



Maddington Primary School

Voluntary Contributions and Charges 2026

DEFINITION	AMOUNT						
<p><u>Contributions:</u></p> <p>In accordance with the Department of Education Contributions, Charges and Fees Policy September 2001, schools can request up to a maximum contribution of \$60.00 for each child in years K-6.</p> <p>A Contribution is 'voluntary' and the funds are used towards the cost of materials and resources used by students in the educational program.</p> <p><i>Contributions collected at this school, as approved by the School Council, will contribute to purchasing additional resources for your child's education. The quality of the teaching and learning program is maximised when each family makes its contribution.</i></p> <p><i>Students enrolling during the school year will be charged according to the term of entry.</i></p>	<p>Per Student - per year \$60</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• \$15 per term• \$30 per semester <p>➤ Parents are encouraged to pay regular instalments to place themselves in a credit position for future expenses.</p> <table><tr><td>Kindergarten</td><td>\$60</td></tr><tr><td>Pre-Primary</td><td>\$60</td></tr><tr><td>Years 1 – 6</td><td>\$60</td></tr></table>	Kindergarten	\$60	Pre-Primary	\$60	Years 1 – 6	\$60
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Charges:

The term charges refer to the provision of extra cost optional activities, which are part of an educational program and which Voluntary Contributions do not cover. All of the following are optional. However, participation is conditional on payment being made. If no payment is received, an educational activity with a similar outcome will be provided to that student.

The 2024 extra cost optional activities, which have been **approved by School Council**, are listed over the page. 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.

Payment Options:

Parents can pay the Contributions off by periodical instalments if required.

With Charges, the school will notify parents when these are due and part payments can be paid before the event activity takes place. Full payment is required by the due date on the permission slip. If families are placed in a credit position these funds can be used.

Parents are encouraged to pay regular instalments to place themselves in a credit position. This assists when money is due.

PLEASE NOTE: ALL monies to be handed into the Front Office.

EFT/Direct Deposits – Banking Details:

When using this facility, please ensure that you place in the **Reference Field:-**

Your child's surname/event eg: SmithSW (swimming)

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ANZ – BSB: 016 358

Account Number: 3408 25113



SCHOOL CHARGES SCHEDULE 2026 - PER STUDENT

Please Note: These charges are not required at the beginning of the year but will be required as events occur. The "Charges Grid" below provides parents with an opportunity to budget maximum education charges for the 2026 year. Your child must have "Good Standing" to attend these events.

Description	Kindy	Pre Primary	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Class Excursions	\$35.00	\$70.00	\$70.00	\$70.00	\$70.00	\$70.00	\$70.00	\$120.00
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The Arts Program	\$20.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00
In Term Swimming		\$80.00	\$80.00	\$80.00	\$80.00	\$80.00	\$80.00	\$80.00
Sports Physical Education Health		\$25.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00
PEAC – (Primary Extension and Challenge Program) Selected Students Year 5 and 6	No more than \$300 for the year. Cost depends on courses selected which range from \$10 to \$110						\$300.00	\$300.00
School Photographs	As Requested by Parents							
Booklists - Personal Items Lists	<p>These items have been <i>approved by School Council</i> 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 Personal Items List for each year level. Prices have been quoted, but this will vary as to where you choose to purchase from.</p>							

Refunds:

Voluntary Contributions:

Parents may be entitled to a refund of any unused portion of the contributions 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 according to term of leaving.

Charges:

Consideration of a refund may be given if a child does not attend an event. Extenuating circumstances at times, restricts a refund e.g. If payment is required up front and a refund is not given by a supplier.

Unallocated Funds:

Upon child leaving, Parents/Guardians will be contacted.

PLEASE NOTE: All Contributions, Charges, Personal Items, Rates of Refunds and Additional Requests have been endorsed and approved by the Maddington Primary School Finance Committee and School Council.

Prepared by: MCS – Julie Forward Approved by: School Council Chairperson Jodie Norwell

4th September 2025

11th September 2025