St Paul Lutheran School

2024 Fee Schedule

	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Annual Tuition Fee	$3,640	$3,640	$3,640	$3,640	$3,640	$3,640	$3,640
iPad Program				x	x	x	x
Camps			x	x	x	x	x
Excursions	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Swimming	x	x	x	x	x		
Stationery	$70	$70	$70	$70	$70	$70	$70
IT Levy	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

Annual Tuition Fee

Tuition Fees are billed at the beginning of each term. St Paul offers generous sibling discounts of 15% for the second child, 30% for the third child and 100% for fourth and subsequent children when four or more children from the same family are attending St Paul in a given year. In addition, we also offer a school card discount of 30% for eligible families. This is an income-based fee remission with application forms available from the end of January each year. Remissions will be applied after confirmation of eligibility is received by the school from the Department of Education.

Mid-Year Reception Intake

In 2024 St Paul Lutheran School will be offering a mid-year Reception intake. The mid-year intake will be available for children turning 5 years of age between 1st May 2024 and 31st October 2024. Eligible children will commence school at the beginning of term 3 and complete 6 terms of Reception. Families who elect to enrol their child in the mid-year intake will be asked to pay a one-off $900 fee for 2024, which includes all fees and charges apart from uniform cost and the end of year school magazine. The standard $500 enrolment bond will also be applicable for mid-year intakes.

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iPad Program

All students in Years 3 to 6 will be provided with a school issued iPad, cover and case. These are billed over twelve terms (3 years) at which time ownership will pass to the student. Students who transfer into the school after the start of Year 3 will be issued an iPad and the billing will be adjusted accordingly. Students who transfer out of the school during Years 3 to 6 will have the balance of the iPad cost applied during their final term.

Costs per year are as follows:
- Year 3 First year $500, Second Year $400, Third Year $300, Fourth Year IT levy only
- Year 4 $400
- Year 5 $170
- Year 6 IT Levy only

Camps

Students in Years 2 to 5 will be involved in compulsory camps during the year. Charges for camps are calculated on a cost recovery basis and may vary from year to year. Approximate costs are as follows:
- Year 2 $220
- Year 3 $230
- Year 4 $350
- Year 5 $370
- Year 6 $400

Excursions and Events

All year levels will go on excursions outside of the school and/or partake in events and performances in the school as part of their learning experience. Costs for these activities will be added to family accounts as they occur. Cost per student should not exceed $100 in 2024.

Swimming

Swimming for all students in Reception to Year 4 takes place in Term Four. Swimming is subsidised by the school with families being billed $80 (Reception to Year 2) and $100 (Years 3 to 4) during Term Four to part cover the cost. This assists with the cost of buses to and from the venue, pool entry and instructor costs. St Paul subsidises this activity.

Stationery

Students will be provided with all stationery requirements when they start school in January. This includes everything that your child should need for the year. A charge of $70 per child will be billed to family accounts with Term One fees.

IT Levy

Years Reception to 2 will be charged a $60 IT levy per year. Years 3 to 6 will be charged a $80 IT levy per year.

Fee Remission

Fee remissions are available to families who may not be able to meet the payment of full fees. Applications are to be made to the Business Leader via the Fee Remission Application Form along with proof of income. Remissions are assessed as submitted and decisions are made on a case by case basis without prejudice.

Payment of Fees

Fee statements will be sent to families at the beginning of each term. Unless an arrangement to pay in instalments (weekly, fortnightly, or monthly) has been made, it is expected that the total amount invoiced is paid in full by the end of the fourth week of each term. Statements will be sent via email periodically as extra-curricular charges are billed.

St Paul Lutheran School offers a range of payment options including:

- Credit Card / EFTPOS at the school office

- BPAY Biller Code: 91256 with Reference number as quoted on your fee statement

- Electronic transfer from your bank account – please ensure you reference your family code from your fee statement
    - BSB   105-123
    - ACCOUNT   452120140
    - ACCOUNT NAME   St Paul Lutheran School

- Instalments – Should you wish to pay by instalments by Direct Debit or Debit/Credit Card, a form is available from the school office. Regular instalment arrangements remain in place at all times, including school holidays. Each family will receive in writing a confirmation of their payment plan to ensure that their obligations are met.

Enrolment may be terminated if fees remain outstanding. In addition, late payment penalties or costs of collection may be applied. The onus on making those arrangements is your responsibility.

Building Fund

Each term a voluntary building fund donation amount of $50 will be included on your statement, however, this charge will only be applied to family accounts when families elect to pay it. All funds collected are used to help us maintain and develop our school facilities. Each family is requested to contribute to the building fund on a voluntary basis. All donations are fully tax deductible. A statement is sent home via email at the conclusion of each tax year detailing your contribution.

Enrolment Withdrawal

As per the school's enrolment policy, students who leave prior to the end of Year Six are required to give a full term's notice. Failure to provide this notification will result in an additional full term's fee being charged. A "full term" is defined as from the first day of the school term to the last day of the same term.

Parent Portal and APP

Copies of all invoices and receipts are available via your log in on the parent portal. Please see the front office if you would like assistance with getting started.