



Bertram Primary School Charges and Voluntary Contributions 2024

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

Definition	Amount per Student Section 99
<p><u>Voluntary Contributions</u></p> <p>In accordance with the Department of Education Contributions, Charges and Fees Policy, schools are able to request voluntary contributions to a maximum of \$60 per child for Years K-6. The money received is used to purchase a variety of essential school materials including texts, and general resources as well as services and facilities etc. directly benefiting your children.</p> <p>Contributions collected at Bertram Primary School contribute to: photocopying costs, reading resources, library book purchases and replacement, Health and Physical Education, resource materials, Numeracy materials, Science and HASS materials, Technology materials and a range of day to day items required to ensure your child has the best educational opportunities we are able to resource.</p>	<p>\$60 / Student</p>

Payment Options

Parents are able to pay their Voluntary Contributions in the following ways:

1. Pay to Campion Education through online ordering or the school pick up on **24th January 2024 2:30-3:30pm** on collection of pre-ordered stationery packs.
2. Pay to the School Office at the beginning of the 2024 school year by cheque, cash or EFTPOS.
3. Pay off over a period of time using a Progressive Payment Plan as negotiated with the School's Manager Corporate Services.
4. Pay via the Qkr! mobile phone payment app.

CHARGES

Definition
<p><u>Charges</u></p> <p>This term refers to the anticipated costs of extra activities throughout the school year such as camps / school based activities / excursions etc. Participation in extra activities that incur a charge is optional. Although parents decide whether or not their child participates, these activities are incorporated in the educational program and it is highly recommended students do participate.</p> <p>The items listed on the next page are an indication of <u>approximate</u> costs parents could expect to pay for additional charge options for 2024 although organisers will aim for the cheapest possible cost.</p> <p>Your child may choose to become involved with additional activities throughout the year. These additional costs will be negotiated with parents if and when required.</p>

NOTE: The level of Charges and Voluntary Contributions has been approved by the School Board as required by the School Education Act 1999.

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List of possible, but not limited to, additional cost items for 2024

Additional Cost Items may be offered to parents throughout the year. Participation is optional and some items may have GST implications.

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School Photos	From \$30	From \$30	From \$30	From \$30	From \$30	From \$30	From \$30	From \$30
Excursions	\$80	\$80	\$80	\$80	\$80	\$80	\$80	\$80
School-based Activities	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60
PEAC							\$300	\$300
Swimming		\$65	\$65	\$65	\$65	\$65	\$65	\$65
Dance - (Biennial-odd years)	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40
Classroom Activities	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20
iPad Purchase			Approx \$450	Approx \$450	Approx \$450	Approx \$450	Approx \$450	Approx \$450
Mobile Device Management			\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20
Indonesian					\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15
The Arts	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15
Choir					\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50
Sporting Events ie Interschool Carnivals		\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40
P&C Membership	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1
Camp/Camp Alternative								\$500
Year 6 Graduation								\$150
TOTAL COST	\$241+	\$816+	\$816+	\$816+	\$861+	\$861+	\$1161+	\$1811+

Ratified by School Board: Week 9 Term 3