



# 2024 Fees and Levies Schedule

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## 2024 FEES AND LEVIES SCHEDULE – STUDENT CHARGES

| <b>FIRST STUDENT</b>         | <b>Year 7 – Year 9</b> | <b>Year 10 – Year 12</b> |
|------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| Tuition Fee                  | \$ 2,510.00            | \$ 2,705.00              |
| Curriculum and Resource Levy | \$ 2,235.00            | \$ 2,345.00              |
| Capital Levy (per Family)    | \$ 750.00              | \$ 750.00                |
| P&F Levy (per Family)        | \$ 160.00              | \$ 160.00                |
| <b>TOTAL PER TERM</b>        | <b>\$ 1,413.75</b>     | <b>\$ 1,490.00</b>       |
| <b>TOTAL PER YEAR</b>        | <b>\$ 5,655.00</b>     | <b>\$ 5,960.00</b>       |
| <b>SECOND STUDENT</b>        |                        |                          |
|                              | <b>Year 7 – Year 9</b> | <b>Year 10 – Year 12</b> |
| Tuition Fee                  | \$ 1,510.00            | \$ 1,625.00              |
| Curriculum and Resource Levy | \$ 2,235.00            | \$ 2,345.00              |
| <b>TOTAL PER TERM</b>        | <b>\$ 936.25</b>       | <b>\$ 992.50</b>         |
| <b>TOTAL PER YEAR</b>        | <b>\$ 3,745.00</b>     | <b>\$ 3,970.00</b>       |
| <b>THIRD STUDENT</b>         |                        |                          |
|                              | <b>Year 7 – Year 9</b> | <b>Year 10 – Year 12</b> |
| Tuition Fee                  | \$ 1,005.00            | \$ 1,080.00              |
| Curriculum and Resource Levy | \$ 2,235.00            | \$ 2,345.00              |
| <b>TOTAL PER TERM</b>        | <b>\$ 810.00</b>       | <b>\$ 856.25</b>         |
| <b>TOTAL PER YEAR</b>        | <b>\$ 3,240.00</b>     | <b>\$ 3,425.00</b>       |
| <b>FOURTH STUDENT</b>        |                        |                          |
|                              | <b>Year 7 – Year 9</b> | <b>Year 10 – Year 12</b> |
| Tuition Fee                  | \$ 505.00              | \$ 540.00                |
| Curriculum and Resource Levy | \$ 2,235.00            | \$ 2,345.00              |
| <b>TOTAL PER TERM</b>        | <b>\$ 685.00</b>       | <b>\$ 751.25</b>         |
| <b>TOTAL PER YEAR</b>        | <b>\$ 2,740.00</b>     | <b>\$ 2,885.00</b>       |





# FAMILY ACCOUNTS – GENERAL INFORMATION

## INTRODUCTION

As a non-government not-for-profit school, the College does not receive sufficient funds from the State and Federal Governments to cover all operating costs. As such, we are heavily reliant on the timely payment of fees and levies by families to ensure we maintain our financial sustainability and level of service, now and into the future.

## TIMING

Our Finance Office raises fees and levies four times a year to correspond with each of the four terms. Account balances must be settled within the 14 Days unless an **official payment plan** has been set-up and approved by the Finance Office. All fees and levies must be finalised by the end of the school year.

## TUITION FEES

Set by Brisbane Catholic Education and the College Board, tuition fees are charged on a **sliding family scale** and contribute toward general tuition resources as well as the administrative and operating costs of the College.

## CAPITAL LEVY

The Capital Levy is a compulsory **family rate** levy providing essential support for the capital development and maintenance of the College. Each year the College commits to further building and maintenance works coupled with updates to teaching and learning equipment. This levy is **not tax deductible**.

## PARENTS & FRIENDS (P&F) LEVY

The P&F Levy is charged on a **family rate**. This levy provides funds so that the P&F can contribute to special projects around the College for the benefit of students.

## CURRICULUM AND RESOURCE LEVY

This levy is charged **per student** with refunds not being issued for non-attendance at any of these activities. This levy includes, **but is not limited to**, items such as:

- Teaching Requisites.
- Textbook Hire Scheme.
- Subject Materials/Resources and Photocopying.
- Transport to Sports/Major Events.
- Guest Speakers/Presenters.
- ICT Platform and Laptop Program.
- Tertiary Access Program (Year 12).
- Locker Maintenance and Student Locks (one only).
- Pastoral Care Activities.
- Academic Competitions.
- Student ID Card (one per year).
- Personal and Social Development.
- Student Insurance.
- Academic Ceremonies.
- Religious Education Activities.
- Camps and Retreats (some off-site).
- Affiliations.
- Some subject excursions, entry, and transport costs.

## METHODS OF PAYMENT

A range of payment options are available for families to meet their financial commitment to the College including Direct Debit, BPay, Centrepay, Qkr!, EFTPOS (Debit and Credit Card), BPOINT, Cheque or Cash.

