

Camboon Primary School



2021 SCHOOL VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS & CHARGES

1. School Voluntary Contribution

The School Education Act 1999 and the School Education Regulations (2000) allow schools to request financial contributions from parents/caregivers for students enrolled in Government schools. Contributions in this proposal are defined as voluntary contributions and are approved by the School Board. The School Contributions are separate from P & C fundraising activities.

The school receives a grant each year from the Department of Education, which provides most of the material and resources necessary for students to access educational programs. The voluntary contributions will assist the school to enhance programs by providing additional resources and materials.

The School Board, in discussing school contributions has endeavoured to take into consideration the level of contribution needed to provide necessary additional student resources, materials and activities that will enhance our educational programs without causing undue hardship to parents/guardians.

The School Board has decided that the school contributions for 2021 will stay the same at \$60.00 per child for all children in Kindergarten, Pre-primary and Years 1 to 6.

All contributions will be directed towards student learning through classroom and year level allocations and funding for extra materials used in educational programs and activities in which students are involved. The extent, of which, will be dependent on the classroom teachers learning program and will vary throughout the year. It will involve such things as Science, History, Technology consumables, classroom Art and cooking activities and subsidising special activities such as assembly items, Christmas, Mothers/Fathers Day etc.

The contribution is included in the Personal Items List order form and can be paid to Campion Education who will pass the payment onto the school.

If you **have not** included the contribution with the Personal Items List, we would appreciate your payment at the beginning of the 2021 school year as follows:

- Sent to school in the attached envelope marked 'School Contribution'. A receipt will be issued and sent home with the child.
- Paid at the school office during school hours (Cash or Cheque only).
- Paid by Direct Deposit

Account name Camboon Primary School
 BSB 633-000
 Account number 141829655

Child's name as the reference and reason for payment EG: jsmith volc
(No name means we will not be able to record payment against your child)

- Payment arrangements can be made with the school if you are unable to pay your contribution in one payment. Please see our Manager Corporate Service to set up a suitable contribution plan.

2. Personal Items

Personal items Lists or student stationery requirements for Kindergarten to Year 6 are issued to each student. Parents/guardians may purchase these items through the school supplier or a supplier of their own choice.

Total cost of the Personal Items List, per year level in 2021 will be:

Kindergarten	\$60.56		Year 2	\$160.92		Year 5	\$192.72
Pre-primary	\$94.20		Year 3	\$178.57		Year 6	\$168.32
Year 1	\$147.61		Year 4	\$190.22			

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3. School Charges

The School Contribution does not cover extra activities that may be offered through the year. These activities are considered School Charges, are linked to the education program and are approved by the Principal. An example is: a class studying animals and wildlife may be offered an excursion to the Perth Zoo to view the animals in their habitats. These charges are to be paid as your child takes part in the activities.

Parents/guardians will receive written notification of the activity and the permission forms for their child to attend.

Prepayment/Upfront payment option to create credit in student's accounts

There is capacity to prepay amounts to cover expected charges upfront prior to all events (e.g.: PP \$195), or make ad hoc lump sum or regular payments to 'smooth' costs over the year. Funds are credited against your child/ren's student account and deducted as an event occurs. Accounts in credit require a blanket signed authorisation to deduct - all events are then automatically deducted / paid from the credit as they arise.

Permission slips are still required to approve participation in the activity and if your child does not participate, please email us and we will refund the deduction to your child's account.

The credit (if any) at the end of the year will always be rolled over to the next year until your child leaves the school, at which time any balance will be automatically transferred to siblings. If there are no siblings, due to processing costs, credit under \$5.00 will be deemed a donation to Camboon PS. Credit over \$5.00 will require written instructions to clear – you can choose to donate to the school, pass onto another student or have the funds returned by direct credit into your bank account. These requests must be in writing with bank details clearly noted. Residual amounts >\$5 subject to Govt. unclaimed monies policy.

The School Board has determined that the maximum cost of these activities for 2021 will be as follows:

Activity	Year Level							
	K	P	1	2	3	4	5	6
In-term Swimming		55	55	55	55	55	55	55
Excursions	25	40	50	55	60	60	60	60
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Life Education	5	5	9	9	9	9	9	9
Dance/Drama		40	40	40	40	40	40	40
Sporting Activities (eg. Interschool Sport, special carnivals/programs)			10	10	15	25	50	50
Choir Activities						30	30	30
Camp Year 6								280
Year 6 Graduation								50
Maximum charges	85	195	219	224	234	274	299	629

These activity charges can be paid directly to the class teacher or by direct debit or as discussed in the above paragraph.

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2021 PEAC COSTS

- **Early Years Extension Program** Years 1 – 3 \$10 per Year
- **PEAC Program**
- **Year 4 \$45** – PEAC Induction Day for 2022 identified Year 4 students (ECU induction for these students to be held at the end of 2021)
- **Year 5 \$70 - \$270 per Year** \$45 – PEAC Induction Day for 2021 identified students (Please note due to COVID, Year 4 students identified for PEAC in 2021, will not attend The ECU Induction until the start of 2021, instead of the end of 2020 as in previous years). \$15 – Round 1 Introduction to PEAC course
\$20 - \$200 – Round 2 and Round 3 course costs
- **Year 6 \$30 - \$300 per Year** 3 Rounds of PEAC courses
- PEAC Courses range in cost from \$10 to \$100 per Round.
- Students can choose from a range of ~40 courses of varying costs.
- Round 1 for Year 5 students is a foundation Introduction to PEAC course and costs \$15