



Learning Excellence Care Equity

Tuart Hill Primary School

Independent Public School

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Creating Bright Futures

Dear Parents/Carers

SCHOOL VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS & CHARGES 2025 (Kindergarten to Year 6)

Voluntary Contributions are sought from families to supplement existing school funds to provide a quality education program. Payment by instalments can be arranged. Please contact the school office on (08) 9413 1500 for queries. Our office hours are 8.30am – 3.30pm. We thank you in advance for your payment.

The Tuart Hill Primary School Board has endorsed the schedule of Voluntary Contributions and Charges for 2025 at a meeting held on 24 October 2024. The schedule is broken into five sections and will allow you to calculate all costs that may be incurred throughout the school year.

1. VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS
2. CHARGES – dependent on number of incursions/excursions organised by the class/school
3. OTHER OPTIONAL COSTS/SERVICES
4. VOLUNTARY APPROVED REQUESTS
5. PERSONAL REQUIREMENT LIST & ITEMS – cost is dependent on class requirements

PAYMENT OPTIONS

- Option 1:** With your child's personal items list from Campion Education (**preferred method**)
- Option 2:** Direct Deposit – **Tuart Hill Primary School** **BSB: 036 053** **Account Number: 920622**
(Please remember to put your child's name and a reference with your payment e.g. *J Smith Vol Cont.*)
- Option 3:** Credit / Debit Card
- Option 4:** Cash at the front office

1. VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS (\$60.00 per child)

The total amount of voluntary contributions parents and carers are being asked to pay has been contained within the \$60.00 maximum set in the School Education Regulations 2000. Your contribution will be used to supplement school funding for the purchase of resources needed in the provision of the learning program activities in the following areas.

English: Novels & Readers/Consumables

Mathematics: Resources/Consumables

Science: Resources and Materials for activities

HaSS (Humanities and Social Sciences): Resources

Art: Materials

Web based curriculum: materials/resources e.g. iPads and Athletics.

While contributions are voluntary, the quality of our learning programs will be maximised when all families contribute.

2. CHARGES

A breakdown of estimated **charges** for your child's participation in incursions, excursions and activities for 2025 has been included in the schedule below. The amounts indicated represent the **maximum** charged for scheduled activities in 2025. Students will only incur costs if/when they are involved in a particular activity. As in the past, you will be asked to make payment for each activity as it approaches. The **charges** schedule includes costs associated with specific learning activities that are made available to students, but are conditional on a payment being made e.g. incursions, excursions.

| CHARGES SCHEDULE - 2025 | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Description | Kindy | Pre-primary | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
| Incursions/In-school activities | \$45 | \$45 | \$65 | \$65 | \$65 | \$65 | \$65 | \$65 |
| Excursions | \$50 | \$50 | \$70 | \$70 | \$90 | \$90 | \$90 | \$90 |
| Swimming Lessons | | \$90 | \$90 | \$90 | \$90 | \$90 | \$90 | \$90 |
| School Dance Program | | \$70 | \$70 | \$70 | \$70 | \$70 | \$70 | \$70 |
| Leadership Activities | | | | | | | | \$350 |
| PE based activities, carnivals etc. | | | \$30 | \$30 | \$30 | \$50 | \$50 | \$50 |
| TOTAL | \$85 | \$235 | \$275 | \$275 | \$305 | \$325 | \$325 | \$675 |

3. OTHER OPTIONAL COSTS/SERVICES

Extra cost optional components are voluntary courses and activities. A student's participation in an optional component is conditional on payment of the costs of that component.

| OPTIONAL COSTS - 2025 | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|------------|-------------|
| Description | Kindy | Pre-primary | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
| School Photos (indicative price only) | \$80 | \$80 | \$80 | \$80 | \$80 | \$80 | \$80 | \$80 |
| Early Years Extension | | | \$10 | \$10 | \$10 | | | |
| PEAC Program | | | | | | \$50 | \$60-\$300 | \$60-\$300 |
| Choir | | | | | \$30 | \$30 | \$50 | \$50 |
| Choir shirts (<i>it may be possible to purchase your own. School shirts will be available to borrow</i>) | | | | | \$35 | \$35 | \$35 | \$35 |
| Instrumental Music | | | | | | | \$120 | \$120 |
| Year Book | | | | | | | | \$30 |
| Graduation Shirt (may be pre ordered in 2024) | | | | | | | | \$40 |
| Graduation Meal | | | | | | | | \$50 |

4. VOLUNTARY APPROVED REQUESTS

Our proactive P&C Association requests \$36.00 per annum to benefit all students. This is made up of a \$1 membership and \$35 donation. These funds are used to upgrade play equipment, improve educational facilities, supply additional curriculum resources, and enable community projects. This lessens the need for excessive fundraising activities during the school year. Payment can be made through Campion along with Personal Requirement Items or directly to the school.

5. PERSONAL REQUIREMENT LIST & ITEMS

These items have been approved by School Board as being required by students for personal use in the educational program provided by this school.

The costs for Personal Items may be different for each year level. The items can be purchased through the suggested supplier or a supplier of your choice.

Please ensure you mark your child's name on each item purchased for personal use — especially uniforms items such as jackets and hats.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Beverly Innes

APPROVED/AMMENDED by School Board:

(Circle appropriate option)

_____ (Signed by Chair)

_____ (Date)