Located in the foyer of the Champagnat building, the Finance Office is open to accept these payments **Monday to Friday from 8.00 am - 3.30 pm** during the school term.





Payment plans to suit your family budget can be **organised**, with payments accepted over weekly, fortnightly, monthly or per term timeframes.

**Families setting up payment plans will need to contact the College Finance Office to ensure that correct payment plan calculations are provided so that the family account is finalised by the end of the year.** Forms to set up a payment plan can be obtained from the Finance Office or can be downloaded from the Parent Portal or College website.

## EARLY PAYMENT DISCOUNT

**A discount of 5% will be offered to families wishing to pay their full year of fees and levies in advance. This payment must be received in full by the due date of your Term 1 Statement; however, it should be noted that this discount does not apply to bus charges or certificate fees.**

## OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

The due date for payment of an account is noted on the Family Fee Statement that is forwarded each term. Unless you have set up and maintained an **approved payment plan** with the College, it is expected that each account holder will clear their term fees by that date. Accounts that have an outstanding balance after the due date are in breach of the Confirmation of Enrolment Agreement and will be subject to the College Fee Collections Policy which may result in the engagement of external debt collection parties and/or cancellation of the enrolment.

## FEE CONCESSIONS

Concessions are available for families who are experiencing financial difficulties, and application forms are available from the College Finance Office on 07 3810 5900 or via email - [SRIVFinance@bne.catholic.edu.au](mailto:SRIVFinance@bne.catholic.edu.au).

Please note the following conditions:

- Concessions are available on Tuition Fees only and are not enduring from year to year. As such, new applications need to be resubmitted at the commencement of each school year.
- Families eligible for concession are required to pay their account via direct debit plan or Centrepay, and it is expected that **ALL** fees and levies will be finalised by the end of the school year.
- The 5% discount offered for paying a full year of fees upfront, **DOES NOT** apply to family accounts with a concession applied.

## STUDENTS LEAVING THE COLLEGE

Fees will be payable for the **whole term** in which the enrolment is terminated. For a reduction in fees, a written request must be made to the Business Manager at the time of notification and may be granted at the discretion of the Business Manager.

## ACTIVITIES NOT INCLUDED IN THE FEES AND LEVIES SCHEDULE

Costs incurred for certain activities attract additional fees that are not included in the 2024 Fees and Levies Schedule. These additional fees include, **but are not limited to**, items such as:

- The bus runs to and from school (organised by the College and operated by Cav Bus).
- Certificate subjects as well as Construction/Engineering and Hospitality Personal protective equipment/uniforms.
- End of year activities, graduations, Formals and Senior Jerseys.
- Confraternity Rugby League/QISSN Netball.
- Dance costumes, Eisteddfods and Junior Elite Dance.
- Specific camps for Biology and Visual Arts.
- Private Instrumental/Music Lessons.
- Replacement locks, replacement ID Cards, and select Laptop damage and loss costs.





Please note that unless prior approval has been given by the Business Manager, these costs are not automatically added to the Family Fee Account.

## COLLEGE YEARBOOK

The College Yearbook is distributed as **one** copy per family.

## BUS RUNS TO AND FROM SCHOOL

The College facilitates eight bus run services offering students passage to and from school along select routes (details of which can be found on the College website). Families can elect for their students to travel on a Term Bus Pass or as a Casual Traveller. We recommend purchasing a Term Bus Pass if you are travelling more than four times per week.

| TERM BUS PASS                       |                                     |                 |                 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|                                     | TERM                                | FULL PRICE PASS | CONCESSION PASS |
| SEMESTER 1                          | Term 1                              | \$350.00        | \$250.00        |
|                                     | Term 2                              | \$350.00        | \$250.00        |
| SEMESTER 2                          | Term 3                              | \$250.00        | \$150.00        |
|                                     | Term 4 (Years 7-9)<br>(Years 10-11) | \$225.00        | \$135.00        |
|                                     |                                     | \$200.00        | \$120.00        |
|                                     | (Year 12)                           | \$75.00         | \$45.00         |
| CASUAL BUS PASS                     |                                     |                 |                 |
| Reported and Billed every Fortnight |                                     | \$8.00 per trip |                 |

Further notes to consider:

- All prices (except Casual Trips) are **Family Rates**. Please note that the youngest child is the determining factor of pricing.
- If you hold a Health Care Card, Pensioner, or a Veteran Card, please contact the College for application of Bus Pass Concession pricing. Please note that this is only valid for current card holders where adequate proof has been provided. Proof of a valid concession card **must be provided each term**. If proof is not provided a full price bus pass will be added to the fees.
- For your information, the NSSTAS Reference Committee in consultation with QCEC, sets the weekly family threshold, and they have **mandated** that this threshold is to be a minimum \$35 per week (and \$25 per week for concession card holders) for Semester 1. The charges for Semester 2 are yet to be determined.
- **ALL** Term Bus Pass charges will be billed each term along with fees and levies. All casual bus usage charges will be billed on the family account on a fortnightly basis.
- Students **MUST** use their current year Student ID card to tap on when they board the bus.





