



## **SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS AND CHARGES 2025**

The School Contributions and Charges financial procedure guides parents and carers to understand the flexibilities of school fee structures and to determine the estimated total cost of their child's education. It is a requirement of the Education Act 1999 that all possible contributions and charges are identified two months prior to the beginning of the school year.

The Ellenbrook Primary School Board has endorsed the schedule of contributions and charges for 2025.

### **CONTRIBUTIONS - Voluntary**

Monies requested from parents towards the cost of materials, services and facilities used by K-6 students in the standard educational program which Ellenbrook PS is required to provide. Money collected will be used to supplement school expenditure in the areas such as materials for art and craft, design and technology and science, photocopy materials, classroom materials, web-based curriculum materials/resources. While contributions are voluntary, the quality of the teaching and learning program will be maximised when each family makes its contribution.

### **STUDENT REQUIREMENTS**

Student requirement lists (ie: stationery items, library bag) will be distributed to each student at the end of 2024. These can be purchased from Campion however there is no obligation to purchase from this supplier.

### **CHARGES**

These are amounts paid for participation in separate events, sporting activities, incursions, excursions, swimming lessons, dance etc. We hope that all children will attend these activities but only those who pay will attend. The charges schedule includes costs associated with: Specific learning activities made available to *all* students, but conditional on a payment being made eg. incursions, excursions. Specific learning activities made available to *selected* students, but conditional on payment being made, eg School of Instrumental Music program etc.

### **OPTIONAL COSTS**

These include school photos, book club etc, options available at the discretion of each individual family.

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Principal

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School Costs 2025			K	P	1	2	3	4	5	6
School contribution	This is a voluntary contribution that includes funds for Learning Technology, library, Phys Ed, puzzles and construction, visual arts and photocopying.	Paid at start of year either with booklist or direct to the office.	60	50	40	40	40	40	40	40
Items for personal use	Items to be supplied by student for personal use.		55	109	107	108	99	99	96	93
Charges for school activities where most children will participate	This includes educational visits and excursions costs. This is paid at the time of the activity.	In term swimming			65	65	65	65	65	65
		Incursions/Excursions	40	40	40	40	50	50	50	50
		Graduation								70
		Senior Activities								250
		<b>sub total</b>	155	199	252	253	254	254	251	568
Other charges	Activities where a large number of children would be expected to participate. This is paid at the time of the activity.	Classroom Activities	20	20	30	30	30	30	30	30
		<b>sub total</b>	20	20	30	30	30	30	30	30
<b>Maximum Anticipated Charges</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>598</b>
Other charges	This section includes items that involve fewer than 5 students per class or are of an entirely voluntary nature. This is paid at time of participation.	SIMS Instrument Hire					120	120	120	120

