

School Charges and Voluntary Contributions 2017

Dear Parents,

Beumaris Primary School receives strong support from families through the payment of student charges and voluntary contributions. This financial support enables our school to provide a wide range of curriculum programs, and maintain and develop facilities and services that would otherwise not be possible given the school's limited financial resources. In order to offer great educational experiences for students, the School Council has decided on the school charges and voluntary contributions for 2017 as set out on the payment schedule (see over).

The essential educational items covers student/class consumables, Athletics and Reading Eggs, which supplement our education program, but are not totally funded through Department of Education and Training.

Optional items in 2017 covers our Prep – Year 4 students will continue the current swimming program with Bayside Aquatics. Our Year 5 and 6 beach program will focus on life saving and water safety skills as a beach program run by Bayside Aquatics. The Year 5 and 6 swimming program reflects feedback received from parents, students and teachers. Sports levy for Year 4 to 6 and excursions for all year levels to cover cost of activities, entry and seat-belted transport if required.

The voluntary contributions assist with the provision of learning technologies, art and library materials, performing arts materials, facilities enhancement, grounds maintenance and other much needed resources. Voluntary contributions to the **Library and Building Funds are tax deductible** and all are non-refundable.

This year voluntary contributions, donations and fundraising have been vital in enabling us to continually improve the learning environment for our students. These improvements include:

- Ongoing maintenance of the oval, shade cloth, grounds and play equipment
- Garden Club
- Learning centre resources, literacy, mathematics and science resources, furniture and storage
- Purchase of additional resources to enrich our visual arts, IT program, performing arts, physical education, sport and Japanese programs.
- Installation of split system air conditioning in the SALC
- Purchase of ICT equipment, additional iPads, iPad and laptop charging stations and lease of laptops

In future contributions are intended to support new programs such as:

- The acquisition of additional Literacy, Numeracy and ICT resources and support
- Future development of internal and external refurbishment of school buildings
- Purchase of replacement furniture and storage
- Ongoing grounds and maintenance works

Our preferred option of payment is through the Qkr! App. This is a very convenient way for you to pay. Payment instalments are also available through Qkr!.

Families who do not have an immediate capacity to pay are also able to enter into alternative and confidential payment arrangements with the school. Should you require information about financial assistance please contact the Principal, Sheryl Skewes or Business Manager, Catherine Lamb on 9589 2619.



Sheryl Skewes
Principal



Tony Falkingham
School Council President

BEAUMARIS PRIMARY SCHOOL CHARGES & VOLUNTARY PAYMENT 2017
PLEASE RETURN THIS SCHEDULE WITH YOUR PAYMENT
Payment Due Monday 20 February 2017

FAMILY NAME: _____

STUDENT'S NAME:

YEAR LEVEL:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Section 1- Essential Education Items

1. Student charge –essential education items – materials and consumables, Mathletics and Literacy Planet	\$290.00	x _____	No. of students =	_____
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Section 2- Optional Education Items

2. Prep – Yr 4 Excursion & activities levy.	\$120.00	x _____	No of students =	_____
3. Yr 5 & 6 Excursion& activities levy	\$150.00	x _____	No of students =	_____
4. Year 4 only *Sport Levy:	\$45.00	x _____	No of students =	_____
5. Year 5 & 6 *Sport Levy:	\$175.00	x _____	No of students =	_____

***NB: Hooptime and sporting finals will be pay as you go prior to the event if taking part.**

6. Swimming: Years Prep – 4 Swimming /water safety program	\$115.00	x _____	No. of students =	_____
7. Years 5-6 beach safety and skills program	\$125.00	x _____	No. of students =	_____
8. School Yearbook per family	\$16.00	\$16.00	1 x per family can pay for extra if required	_____

Payable to Beaumaris Primary School	Sub Total Section 1	\$ _____
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Section 3- Voluntary Financial Contributions

1. Building Fund Donation <i>(Tax deductible and non refundable)</i>	Eg \$100.00	_____
2. Library Fund <i>(Tax deductible and non refundable)</i>	Eg \$100.00	_____
3. Information and Communication Technology (ICT) Levy (Non refundable)	Eg \$100.00	_____
4. Grounds Levy (Non refundable)	Eg \$100.00	_____

Payable to: Beaumaris Primary School	Sub Total Section 2	\$ _____
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Total Section 1 and 2	\$ _____
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2017 Payments can be made by Qkr! (preferred method), cash, cheque or credit card (Eftpos, Visa, Master Card).

Preferred method of payment Qkr! App on Qkr!
For Payment plans see the Business Manager,
Catherine Lamb or contact on 9589 2619.

