



CORNERSTONE
COLLEGE

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FEES

2021



Enrolment Fee

An enrolment fee is required to be paid on acceptance of an offer of a position to confirm enrolment. The enrolment fee of \$400 per child is payable within two weeks of offer.

Tuition Fee

The Cornerstone College Board annually reviews tuition fees covering the common costs for the tuition of students.

The tuition fee includes book hire, the College magazine, 24 hour student accident insurance (conditions apply) and ambulance cover for accident and injury whilst participating in College activities.

| | Year 7 | Year 8-12 |
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| 1st Child | \$6,188 | \$10,138 |
| 2nd Child | \$5,569 | \$9,124 |
| 3rd Child | \$4,641 | \$7,603 |
| 4th Child | Nil | Nil |

Multiple Child Discount

Families with more than one child attending the College will receive the following discount on Tuition Fees:

2nd child 10%;
3rd child 25%;
4th child 100%;
subsequent child 100%.

Payment Options

Xplor Schools, in partnership with Westpac, provides a secure online payment platform designed to make payments easy.

Several options are available, weekly, fortnightly, monthly, quarterly or a one off lump sum payment which attracts a 4% discount. Instructions on how to make payments through Xplor Schools will be provided with your first invoice in October 2020.

IT Levy

The College Board has set a \$500 levy per student per year for Information Technology use and development in addition to the annual tuition fee.

Building Levy

When you arrive at Cornerstone you are presented with 16 picturesque hectares surrounding high quality facilities.

Our Building Levy helps ensure these facilities are maintained to an excellent standard so that learning is stimulating and each child reaches their potential. The Building Levy is set at \$350 per student (\$700 per family maximum), per year.

Additional Costs

Additional user pay and participation costs are dependent on curriculum selection and personal circumstances.

These costs should be considered as part of the total student educational investment package. These costs include such items as camp and excursion costs, stationery, school bag, uniform and transport.

Estimates of these charges can be obtained from the college Finance Office and Subject Selection information if required.

All students are required to purchase a notebook computer as part of our Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) structure. For enrolling students who already have a computer, the College will assess the specifications and suitability of the computer to operate within the College's Information & Communication Technologies environment.

Bursaries

Bursaries may be available to families experiencing financial difficulties. The bursary provides a discount on tuition fees and applications are considered on a merit based system to ensure the funds are distributed to those that are in most need.

Please note that financial disclosure may be required for additional bursaries.

A bursary representing one term's fees will be applied to successful School Card recipients. Conditions apply.

Overseas Students

Please contact the College for further information.

Notes & Conditions

- Annual fees are invoiced one term in advance. An invoice will be sent in Term 4 of the preceding year for all students at Cornerstone (October 2020).
- Several payment plan options are available through Xplor Schools. Your payment plan needs to be set up on receipt of your first invoice. Instructions on how to set up your plan will be provided at this time. If your payment plan needs to be changed at any time, please contact the Finance Office.
- If a student is being withdrawn from the College, one term's written notice to the Principal is required. Failure to provide a full term's notice will result in one term's tuition fee being charged in lieu of notice.
- The College Board reserves the right to terminate the schooling of a student whose fees are in arrears. However, such a termination process will normally take place only after negotiations for arrangements to pay have broken down, or where there is no cooperation from parents/legal guardians in respect to the payment of the outstanding fee debt.
- In the event that fees are not paid and legal proceedings are deemed necessary by the College to recover outstanding fees, all recovery costs incurred will be added to the total amount outstanding.
- Parents will be charged the replacement cost of damaged College property and resources.
- The College aims to give a term's notice for tuition fee variations but reserves the right to alter the above fees and other charges without prior notice and to charge additional fees not listed in this schedule.
- All fees and charges are subject to College Board ratification at August 2020 meeting.