

Allendale Primary School

Voluntary Contributions and Charges 2019

Dear Parents/Guardian,

The School Board has endorsed the following schedule of contributions and charges for 2019. The schedule is designed to allow you to calculate the maximum costs that you may incur throughout the year. Your contribution will assist the teaching and learning programs across the school.

	Amount
<p><u>CONTRIBUTIONS:</u></p> <p><i>In accordance with the School Education Act 1999, School Education Regulations 2000 and Department policies, schools can request up to a maximum contribution of \$60.00 for years K-Year 6.</i></p> <p><i>The funds are used towards the cost of materials, services and facilities used by students in the educational program.</i></p> <p>Contributions collected at this school contribute to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computer/Digital equipment • Science activities • Art materials <p>The School Board has endorsed the maintenance of these contributions for 2019 and seeks parent support in paying the contribution.</p>	\$40.00
<p><u>CHARGES:</u> These are collected as and when activities are organised.</p> <p>The term <i>charges</i> refers to the provision of extra cost optional activities which is part of an education program and which contributions do not cover. All of the following are optional and if no payment is received, an educational activity with a similar outcome will be provided to that student.</p> <p>The 2019 extra cost optional activities which have been approved by School Board are as follows. The estimated costs provided are at an upper limit and will not exceed this amount. If a particular event does not transpire within the school year no charges for that event will apply. The School Board has approved all charges.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excursions MAXIMUM COST PER STUDENT <p><i>Up to 4 excursions per year per class at a maximum cost of \$40.00 for the year. Eg Museum, class excursion.</i></p>	\$40.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incursions MAXIMUM COST PER STUDENT <p><i>There are usually 4-5 Incursions each year. The maximum cost will be \$40.00 per student, for the year, but will likely be less depending on the actual cost of each. Eg Music Incursion, Scitech.</i></p>	\$40.00
<p><u>PERSONAL ITEMS:</u></p> <p>These items have been approved by School Board as being required by students for personal use in the educational programs provided by this school.</p> <p>The items can be purchased through the suggested supplier or a supplier of your own choice. Please refer to the list for each year level. Prices quoted may vary from different suppliers. Stationary items will need to be replaced throughout the year.</p>	See Personal Items List

ADDITIONAL REQUESTS:	
The following requests are approved by School Board.	
PEAC STUDENTS (Year 5 and 6 students involved in the Primary Enrichment and Challenge only.) If a student is identified as a highly gifted student they will be invited to participate in the PEAC program. Costs associated with PEAC for 2019 may be as follows. <u>Students attending the Geraldton PEAC centre:</u> Annual fee \$25.00 (paid to PEAC teacher) Plain white T-Shirt (\$6.00) Scitech excursion with T-Shirt \$50 (optional attendance) <u>PEAC students outside of the Geraldton PEAC Centre:</u> PEAC camp Term 1 \$150 (attendance optional) Scitech excursion with T-Shirt \$50 (optional attendance)	

CHARGES SCHEDULE 2019: Maximum charges that parents may need to pay:

Description	Date	K	P	Yr 1	Yr 2	Yr 3	Yr 4	Yr 5	Yr 6
Incursions	All Year	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00
Excursions	All Year	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00
Music - Choir	All Year					\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Showcase	Term 3/4					\$80.00	\$80.00	\$80.00	\$80.00
Musica Viva	Term 3	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00
Instrumental Music	All Year							\$110.00	\$110.00
ICAS Testing (optional)	Term 2/3	Year 3-6 Maximum of 3 tests at \$9.90 – \$19.80 per test							
In Term Swimming	1-6 T1 PP T4		\$50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00
Interschool Sporting events	Term 1-4			\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Year 6 Leadership Day	Term 1								\$40.00
Year 6 Camp	Term 3/4								\$400
Year 6 Transition	Term 4								\$20.00
Year 6 Leavers Shirt	Term 1/2								\$50.00
Year 6 Graduation Dinner	Term 4								\$50.00
PEAC	Term 1							\$200	\$200
Interschool Numero	Term 4							\$50.00	\$50.00
Year 5/6 Girls Academy	All Year							\$50.00	\$50.00
School Photos	Term 3	\$25.00- \$90.00	\$25.00- \$90.00	\$25.00- \$90.00	\$25.00- \$90.00	\$25.00- \$90.00	\$25.00- \$90.00	\$25.00- \$90.00	\$25.00- \$90.00

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

Payment options include cash, cheque, Eftpos and direct debit to the school bank account.

Parents may consider a Progressive Payment Option where Contributions and Charges can be paid off - \$1 per week, \$10 per term, \$40 for year. Please contact the Principal should you need to discuss issues related to this information. All discussions will be confidential.

REFUND OF CONTRIBUTIONS AND CHARGES:

Parents may be entitled to a refund of any unused portion of the contributions and charges they have paid if their child transfers to another school prior to the end of the school year. Alternatively, the remaining funds can be transferred to the new school. These refunds will be arranged upon your request and the refund will be based on a rate as approved by School Board.

NOTE: All Contributions, Charges, Personal Items, Rates of Refunds and Additional Requests have been endorsed and approved by the School Board.

**Lisa Criddle
Principal
Allendale Primary School
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