

2024 School Charges and Voluntary Contributions

The School Education Regulations 2000 requires schools to notify parents of all contribution and charges prior to the start of the school year. These costs are divided into three areas: Voluntary Contributions, Personal Use Items, Charges and Other Optional Costs.

The Treeby Primary School Board has endorsed the following schedule of School Charges for 2024.

Voluntary Contributions

Financial support provided by parents plays a significant role in the provision of resources that extend the school's capacity to add value to students' learning experiences. The continued partnership between schools and parents is vital to ensuring that all students receive a level of education sufficient to carry them forward in today's society.

Contributions are voluntary; however, the quality of our teaching and learning programs will be maximised when families make a contribution to supplement funding gained from other sources, including the State and Federal governments. The total amount of voluntary contributions parents and carers are being asked to pay is the \$60 maximum set in the School Education Regulations 2000. At Treeby Primary School, the voluntary contributions will be used to purchase supplementary materials and resources used in classrooms as detailed below:

2024 Voluntary Contributions	Amount
Numeracy	\$15.00
Literacy	\$15.00
ICT	\$15.00
Physical Education	\$ 5.00
Art	\$ 5.00
Music	\$ 5.00
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION (per student)	\$60.00

Other voluntary approved requests are outlined below. The Lexile Contribution will be used to purchase a licence for your student (Year 3-6 only) to access Literacy Pro as part of the Literacy program. The Spelling Contribution will be used to purchase a student work book for your child (Year 3-6 only) to support our whole school spelling program.

2024 Voluntary Approved Request	Amount
Lexile Contribution (Year 3-6 only)	\$16.00
Spelling Contribution (Year 3-6 only)	\$27.00

Personal Use Items

The recommended list of items for personal use is available on our website. These items can be purchased through the nominated school supplier who has provided quality items at competitive prices and online ordering options for your convenience. The school does not receive any commission for orders placed through the nominated supplier. Using the school's preferred suppliers will also ensure that your child has the correct items.

Alternatively, all personal use items can be purchased from a supplier of your choice.

Charges and Other Optional Costs

These amounts can vary from year to year and from class to class. A breakdown of estimated charges for your child's participation in excursions, in school activities and swimming lessons for 2024 is provided below. These amounts are indicative only and are the maximum that families can be requested to pay in a school year if a student is participating in each activity. Students can only participate if they have parent permission and have paid the charge.

Charges	K	P	1	2	3	4	5	6
Mini-Lit Intervention		\$ 80	\$80	\$ 80	\$ 80	\$ 80	\$ 80	\$ 80
Incursions & Excursions	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100
In-term Swimming		\$ 70	\$ 70	\$ 70	\$ 70	\$ 70	\$ 70	\$ 70
Boogie Bounce		\$ 40	\$ 40	\$ 40	\$ 40	\$ 40	\$ 40	\$ 40
Year 6 Events								\$ 500
Interschool Sport					\$ 60	\$ 60	\$ 60	\$ 60
Year 6 Leavers Shirt								\$ 50
PEAC Extension							\$ 300	\$ 300
School Photographs	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100
Instrumental Music						\$ 110	\$ 110	\$ 110
Choir					\$ 50	\$ 50	\$ 50	\$ 50

Payment Options

Payment options for Voluntary Contributions, Charges and Other Optional Costs can be made as follows:

- Direct deposit to the school bank account. Please use the student's surname and year group as the reference.
 - Account Name: Treeby Primary School
 - BSB: 066 040
 - Account Number: 1990 6053
- Cash or credit card payments can be made at the Administration Office.
- Online through the Compass Portal.

