

### **Dear Parents and Caregivers**

Your support of the voluntary contributions is essential to the school's ability to deliver a transformative learning experience for your child. Your contributions will enable us to extend our capacity to add value to the learning experiences of our students. With the extra funds we can build on our literacy and numeracy programs, sports, arts and music programs and equipment.

The Osborne Primary School Board has endorsed our schedule of Contributions and Charges for 2024 in accordance with the School Education Act 1999. The schools in the area consult as a network and ensure that our fees and contributions are reasonable and similar to each other.

The schedule comprises four sections to allow us to calculate the maximum costs that might occur throughout the 2024 school year.

The following supports your understanding of the Voluntary Contributions and Charges.

# 1. Charges for extra cost optional items

- Student participation in such activities is by the invitation of the school and payment is due prior to the activity.
- The bus portion of charges are non-refundable in the case of you moving schools or have a change of mind. This is owing to the bus being booked well ahead of time and the cost calculated per student.
- The school is focused on providing activities (incursions and excursions) at a rate that is affordable to all families. Substantial subsidies from the P&C support us in achieving this. **Students who do not pay for activities prior to the event will be supervised with alternative activities.**

#### 2. Personal items list

- All students are required to bring the items on the personal items list. These items should be clearly labeled.
- Items this year can be purchased through Campion. If you do not purchase these items though Campion, please ensure that the item is the same brand or of equal quality and purpose.
- You may wish to reuse items from the previous years while other items may require replacement.
- Student Subscriptions are \$30 per student PP-Yr6: This ensures teachers can access the most suitable
  e-learning resources for your child throughout the year and replaces the need for some textbooks. Each child
  will have their own sign in details.

# 3. Approved voluntary requests

Ever wondered why our activities are so reasonably priced? It's because the P&C subsidizes many activities, and this makes it affordable to all students in the school. Thank you for supporting the P&C.

The P&C requests a payment of \$25.00 per family.

The Voluntary Contributions and Student Subscriptions will be added to your child's billing account. This does not need to be paid again if it has been paid through the Personal Items List with Campion.

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### 1. Contributions

# \$60 Per student – Years K-6 (3 or more family members \$120 per annum)

These voluntary funds are determined by the Education Act and cannot exceed \$60 per student. Money raised from these contributions supplements the cost of classroom materials, services and facilities used by K-6:

Maths	\$10
English	\$12
Digital Technology & Design Technology	\$12
Arts – Visual & Music & Italian	\$10
Health & Phys Ed	\$4
HASS/Science	\$8
Photocopy Materials	\$4
Total Contribution per student	\$60

# 2. Charges For Extra Cost Optional Items

A breakdown of estimated charges for your child's participation in incursions, excursions, activities, etc. for 2024 has been included in the schedule below. Students will only incur costs when they are involved in a particular activity. The amounts indicated on the schedule represent the maximum charged for scheduled activities in 2024. As in the past, you will be asked to make payment for each activity as it approaches.

Description	K	PP	1	2	3	4	5	6
Excursions/Incursions (Activity Charge) Approximately \$20 per term	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80
In-term Swimming Term 2		70	70	70	70	70	70	70
Edu Dance Term 4		50	50	50	50	50	50	50
Instrumental Music (instrument hire) *							110*	110*
Graduation activities								50
Choir						15	15	15
MAXIMUM ANTICIPATED CHARGES	80	200	200	200	200	215	325	375

<sup>\*</sup>Selected students

Description - other optional costs	К	PP	1	2	3	4	5	6
Early Years Extension Program Years 1-3			10	10	10			
PEAC Course cost range						50	45-215	45-300
Graduation shirt per shirt								45
Camp Yr 6 (possible Yr 5)							300	300
School photos (external provider)	28-70	28-70	28-70	28-70	28-70	28-70	28-70	28-70

# 3. Personal Items for Student Use

See Campion Lists – Purchase through Campion is optional. Some items e.g., pencils may need replenishing throughout the year.

# 4. Voluntary Approved Requests

P&C contribution: Kindy - Yr 6 - \$25 requested per family.