

College Fee Information

Tuition Fee

Tuition Fees cover the recurrent costs within the College, examples include: council rates, water, gas, electricity, phones and some wages.

Brisbane Catholic Education Senior Surcharge

This is a Brisbane Catholic Education surcharge which helps to cover the additional administrative and staffing cost involved in senior education.

Capital Levy

The Capital Levy is used to help meet some of the cost of new buildings, refurbishment and maintenance of current buildings as well as servicing loans for these activities. This levy is not voluntary and, therefore, is not tax deductible.

Resource and Activity Levy

This levy covers the costs for the following examples: paper, chemicals, first aid supplies, toiletries, individual subject supplies, photocopying, printing, student ID card, college magazine, sporting equipment and sporting activities.

This levy also includes the academic competitions as well as guest performances and the cost of excursions averaged out across all year levels. This levy does not include overnight camps/excursions or Year 9 Activity day costs.

ICLT Levy

The Information Communication Learning Technologies levy assists the College in providing ICLT equipment and facilities. These funds are used to provide the additional resources and infrastructure required to ensure the computers and other technology devices work in the College environment.

Textbook Hire Levy

The College runs a Textbook Hire Scheme, which is partially funded by the State Government Textbook and Resource Allowance scheme. This levy assists the College in managing the shortfall of funds required in running the scheme.

Parents and Friends Levy

These funds are distributed by the Parents and Friends Association into areas that the association identifies as priorities. Every parent is automatically a member of this association and is invited to the monthly meetings held the second Wednesday of each month.

Camps

The cost of camps, overnight excursions and Year 9 Activity Day are additional to the fees and not included in the levies as these costs can change substantially.

Other Expenses

Other expenses include such things as Instrumental Music Program, special personal development programs, representative sporting carnivals and recreational trips.

Issuing of Accounts

Fees and levies are charged across the four school terms. Parents may choose other options for payment e.g. full year, monthly, fortnightly or weekly. Please contact the College Finance Secretary for assistance in the calculation of payments.

Methods of Payment

Payment may be made by cash (always pay in person and obtain a receipt, cash is only accepted at the Mitchelton campus), cheque or card. For your convenience, EFTPOS, Direct Debit, BPay and CentrePay facilities are available.

Multiple Family Enrolments

Families with more than one student at the College receive a discount on Tuition fees. However, all other levies apply in full.

Overdue Accounts

An Overdue Account is forwarded for accounts that are unpaid after the due date. Should accounts continue to remain outstanding, parents/carers should contact the Business Manager or the Principal to discuss the outstanding fees. Unfortunately, the College has had to call on the services of a Debt Collector to approach parents who refuse to communicate in these matters.

Legal Fees

In the event the College incurs costs and expenses as a result of pursuing outstanding fees from parents/guardians, the parents/guardians will be responsible for the payment of any and all such costs and expenses.

Concessions

In cases of financial hardship the College will consider offering a concession on Fees. Concessions are considered at the commencement of each year or when the hardship within the family occurs. Please contact the Business Manager to obtain an application.

Discounts

A 10% discount on annual Tuition fees is also offered if full fees for the year are paid at the beginning of the year and up until the first account is due.