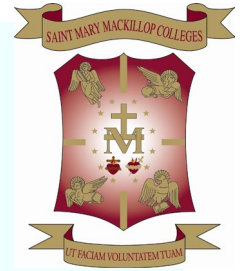


# SCHOOL FEES



In order to cover the costs of educating our students, parental contributions to the tuition is necessary. However, the Colleges try to keep fees at a minimum and give family discounts.

## Assistance for Families:

The School gives bursaries to families who would benefit from the educational and formation offered by the school; these bursaries cover some or all of the tuition costs.

If a family is experiencing financial difficulties, please contact the school to make an appointment with the Business Manager about full or partly sponsored places. These talks will be held in the strictest confidence. No child is ever refused enrolment because of financial reasons.

## Enrolment:

With the offer of enrolment for new families, an enrolment fee of \$300 will be required to confirm enrolment. This will be credited towards the first term's fees. Payment of the enrolment fee will guarantee a place at the College.

## Fees: (applicable for first child only)

- Kindergarten – Year 6: Term Tuition Fee: 262.50 (Annual Tuition Fee and Resource Fee: \$1,210)
- Years 7 & 8: Term Tuition Fee: \$625 (Annual 7-8 Tuition Fee and Resource Fee: \$2,720)
- Years 9 & 10: Term Tuition Fee \$650 (Annual 9- 10 Tuition Fee and Resource Fee: \$2,820)
- Years 11 & 12: Term Tuition Fee \$825 (Annual 11 Tuition Fee and Resource Fee: \$3,520)

For more details, see tables below.

## Family Discounts:

After the first child, the second enrolled sibling attracts a 10 percent discount on the family's tuition fees, the third enrolled child attracts a 20 percent discount for the family's tuition fees, the fourth child attracts a 30 percent discount, and so on. The sixth child (and following) are not charged tuition fees.

## Payment of Fees

- We ask families to please pay fees promptly each term.
- Fees are charged by term. Parents who would prefer to pay weekly/monthly may consult the Financial Manager about such arrangements.
- Fees can be paid by cash, cheque, Visa/Mastercard or direct debit.
- Fees paid for a full year or more in advance attract a 2 percent discount. If a student attending the College on advance payment of fees is subsequently withdrawn from the College, the College will refund the unused portion of fees, less a 10% administration fee.

## Bank details for direct debit:

Saint Mary MacKillop Colleges NAB BSB: 083 337 A/c No.: 863 719 248

Receipts will not be issued for payment by cheque, direct debit, Visa /Mastercard or internet unless requested.

## Fees in Detail:

PRIMARY - Foundation to Year 6						
No. of children	Annual tuition fee	Disc %	Discount	Tuition fees less Discount	Resource Fee+	Annual School Fees *
1	\$1,050.00	0	-	\$1,050	\$160	\$1,210
2		10%	\$210	\$1,890	\$320	\$2,210
3		20%	\$630	\$2,520	\$480	\$3,000
4		30%	\$1,260	\$2,940	\$640	\$3,580
5		40%	\$2,100	\$3,150	\$800	\$3,950
6th +		100%	\$2,100	\$3,150	\$960	\$4,110

\*This excludes the Sports Fee which is paid per term. This amount depends on the sporting activities undertaken.

+Resource Fee covers textbooks (bought and hired) and is paid in two instalments of \$80 in Terms 1 & 2.

It is helpful to consider and budget for other expenses such as:

- Uniform
- Stationery items
- Extra-curricular activities and excursions. (These will be billed when the activity occurs).

## Building Fund

An additional amount of \$30 per family/fee payer per term will be added to your account (unless we are otherwise notified) as a contribution to *Saint Mary MacKillop's Building Fund*.

While this donation is voluntary (and 100% tax deductible) your financial support and personal commitment to the ongoing building program is essential to our school's growth.

### SECONDARY - Year 7 to Year 12

Years	Annual Tuition	Tuition Fee Per term	Resource Fee *	Annual School Fees	Number of children at school	Discount
7-8	\$2,500	\$625	\$240	\$2,740	2	10%
9-10	\$2,600	\$650	\$240	\$2,840	3	20%
11	\$3,300	\$825	\$240	\$3,540	4	30%
12	\$2,475	\$825	\$240	\$2,715	5	40%
<p><i>*Resource Fee to be paid in two instalments of \$120. A Sports Fee is paid each term. The amount depends on the activities chosen.</i></p>					<p>6<sup>th</sup> child and more are not charged tuition fees.</p>	

