

PARENT PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Rosebud Primary School is looking forward to another great year of teaching and learning and would like to advise you of Rosebud Primary School's parent payment arrangements for 2021.

Please find the fee schedule for grade 3 enclosed. Please complete this form and return to the school by **Friday 11th December 2020** so the school can prepare accordingly.

RPS makes every effort to keep the cost of items and activities to a minimum and affordable for all parents. Therefore in 2021 we are moving away from individually packed bags and buying all stationery in bulk. Parent feedback from 2020 of "not having a book sale day", was positive and therefore the process for 2021 will be the same. Stationery will be delivered to classrooms and teachers will distribute items to your child throughout the year.

Financial Support for Families

RPS understands that some families may experience financial difficulty and offers a range of support options, including:

- the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) – eligibility criteria applies
- Second Hand Uniform
- Access to State School Relief
- Food hampers at Christmas times
- Local Community Support

For a confidential discussion about accessing these services, or if you would like to discuss alternative payment arrangements, contact:

Shara Grahame or Olivia Goodwin on 03 5986 8274 or Email: rosebud.ps@education.vic.gov.au

Payment Methods

BPAY (preferred method) Cash, Eftpos, Visa / Mastercard, and Payment Plan as above.

For further information on the Department's Parent Payment Policy and RPS Refund Policy please refer to **our school website** www.rosebudps.vic.edu.au

Yours sincerely,

Stephen Fisher
PRINCIPAL

Travis Wright
SCHOOL COUNCIL PRESIDENT

FEE SCHEDULE – GRADE 3

Please find the itemised list of Essential Student Learning Items and Optional Items for your child. RPS also continues to welcome your voluntary contributions for 2021.

Essential Student Learning Items

Below is a list of items and activities which are essential for your child to learn the standard curriculum and everyday items that your child will use in the classroom. You may choose to purchase these items through the school or provide your own in consultation with the school.

Essential Student Learning Items	Amount
1 x Glue Stick 4 x Scrapbook Megasaurus bond 335x245 64 page 1 x Eraser plastic pencil economy in sleeve 1 x Markers connector pens wallet 10 assorted pkt 2 x Grid book A4 10mm squares 48 page 2 x Pencils HB tradition 1 x Display Book A4 20 pocket black refillable 1 x Highlighter Marker – Yellow 2 x Pencil Red checking/ruling 1 x Ruler 300mm Plastic clear 1 x Office Pad Bank 200x125 100 leaf plain 4 x Exercise book A4 pp 14mm dotted thirds 1 x Pencils – Coloured Crayola 12s assorted pkt	\$28.00
Cooking, Headphones, 3D Printer use, Art Materials, Japanese resources, Quaver Music Program, 5 Incursions throughout the year, tissues, hand sanitiser	\$135.00
TOTAL	\$163.00

Optional Items

RPS offers a range of optional items and activities that are additional to the delivery of the standard curriculum. These items and activities are designed to broaden the school experience for your child. **Please note these costs are approximate amounts only. Further information of exact dates and cost will be sent home closer to the date of the activity.

Optional Item	Amount
Grade 3 Camp	Approx \$25.00
Water Safety Program	Approx \$50.00
End of year activity	Approx \$25.00
Information regarding the hire of musical instruments and individual lessons will be made available in term 1, 2021	Varies

Voluntary Contributions

RPS continues to welcome your voluntary contributions to support our school. You can make a general voluntary contribution that goes towards all of our school's important priorities for 2021 as well as providing additional activities and services for all students. ****NOTE the suggested amount is per family.

Voluntary Contribution	Suggested Voluntary Contribution per family	Amount
General Contribution	\$35.00	

Your child will not be disadvantaged if you do not make a voluntary contribution. All records of voluntary contributions are kept confidential as well as your decision about whether to make a contribution or not.

Please complete the attached payment form and return to the school by **Friday 11th December 2020** so the school can prepare accordingly.

BPAY is our preferred method of payment.

Invoices with your personalised BPAY Reference will be emailed by **Friday 9th November 2020**. Payment via BPAY will be required by 20th January 2021.

Credit Card or Cash Payment

If you would like to pay with Cash or by Credit Card, please make your payment to the office by Friday 11th December 2020.

**Parent/Guardian please keep the slip below as your payment reminder.
Thank you.**

Payment via BPAY must be made by Wednesday 20th January 2021.

Child's name: _____

Amount: \$ _____

Payment Form

(Please return this page to the school by 11th December 2020)

Student Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

I will be making payment via: please circle

BPAY by 20th January 2021

or

Cash/Eftpos by 11th December 2020

Parent Payment Charges

Essential Student Learning Items Amount \$ _____

Voluntary financial contribution Amount \$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

Centrelink Pensioner Concession/Health Care Card Holders** LESS \$50.00

**If you are a holder of a Centrelink Pensioner Concession or Health Care Card Holder Rosebud Primary School offers a discount of \$50. A valid card must be presented to the office.

TOTAL \$ _____