2024 Charges and Voluntary Contributions



Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Illawarra Primary School Board has endorsed the schedule of Contributions, Charges and Fees for 2024. This is in accordance with the Department of Education's School Education Regulations 2000 and School Education Act 1999. This schedule is designed to provide you with information about anticipated costs that may occur throughout the coming school year and allow you time for forward planning for likely expenses.

Charges: Curriculum Related Activities

The breakdown of **Charges** for participation in excursions, incursions, and swimming lessons for 2024 has been outlined in the schedule attached. The amounts indicated on the schedule represent the maximum that can be charged for these activities. The school has a "no pay, no go" policy. If you are experiencing financial hardship, please contact the Manager Corporate Services or myself to discuss. Payment plans are welcomed by the school if this is your preference.

Extra Cost Items

These charges provide additional opportunities for students. They include the selection of your child into sporting events, music performances, instrumental music, Year 6 Camp and Graduation expenses. This is a compulsory charge and as such, students can only participate if payment has been received.

Personal Items List

The cost of Personal Items will vary for each year level. Items such as stationery, headphones, calculators, Maths Plus (Year 1-6), New Wave Mental Maths (Year 1-6), are included. We encourage booklist material to be purchased through **Campion Education**.

School Voluntary Contribution

The School Contribution has been set at \$60.00 per child for 2024. Your contributions will supplement the funding received from other sources, including the State and Commonwealth Governments. This will enable Illawarra Primary School to purchase and maintain student-based technical equipment such as iPads/Chromebooks, music, reading books, maths resources, science material and physical education equipment. Although this is a voluntary contribution your commitment will ensure your child has access to the most up-to-date equipment/resources, therefore, greatly improving their learning journey. This equates to less than a \$1.50 per week.

P&C Contribution

The School Board has approved a \$40.00 P&C Contribution per family to fall into line with our neighbouring primary schools. The purpose of the P&C Contributions is designed to assist the school by providing additional funds. From 2022 through to 2023, the P&C have been raising money for student desks.

A statement of contributions and charges will be posted during Term 1, 2024, which will detail fees and charges specific to your child/ren.

Please do not hesitate to contact the office on 9205 9800 if you have any questions or require further clarification.

Yours sincerely,

David Ball PRINCIPAL 30 November 2023

Compulsory Charges

Description	Kindy	PP	Yr 1	Yr 2	Yr 3	Yr 4	Yr 5	Yr 6
Incursions	\$30	\$24	\$24	\$24	\$24	\$24	\$24	\$24
Excursions		\$80	\$80	\$80	\$80	\$80	\$80	\$80
Swimming Lessons		\$55	\$55	\$55	\$55	\$55	\$55	\$55
Total Yearly Charge	\$30	\$160	\$165	\$165	\$165	\$165	\$165	\$165

Extra Cost Options

Description	PP	Yr 1	Yr 2	Yr 3	Yr 4	Yr 5	Yr 6
Interschool Sports		\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20
Instrumental Music						\$110	\$110
PEAC					\$50	\$215	\$300
Music Performance Bus Hire				\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25
Yr 6 School Music Performance							\$50
Music Performance Costumes	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15
Yr 6 Leavers Shirt							\$45
Yr 6 Graduation Bear, Soccer, Football							\$25
Yr 6 Graduation Activity							\$35
Yr 6 Camp (P&C to contribute)							\$450

Personal Item List (Booklist)

Description	Kindy	PP	Yr 1	Yr 2	Yr 3	Yr 4	Yr 5	Yr 6
Campion Education	\$55	\$99	\$137	\$144	\$155	\$144	\$165	\$156
Total Yearly Charge	\$55	\$99	\$137	\$144	\$155	\$144	\$165	\$156

School Voluntary Contributions

Learning Areas	
Literacy	\$15
Numeracy	\$15
Science, technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM)	\$10
Physical Education	\$10
Music	\$10
Total Contribution	\$60

P&C Voluntary Contributions

Description	
P&C Voluntary Payment (per family)	
Total Contribution	\$40