



# 2024 SCHOOL FEE INFORMATION

1. Individual Student Administration Fee (per student), Tuition & Building Fund

|              | Tuition Fee | Building Fund | Total   |
|--------------|-------------|---------------|---------|
| Year 7 & 8   | \$2006      | \$1208        | \$3,214 |
| Year 9 & 10  | \$2165      | \$1208        | \$3,373 |
| Year 11 & 12 | \$2692      | \$1208        | \$3,900 |

| Parents & Friends Levy (per family) | \$100 |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Yearbook (per family)               | \$15  |

| 2. Subject Resource Fee             | Year 7      | Year 8 | Year 9 | Year 10 | Year 11 | Year 12 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| Calculator (Casio FX 82)            | \$39.60     |        |        |         |         |         |
| Junior Science Resources            | \$7.5       | \$7.5  | \$7.5  | \$7.5   |         |         |
| Science Stile                       | \$45        | \$45   | \$45   | \$45    |         |         |
| Maths Online                        | \$17.5      | \$17.5 | \$17.5 | \$17.5  |         |         |
| School Production                   | \$30        |        |        |         |         |         |
| Sport Fee                           | \$505       | \$505  | \$505  | \$505   | \$185   | \$50    |
| Carnival Fee                        | \$22        | \$22   | \$22   | \$22    | \$22    | \$22    |
| Student Book Resources              | \$125       | \$123  | \$183  | \$140   | \$46    | \$46    |
| Technology Levy                     | \$135       | \$135  | \$135  | \$135   | \$135   | \$135   |
| Technology – Mandatory 7 & 8        | \$50        | \$70   |        |         |         |         |
| Visual Arts - Art Diary & Resources | <u>\$50</u> |        |        |         |         |         |
| TOTALS                              | \$1026.60   | \$925  | \$915  | \$872   | \$388   | \$253   |

| 3. Elective Course Fee:                | Year 7 | Year 8 | Year 9 | Year 10 | Year 11 | Year 12 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| Ancient History (Atomi)                |        |        |        |         | \$30    | \$30    |
| Biology (Course Cost and Atomi)        |        |        |        |         | \$45    | \$45    |
| Business Services (Course Cost)        |        |        |        |         | \$20    | \$20    |
| Business Studies (Atomi)               |        |        |        |         | \$30    | \$30    |
| Chemistry (Course Costs and Atomi)     |        |        |        |         | \$45    |         |
| Child Studies (Course Costs and Atomi) |        |        | \$20   | \$10    |         |         |
| Commerce Textbook                      |        |        | \$49   |         |         |         |

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| Community and Family Studies (Atomi)                |       |       | \$30    | \$30    |
|---|-------|-------|---------|---------|
| Construction (Course Costs)                         |       |       | \$140   | \$107   |
| Design & Technology<br>(Course Costs and Textbook)  | \$155 |       |         |         |
| Design & Technology<br>(Course Costs and Atomi)     |       |       | \$115   | \$95    |
| Drama (Course Cost)                                 | \$45  | \$20  | \$20    |         |
| English (Atomi)                                     |       |       | \$30    | \$30    |
| Economics (Atomi)                                   |       |       |         |         |
| Exploring Early Childhood (Course cost)             |       |       | \$10    |         |
| Exploring Early Childhood<br>(First Aid Course)     |       |       | \$75    |         |
| Food Technologies<br>(Course Costs & Textbooks)     | \$185 | \$125 |         |         |
| Food Technologies / Uniform (Year 9)                | \$25  |       |         |         |
| Geography (Atomi)                                   |       |       | \$30    |         |
| Hospitality (Course Cost + toolkit and uniform)     |       |       | \$310   | \$135   |
| Industrial Technology – Multimedia<br>(Course Cost) | \$50  | \$50  |         | \$50    |
| Industrial Technology – Timber<br>(Course Cost)     | \$125 | \$125 | \$125   | \$125   |
| Computing applications 1                            |       |       | \$10    |         |
| Investigating Science (Course Cost)                 |       |       | \$45    | \$45    |
| Legal Studies (Atomi)                               |       |       | \$30    | \$30    |
| Mathematics Advanced (Atomi)                        |       |       | \$30    | \$30    |
| Mathematics Extension 1 (Atomi)                     |       |       | \$30    | \$30    |
| Mathematics Extension 2 (Atomi)                     |       |       | \$30    | \$30    |
| Maths Online  |       |       | \$17.50 | \$17.50 |
| Mathematics Standard 1 & 2 (Atomi)                  |       |       | \$30    | \$30    |
| Music (Course Cost)                                 | \$70  | \$70  | \$80    | \$80    |
| Modern History (Atomi)                              |       |       | \$30    | \$30    |
| PDHPE – Senior First Aid                            |       |       | \$75    |         |
| PDHPE – (Atomi)                                     |       |       | \$30    | \$30    |
| Photography (Course Cost)                           |       |       | \$60    |         |
| Physics (Course Cost and Atomi)                     |       |       | \$45    | \$45    |
| Studies of Religion I (Atomi)                       |       |       | \$30    | \$30    |

