

## COLLEGE FEES for 2017

### Annual Tuition Fees

	1st Child	2nd Child	3rd Child
Years 7 & 8	\$1638.00	\$1474.00	\$1065.00
Years 9 & 10	\$1816.00	\$1634.00	\$1180.00
Years 11 & 12	\$2420.00	\$2178.00	\$1573.00

Families who already have three children attending Catholic Systemic Schools will not be charged school tuition fees at Parochial Primary or Regional Schools for their fourth and subsequent children.

The Archdiocesan Tuition Fees will continue to provide **student accident insurance** cover through Catholic Church Insurances Limited. This 24-hour cover is for school activities during school hours and other approved school activities outside school hours such as school camps, school sports, work placement and travelling to and from school.

### Building Fund Levy

This is necessary to cover the College's required servicing of Loan Repayments and to provide upgrading of existing building facilities. The Building Fund Levy will be \$590.00 per annum. Families with children attending more than one Parish Primary or Regional School in the Archdiocese of Sydney will be billed on a pro rata basis.

### Student Resource Fee

A Student Resource Levy is charged per year groups as follows:

Year 7	\$1527	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bookhire</li> <li>• Thursday afternoon activities</li> <li>• Technology Levy</li> <li>• Fundraising contribution</li> <li>• Official College planner</li> <li>• College year book</li> <li>• Library fee</li> <li>• General College equipment</li> <li>• Religion Education resources</li> <li>• Purple College bag (Fabric)</li> <li>• Entrance fee and bus fare to Athletics/Swimming Carnivals</li> <li>• Printing circulars to parents from the College</li> <li>• Cost of printing reports and official certificates</li> <li>• Padlock</li> </ul>
Year 8 and Year 9	\$1616	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bookhire</li> <li>• Thursday afternoon activities</li> <li>• Technology Levy</li> <li>• Fundraising contribution</li> <li>• Official College planner</li> <li>• College year book</li> <li>• Library fee</li> <li>• General College equipment</li> <li>• Religion Education resources</li> <li>• Purple College bag (Fabric)</li> <li>• Entrance fee and bus fare to Athletics/Swimming Carnivals</li> <li>• Printing circulars to parents from the College</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cost of printing reports and official certificates</li> <li>• Padlock</li> <li>• Maths resource fee</li> <li>• Laptop insurance</li> </ul>
Year 10	\$1449	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bookhire</li> <li>• Thursday afternoon activities</li> <li>• Technology Levy</li> <li>• Fundraising contribution</li> <li>• Official College planner</li> <li>• College year book</li> <li>• Library fee</li> <li>• General College equipment</li> <li>• Religion Education resources</li> <li>• Purple College bag (Fabric)</li> <li>• Entrance fee and bus fare to Athletics/Swimming Carnivals</li> <li>• Printing circulars to parents from the College</li> <li>• Cost of printing reports and official certificates</li> <li>• Padlock</li> <li>• Maths resource fee</li> </ul>
Year 11 and Year 12	\$1339	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Resources</li> <li>• Bookhire</li> <li>• Thursday afternoon activities</li> <li>• Technology Levy</li> <li>• Fundraising contribution</li> <li>• Official College planner</li> <li>• College year book</li> <li>• Library fee</li> <li>• General College equipment</li> <li>• Religion Education resources</li> <li>• Purple College bag (Fabric)</li> <li>• Entrance fee and bus fare to Athletics/Swimming Carnivals</li> <li>• Printing circulars to parents from the College</li> <li>• Cost of printing reports and official certificates</li> <li>• Padlock</li> <li>• Laptop insurance</li> <li>• Fundraising contribution</li> </ul>

### Laptop Fees

	Year 8	Year 9	Year 11	Year 12
Hire Fee	\$505.00 per year	\$487.00 per year	\$505.00 per year	\$487.00 per year

