

College Fees

2021

The College's fee structure includes the following compulsory fees and levies:

- Tuition Fees
- Resource Levy
- Co-curricular Levy
- P&FLevy

Included in these fees and levies is your student's participation in

- Core curriculum activities
- Textbooks
- Year level camps
- Subject excursions required as part of the curriculum, and
- GBC Sport

Other charges may be incurred, depending on options chosen by your student. These include bus fees if using a Faith bus to and from the College each day, laptop levy if using a College device, stationery packs through an external provider, VET subject fees for courses by an external provider, METWEST sport levies and optional excursions.



Fees Prior to Student Commencing School

Registration Fee

This fee of \$50.00 is to be paid when the Enrolment Application form is completed and returned to the College office.

Enrolment Commitment Fee

This fee of \$400.00 per family is to be sent to the office with the accompanying form after the College has accepted your child for enrolment. This fee is paid when the first child is accepted and covers all children within the family. A portion of this (\$300.00) is refundable (under certain conditions) when the last child in the family leaves the College. This also applies to any student who has enrolled but not yet commenced at the College.

Fees After Student Commences School

Tuition Fee

The fee for 2020 is \$5,296.00 per annum for all Year levels. This fee is for tuition purposes only. Our fee structure remains at the lower end of the range of fees charged by independent schools. If more than one child from the same family attends the school at the same time, the second and subsequent child receives a discount on the tuition fees at the following rates.

Second Child 25% discount Total Tuition Fees are \$9,268.00 p/a Third Child 40% discount Total Tuition Fees are \$12,446.00 p/a Fourth Child 70% discount Total Tuition Fees are \$14,034.00 p/a

Parents who pay the whole year's fee in advance by the due date of the first term's fees also get a 5% reduction in Tuition fees.

Payment of Fees

Statements are sent out on a quarterly basis; before the commencement of first term and at the end of Terms 1, 2 and 3 (with reports). Arrangements can be made with the College office to pay fees in any of the following ways:

- Yearly (Parents who pay the whole year's fee in advance by the due date of the first terms fees also get a 5% reduction in Tuition fees)
- Per term
- Fortnightly (over 24 fortnights)
- Weekly (over 48 weeks)
- Direct debit
- Credit or by debit (EFTPOS) card
- B-Pay only for annual, semester, term payments

To help parents with their budgeting and in determining how to pay, the following breakdown of fees (\$6,656.00) is listed below.

\$ 6,656.00 per year (including tuition and levies)

\$ 1,664.00 per term (4)

\$ 277.33 per fortnight (24)

\$ 138.67 per week (48)

Additional Costs

Bus transport

Students living within 4.8km of this College or the nearest State High School will need to pay the bus operators a transport fee, which is determined by Queensland Transport. The College has nothing to do with this charge. Parents are to contact the relevant bus operators for further information. The College office can give you information about which operator to contact.

The College currently operates eleven(11) bus services not covered by Queensland Transport. Information about these bus services and costs can be obtained from the College office. Bus charges range from \$36.00 - \$45.00 per week per family.

Instrumental Music

Students undertaking individual instrumental music instructions are charged directly by the externally contracted music teacher.

National Subject Competitions

These are held in English, Mathematics, Science, Writing, and Computing. An entry fee of \$8.00 - \$14.00 per child is charged by the organisers. Because entry is optional, parents will need to pay before entry applications close.

Laptop Hire

Annual fee if you choose to hire a college laptop.

Year 7 \$300.00

Year 8 \$300.00

Year 9 \$300.00

Year 10 \$225.00

Year 11 \$210.00

Year 12 \$200.00

Bible and Dictionary - all new students require a bible and dictionary. The College will supply these items. \$38.00 will be charged on your first fee invoice.

For more information and to gain a copy of our current information booklet please contact enrolments@faithlc.qld.edu.au