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| Studies of Religion II (Atomi)                     |  |       |       | \$30 | \$30  |
|--|--|-------|-------|------|-------|
| Sport, Lifestyle & Recreation:<br>Senior First Aid |  |       |       | \$75 |       |
| Visual Arts - Art Diary & Resources                |  | \$110 | \$110 |      | \$110 |
| Visual Arts (Atomi)                                |  |       |       |      | \$30  |

| 4. Excursions/Incursions/Camps                         | Year 7 | Year 8 | Year 9 | Year 10 | Year 11 | Year 12 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| Ancient History  |        |        |        |         | \$26    |         |
| Biology  |        |        |        |         | \$61    | \$21    |
| Careers - MACE   |        |        |        | \$20    |         |         |
| History/Geography                                      | \$41   | \$9    | \$23   | \$21    | \$34    |         |
| History/ Religion Excursion                            |        |        | \$35   |         |         |         |
| Careers - UOW/TAFE Day                                 |        |        |        |         |         |         |
| Modern History   |        |        |        |         | \$21    |         |
| English Excursion - Seymour Centre                     | \$41   |        |        |         |         |         |
| Advanced English Excursion -Othello                    |        |        |        |         | \$52    |         |
| English Advanced Excursions:<br>Merchant of Venice     |        |        |        |         |         | \$65    |
| English Standard Excursions:<br>The Crucible Symposium |        |        |        |         |         | \$55    |
| English Standard Crucible Incursion                    |        |        |        |         |         | \$17    |
| Music  |        | \$10   |        |         |         |         |
| PASS   |        |        | \$56   | \$14    |         |         |
| PDHPE  | \$30   |        |        |         |         |         |
| PDHPE Excursion Lab Wollongong Uni                     |        |        |        |         | \$53    |         |
| Reflection Days - Mandatory                            | \$25   | \$25   | \$25   | \$25    |         |         |
| Science  | \$37   | \$38   |        |         |         |         |
| SLR Excursion  |        |        |        |         | \$53    |         |
| CAMP/RETREAT   |        |        |        |         |         |         |
| Outdoor Education Experience                           | \$311  |        | \$463  |         |         |         |
| Camp Food Component                                    | \$104  |        | \$120  |         |         |         |
| Senior Retreat   |        |        |        |         | \$281   |         |
| Senior Retreat Food Component                          |        |        |        |         | \$69    |         |

\* GST Included



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| Year Group Fees    | Total  |
|--------------------|--|
| Total Year 7 Fees  | <b>\$4,944.60</b> including subject resource fee, including excursions listed above, plus any additional excursions.   |
| Total Year 8 Fees  | <b>\$4,336.00</b> including subject resource fee, including excursions listed above, plus any additional excursions.   |
| Total Year 9 Fees  | <b>\$5,046.00</b> including building, tuition, subject resource fee and excursions billed to all year 9 students. Elective course and elective course excursions to be added.  |
| Total Year 10 Fees | <b>\$4,426.00</b> including building, tuition, subject resource fee and excursions billed to all year 10 students. Elective course and elective course excursions to be added. |
| Total Year 11 Fees | <b>\$4,753.00</b> including building, tuition, subject resource fee and senior retreat.<br>Elective course and elective course excursions to be added.                         |
| Total Year 12 Fees | <b>\$4,268.00</b> including building, tuition, and subject resource fee.Elective course and elective course excursions to be added.  |

**Please note:** Other excursions will be processed as an Event and will require payment before the event through Compass.

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Dear Parents & Carers,

This is an outline of the level and purpose of fees for students attending St. Benedict's Catholic College in 2023. Government Funding covers approximately 80% of the recurrent costs associated with running a Catholic High School. The 20% "gap", plus loan commitments associated with building need to be met by parent contributions. A breakdown of the 2023 school fees is:

| Tuition Fee            | Teachers' salaries and the day to day running costs of the school (water, electricity, paper etc).   |
|------------------------|--|
| Building Fund          | This is a contribution used solely for the repayment of loans on the school buildings (equivalent to a mortgage payment).  |
| Technology Levy        | This contributes towards the costs of maintaining technology hardware, software, and access to the internet and licenses.  |
| Subject Resource Fee   | This covers the cost of all other books and equipment which are purchased<br>in bulk and issued to your child for their personal use. The alternative<br>would be for you to purchase these items which would be at a greater cost.<br>This also assists in covering the cost of other textbooks issued to your child. |
| Elective Course Fees   | This goes towards offsetting the cost of consumables used by your child in practical courses e.g., materials used in timber.   |
| Tuesday Sport Levy     | The sports levy covers <u>most costs</u> associated with traveling to Tuesday sport and external coaches/instructors that visit St Benedict's Catholic College.  |
| Parents & Friends Levy | The P & F Levy of \$100 per year replaces major fundraising activities for<br>parents and carers. This allows the P & F to concentrate on special<br>gatherings with an emphasis on community building, rather than<br>fundraising.  |

#### PAYMENT OF SCHOOL FEES

All school fees are due **30 days after the invoice date** at the beginning of the year. Payment arrangements can be made to have accounts paid over the year, but this **must be arranged** with the finance office otherwise fees are expected to be paid in full by the due date. Statements will be sent monthly. Our preferred option for payment is BPAY however payments may be made in a lump sum or in installments (by arrangement). The school office has an EFTPOS machine available for payments from Savings/Cheque accounts and Credit Cards.





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A discount on the Tuition fee only, for the second and subsequent child of a family attending the school applies. All families however are required to pay the Administration fee, Subject Resource fee and Technology Levy for **each** child attending the school. Discounts on the Tuition fee are:

| 25%  | for the second child attending the school                   |  |
|------|---|--|
| 50%  | for the third child attending the school                    |  |
| 100% | for the fourth and subsequent children attending the school |  |

Building Fund for the second and subsequent child of a family attending St Benedict's Catholic College applies:

| 50%  | for the second child attending the school        |  |
|------|--|--|
| 100% | for all subsequent children attending the school |  |

Any family experiencing difficulties regarding the payment of fees must contact the Principal. Such matters are always treated in the strictest confidence.

Kind regards,

Kerrie Piatek College Principal

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