

Coolbellup Community School Voluntary Contributions & Charges 2021

Determination of Voluntary Contributions and Charges for Materials, Services and Facilities in Relation to Educational Programs

Consumables listed below may be purchased from any stationery stockist and are required on day 1. **We recommend a quality brand as they do last longer.** Please label all items to minimise chance of unnecessary loss.

Each student is **required to supply** these items for their class and for their personal use. They may need to be replenished during the year.

Student Requirements	
Year 1	
2	Pkt Textas
3	Artline 70 Black Permanent Marker
8	UHU Glue Stick 35g
3	Pkt Coloured Windups
4	Whiteboard Marker
3	Artline fine line marker 0.6mm black
2	Sharpener
2	Eraser
1	Scissors (<i>Left/Right handed</i>)
10	Red Pencils
2	A4 Pencil Case (<i>one large for Home Reading</i>)
8	A4 Plastic Document Wallets
20	HB Pencils
2	Ruler

ALL STUDENTS:

1 x Library Bag
3 x Large boxes of tissues for personal use

Charges

Other components of the educational programs involve additional costs. If the student **does not pay** for these programs, they **may not attend or participate** in the program.

Maximum Activity Charges (per student)

Excursions	
Depending on class program	\$60.00
Interschool activities (<i>sport, music etc</i>)	\$40.00
Year 6 Graduation (<i>Shirt, Lunch, Photo</i>)	\$80.00
Incursions:	
Depending on class program	\$35.00
Camp Year 6	
Includes subsidy	\$250.00
Other:	
School of Instrumental Studies (<i>For hire of musical instrument</i>)	\$110.00
Drumming Workshop Incursion - Years 1 - 6 (includes subsidy)	\$15.00
Photos (<i>depending on package purchased</i>)	\$50.00
Swimming - <i>Years PP - 6</i>	\$25.00
PEAC Program	\$300.00

SCHOOLS' CONTRIBUTIONS AND CHARGES

The School Council has endorsed the schedule of Voluntary Contributions and Charges for 2021. The schedule is broken into sections and will allow you to calculate all costs that you might incur throughout the school year.

1. VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

The contributions component is set at \$40 per student, \$50 for two children and \$60 for three or more children.

The Annual Voluntary Contribution has been set at a level significantly lower than the amount allowed under the Act - which is \$60 per child per school.

Contributions are voluntary, however, the quality of our teaching and learning program will be maximised when each family makes its contribution to the cost of supplementing funding gained from other sources, including the State and Federal Governments.

These contributions assist with the purchase of items such as:

- Technology resources
- Maths resources
- Library resources
- Sports equipment
- Reading books
- Student workbooks

2. CHARGES FOR EXTRA COST OPTIONAL COMPONENTS

A breakdown of estimated charges for your child's participation in incursions, excursions, activities, etc. for 2021 has been included.

Details collected in previous years has informed any changes for 2021.

Students will **only incur costs** when they are involved in a particular activity.

The amounts indicated on the schedule represent the **maximum** charge for planned activities in 2021. As in the past, you will be asked to make payment for each activity as it approaches.

3. ITEMS FOR PERSONAL USE IN THE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

The list of personal use items will vary from student to student and school to school.

Included with this notice is the list of student requirements your child will need for personal use in 2021.

These personal items are to be supplied by parents/carers for the beginning of the school year and replaced by the parents/carers throughout the year as required.



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Voluntary Contributions & Charges 2021 Year 1

Dear Parent/Carer

Schools are required to provide parents and carers with a breakdown of their requested contributions into each of the learning areas to allow parents/carers to claim their educational tax refund.

In addition, the school, through their School Council, determine and advise parents/carers of the anticipated financial costs of the educational programs at the school.

Staff have tried to predict costs for 2021 taking into account the programs they are planning for their classes. The charges are *estimates* only and will not be exceeded nor will they be required to be paid in advance. It is our intention to continue to ask for payment for activities as they occur during the year.

DEFINITIONS

Contributions: This means "voluntary contributions". The term relates to the monies requested from parents/carers towards the cost of materials, services and facilities used by K-10 students in their educational programs.

Charges: This term refers to any costs for which payment is **compulsory**.

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

The minimum voluntary contributions component is set at:

- \$40.00 for one child;
- \$50.00 for two children;
- \$60.00 for three or more children;

Parents/carers are invited to make a voluntary contribution up to a maximum of \$60.00 per student.

All monies can be paid at the school office in either one payment or by term.