

Dear Parents/Carers

SCHEDULE OF VOLUNTARY SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS AND CHARGES 2018

Financial support provided by families through voluntary contributions and charges plays a critical role in maintaining quality teaching and learning programs and enabling the provision of an enriched curriculum and enhanced learning experiences for students.

Parents, who contribute financially to the school through the voluntary contributions, assist in the maintenance of educational resources at a level needed to meet children's needs in a constantly changing educational environment in key areas such as reading, numeracy, science and information technology. If all families pay the requested contribution per child, this equates to approximately \$15,000 of funding per year.

Creaney Primary School Board has endorsed the following schedule of Voluntary Contributions and Charges for 2018 to enable families to budget for all expenses throughout the year. We hope all families see the importance of paying the contribution and supporting student learning programs for 2018.

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

The total amount of voluntary contributions is in accordance with the School Education Regulations 2000. Voluntary contributions for 2018 are \$60.00 per child.

Payment Options

Payment options are available to parents and a receipt will be provided at the end of each term.

Payments can be made in full through the following options;

1. Booklist and Personal Items List
2. Direct deposit
3. Cash – Office hours are Monday to Friday 8:00am – 3:30pm
4. Cheque

The necessary payment codes are included below:

	Direct Deposit Code	Payment
Kindergarten to Year 6	BSB: 016-494 Account: 340967445	\$60 per child

Part payments can be made throughout the year by using the direct deposit, cash or cheque payment options. An invoice will be forwarded to parents each term for the finalisation of any outstanding payments.

CHARGES

The charges schedule includes:

- Specific learning activities which are available to **all** students, but conditional on a payment being made. (E.g. incursions, excursions, recreational activities, etc.)
- Specific learning activities which are available to **selected** students, but conditional on a payment being made. (E.g. school camps. PEAC, Instrumental Music)
- Other activities which are available to all students, but conditional on a payment being made. (E.g. the graduation dinner)

The following tables illustrate the estimated 'maximum' charges per year level for 2018. Actual charges incurred may be considerably less.

2018 GENERAL CHARGES

Description	K	PP	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Incursions	30	40	40	40	40	40	40	40
Excursions	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
Interschool Sports	-	-	15	15	15	15	30	30
PEAC	-	-	10	10	10	-	265	300
Instrumental Music	-	-	-	-	-	-	120	120
Interm Swimming	-	65	65	65	65	65	65	65
Year 6 Dancing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40
Year 5 Dancing	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	-
Year 6 Dinner Dance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50
Year 6 Farewell Activities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50
Year 6 Graduation Polo Shirt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40
Year 6 Camp (Camp to be confirmed)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	600
School Photo's	30-70	30-70	30-70	30-70	30-70	30-70	30-70	30-70

2018 PERSONAL ITEMS OR BOOKLIST CHARGES

Student personal items are identified by teachers as the essential items for learning across the curriculum.

Year Level	Charge
Kindergarten	\$ 70.00
Pre-Primary	\$150.00
Year 1	\$150.00
Year 2	\$150.00
Year 3	\$150.00
Year 4	\$150.00
Year 5	\$150.00
Year 6	\$150.00

This information will assist in calculating your child's anticipated contributions and charges for 2018.

Kristy Harrison
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