread person. Includes icing & lollies. Take home or enjoy at The Ginger Factory</i>	\$6.50 per student
2 x Rides 2 x Educational Tours	\$25 per student	Scoop of Gelato <i>Choose your favourite flavour and enjoy! GF, DF and Vegan options are available</i>	\$5 per student
2 x Rides 1 x Educational Tour	\$17 per student	Zog Trail Activity Pack <i>Includes Zog 3D glasses, Zog wings, stickers, coloured pencils, an activity book and orange crayon</i>	\$7 per student
2 x Rides	\$12 per student	Overboard Boat Ride Photo <i>A lovely keepsake for the classroom. 6x8 sized photo</i>	\$10 each

SELF-GUIDED ACTIVITIES - FREE OF CHARGE

Zog: A Forest Adventure

This 30-minute self-drive activity is an exciting new augmented reality experience at The Ginger Factory which is completely free but better enjoyed with a ZOG Activity Pack. Simply follow the route and complete activities, quizzes, and challenges along your journey into the rainforest. You will encounter characters from the ZOG stories, uncover hidden pictures and images and collect stars as you learn different lessons - just like ZOG did at Dragon School!



Rainbrella Project & Soundscape

Walk beneath hundreds of suspended rainbow umbrellas and listen to the relaxing soundscapes as you explore our beautiful subtropical gardens and rainforest. This public art installation symbolises a community of hope and is a collaboration between The Ginger Factory and local artist Sophy Blake. This is a 15-minute self drive activity.



TERMS & CONDITIONS

A minimum of 10 students are required to qualify for the School Group rates. Teachers are free of charge.

Early education groups with children aged under 4 years old are required to pay for every child. Adult supervisors will be Free of Charge for the tours and rides.

On the Overboard Boat Ride and Ginger Train Ride the following adult-to-student ratios do apply. It is the responsibility of the school to ensure there are enough adults. The tours require one teacher per group.

- Primary School: 1 adult for every 8 students
- Secondary School: 1 adult for every 10 students

The final number of students is required 7 days prior to arrival.

Payment can be made on the day with cash or card. Alternatively, an invoice will be emailed to the contact on the day with a payment term of 7 days.

Risk Assessment

LIVE BEE SHOW

Guests are separated from the bee population by a shade cloth enclosed area which prevents interference with the bee's regular flight path. The Ginger Factory grounds however, are heavily landscaped and contain an inherent insect population which, like all outdoor areas, poses some risk of stings.

TRAIN RIDE

Each carriage has a security gate and guests are regularly instructed via the PA system to "remain seated at all times, keeping arms and legs inside the carriages". For groups with a high child to adult ratio we require that a least one adult rides in each carriage for supervisory purposes.

OVERBOARD

Each boat holds 10 children and must contain a supervising adult.

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

The Ginger Factory complies with all QFES standards for emergency evacuation and our staff receive regular training updates on the implementation of these procedures. In the event of an emergency our staff will be responsible for evacuating all guests in accordance with these procedures.

FIRST AID

The Ginger Factory has a designated First Aid Officer on site at all times. Should your group require the administration of First Aid please notify the nearest staff member. On hand also are comprehensive First Aid Kits – please be aware that our staff will not administer medication to guests unless the medication is clearly labelled as having been prescribed to that guest and in the event of an emergency, our staff will seek the advice of a QLD ambulance officer before administering medication.

OTHER RISKS & HAZARDS

The Ginger Factory seeks to ensure the health and safety of our employees and guests and completes regular assessments of our site to identify and minimise risks. Our employees are obliged to ensure that their actions and the actions of others do not wilfully endanger the health and safety of themselves or any other person on site.



PARK MAP

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Discover

- 15. Garden Gazebo
- 16. The Rainbrella Project
- 17. The Toy Emporium
- 18. The Barn
- 19. The Live Bee Show
- 20. The Farm
- 21. The Boardroom

Taste

- 7. Buderim Ginger Beer Garden
- 8. Buderim Ginger Room
- 9. Gingerlatis
- 10. Ginger Shop
- 11. Tasting Room
- 12. Traditional Herbs & Scents
- 13. The Ginger Kitchen
- 14. Buderim Ginger Factory

Play

- 1. Kids Playground
- 2. Little Explorers
- 3. Overboard Boat Ride
- 4. ZOG: A Forest Adventure
- 5. Moreton Station
- 6. The Gingertown Creative Hub

How many men
gingerbread men
can you spot!