### Elective Subject Resources Fees

	Photography	Music	Senior Science	Business Services	ISTEM	HSIE	Society & Culture
Yr 9 – 10	--	\$30.00	--	--	\$90	\$30	--
Yr 11 – 12	\$65.00	\$60.00	\$55.00	\$50.00	--	--	\$40

	Food Technology	Textiles Tech.	Visual Arts	Dance	Modern History	Ancient History
Yr 9 – 10	\$88.00	\$32.00	\$63.00	\$60.00	--	--
Yr 11 – 12	\$118.00	\$35.00	\$80.00	\$60.00	\$40	\$40

- N.B. Depending on the units studied in TAS subjects students will be required to purchase some materials needed to complete practical tasks.
- \*\* All students in Years 7 – 10 will be provided with subscriptions on-line Maths resources.

**The above fees will contribute towards the cost of:**

**Senior Science (Biology, Chemistry, Physics)**

Consumables and resources for science experiments and photocopying costs for booklets

**Food Technology**

Basic staple food items such as flour, sugar and eggs used in practical classes

**Photography**

Two black and white films and photographic paper for wet photography units and digital imaging

**Textiles Technology in Years 9 - 12**

Some consumables such as fabric samples, thread, pins and needles

**Visual Arts**

Visual Arts Process Diary and some consumables such as printing inks, lino, pastels, clay and art paper and exclude items for individual body of works

**Hospitality**

Fee contributes to costs of in-class practical tasks including food consumables

<b>Hospitality (VET) Hospitality Operations</b>	Hospitality students are required to purchase their uniform and tool kit (approx. \$190.00 new in Yr 11). A separate contract will be provided.
Year 11 – 12	\$140.00

**Excursion Levies**

One excursion fee will be charged per year group for all excursions where all students attend excluding camps and retreats. Subject specific excursions will be included in Elective Subject Resource Fees. Excursion levies are as follows:

Year 7	\$105
Year 8	\$105
Year 9	\$63
Year 10	\$303
Year 11	\$73
Year 12	\$58

**Geography**

2 field excursions including a 2-day field trip – cost estimated at \$360, in Year 11, however costing may change due to the number of students participating in the course.

**PAYMENT OF FEES**

Early in Term 1, 2017 you will receive your school fee statement which represents your school fees for the **entire 2017 school year**. The only additional costs that you will incur during the year are fees for miscellaneous expenses that may arise after the fees statement has been published.

Sydney Catholic Schools has moved to this model of invoicing for fees in response to increasing demand from families for annualised billing to help them plan and budget.

At the foot of your fee statement you will find the recommended payment plan. Should you wish to change this payment plan (for example from fortnightly to monthly payments, simply e-mail your request to [accounts@bcashfield.catholic.edu.au](mailto:accounts@bcashfield.catholic.edu.au)).

**Fee Relief** is available for those families experiencing financial difficulties. Please contact Mrs Jo Condon (Business Manager) to discuss further.

### **Youth Allowance**

Centrelink administers the Youth Allowance scheme which provides financial assistance to full-time students who are aged 16 or over. You may wish to contact your nearest Centrelink office. To check eligibility requirements call 132 490. For information in Languages Other Than English ring 131 202.

### **How to pay for School Fees**

**BPAY** is now available for payment of school fees. Please refer to the BPAY section on the top right hand corner of your School Fee Statement.

**Cash, Cheque** payments can be paid in person at the College office Monday to Friday from **8:30a.m. to 3:00p.m.**

**EFTPOS** facilities are available at the College for payment. Credit card payments (Visa and Mastercard only) can be made over the phone during office hours.

**A Credit Card Deduction Authority** is available for regular fortnightly or monthly instalments from your credit card. Please ask at the College office for a Deduction Authority form.

**Centrepay** is an easy way to stay in control of your finances. Centrepay is a free direct bill paying service offered to customers receiving Centrelink payments. Please contact Mrs Jo Condon (Business Manager) for more information, or check the Centrelink Website at [www.centrelink.gov.au](http://www.centrelink.gov.au)

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