- All bus passes must be renewed each year as they do not rollover from the previous year. Parents/caregivers must contact [srivbus@bne.catholic.edu.au](mailto:srivbus@bne.catholic.edu.au) to inform the College that a Term Bus Pass is required.

## CERTIFICATE SUBJECTS (YEARS 10 - 12)

Students who participate in courses offered by external providers will attract an additional levy. These levies can include items such as administration costs, RTO fees, course and materials costs.

| COURSE   | YEAR           | FEES AND LEVIES  |
|--|----------------|--|
| <b>SIT10222 Certificate I in Hospitality</b><br>RTO – St Peter Claver College 30028  | 10             | <b>Course Consumables - \$250.</b>   |
| <b>CPC10120 Certificate I in Construction + CPC20220 Certificate II in Construction Pathways</b><br>RTO – Blue Dog Training 31193                  | Year 11 and 12 | <b>Selection 1 - VETiS Subsidised Fee - Cost \$440.</b><br>Includes Course Consumables - \$440.<br><b>Selection 2 - Non-Subsidised Fee - Cost \$1640.</b><br>Includes RTO charges - \$1200.<br>Course Consumables - \$440. |
| <b>CHC24015 Certificate II in Active Volunteering</b><br>RTO – St Peter Claver College 30028   | Year 11 and 12 | <b>Course Consumables - \$200.</b>   |
| <b>MEM20422 Certificate II in Engineering Pathways</b><br>RTO – Blue Dog Training 31193  | Year 11 and 12 | <b>Selection 1 - VETiS Subsidised Fee - Cost \$330.</b><br>Includes Course Consumables - \$330.<br><b>Selection 2 - Non-Subsidised Fee - Cost \$1530.</b><br>Includes RTO charges - \$1200.<br>Course Consumables - \$330. |
| <b>SIS20321 Certificate II in Sport Coaching (Rugby League)</b><br>RTO – Binnacle Training 31319   | Year 11 and 12 | <b>Non-Subsidised Fee - Cost \$585.</b><br>Includes RTO charges - \$265.<br>Course Consumables - \$320.  |
| <b>BSB20120 Certificate II in Workplace Skills</b><br>RTO – Binnacle Training 31319  | Year 11 and 12 | <b>Non-Subsidised Fee - Cost \$250.</b><br>Includes RTO charges and Course Consumables - \$250   |
| <b>SIS30321 Certificate III in Fitness + SIS20115 Certificate II in Sport and Recreation</b><br>RTO – Binnacle Training 31319                      | Year 11 and 12 | <b>Selection 1 - VETiS Subsidised Fee - Cost \$350.</b><br>Includes Course Consumables - \$250.<br><b>Selection 2 - Non-Subsidised Fee - Cost \$615.</b><br>Includes RTO charges - \$365.<br>Course Consumables - \$250.   |
| <b>HLT33115 Certificate III in Health Services Assistance + HLT23215 Certificate II in Health Support Services</b><br>RTO – Connect 'n' Grow 40518 | Year 11 and 12 | <b>Selection 1 - VETiS Subsidised Fee - \$250</b><br>Includes Course Consumables - \$125.<br><b>Selection 2 - Non-Subsidised Fee - Cost \$1025.</b><br>Includes RTO charges - \$900.<br>Course Consumables - \$125         |
| <b>SIT30622 Certificate III in Hospitality</b>   | Year 11 and 12 | <b>Selection 1 - VETiS Subsidised Fee - \$470</b><br>Includes Course Consumables - \$320.  |





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| RTO – Blueprint Career Development 30978                               |                | <b>Selection 2 - Non-Subsidised Fee - Cost \$1670.</b><br>Includes RTO charges - \$1350.<br>Course Consumables - \$320 |
| <b>10971NAT Certificate IV in Justice</b><br>RTO – Unity College 32123 | Year 11 and 12 | <b>Non-Subsidised Fee - \$750</b>  |

Further notes to consider:

- **Applicable course costs will be added in full to family fee statements at the commencement of the course.**
- Students may be eligible for fee subsidy for course costs by accessing allocated VETiS funding. For students that have already accessed their VETiS funding, you will be required to pay the full cost including RTO charges and course consumables.
- For Certificate I in Construction and Certificate II in Engineering the course fee of \$1200.00 is only charged once if courses are completed simultaneously.
- Please note students who wish to attend TAFE in Year 12 2025, will be required to request a reallocation of their VETiS funding from Blue Dog Training to TAFE Queensland. You will be charged an additional \$1200 for the Blue Dog qualification you withdraw from, and this charge will be added to your Term 1 fees in 2025.
- Please note that RTO costs will not be refunded for changes of mind after the statutory 'cooling off' period. Monies paid on your behalf by the College cannot be recovered from the RTO irrespective of whether the course is completed or not. Refunds of course consumable costs may be available on a pro-rata basis, depending on the timing of purchases and subject to approval from the Business Manager.

