



St Mary MacKillop College

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Fees and Charges Policy

Details of the fees charged by the College are listed below.

Fees are subject to change each year according to Catholic Education policy.

Visit www.mackillop.wa.edu.au for a copy of the College's 'School Fees Setting & Collection Policy'

Annual fees and charges 2026

Fees per student Pre Kindy (children aged 3+)

Fees per Session WAIVED (with conditions)	\$81.00 (waived)	PLEASE NOTE: Fees are WAIVED for Pre Kindy, providing an application for Kindergarten 2027 is lodged at the same time. Should a child NOT return for Kindergarten in 2027, then FEES WILL BE CHARGED for Pre Kindy at the rate of \$81.00 per daily session.
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Fees per student Kindy to Year 12

Application Fee (incl. GST)	\$55.00 per student	This is a non-refundable processing fee that is to be paid with the initial application. Applications will not be processed until this payment is received.				
Enrolment Deposit	\$250.00 per student	Once a place has been offered to the student, a non-refundable deposit is required to hold the place. The place will not be held unless the deposit has been received by the College. This amount is a prepayment of the student's first year fees at the College and will be automatically deducted from the first family fee account. This applies to <u>all students</u> being offered a place.				
Tuition Fees per student per Annum	1st Student Kindy: \$ 766.85 PP-Yr6: \$1,293.55 Yr7-12: \$4,254.76	Family Discounts on tuition fees apply with two or more students enrolled at St Mary MacKillop College as follows:				
		2nd Student (20% off tuition)	3rd Student (40% off tuition)	4th Student (100% off tuition)	5th Student (100% off tuition)	
		Kindy	\$613.48	\$ 460.11	\$0	\$0
		PP - Year 6	\$1,034.84	\$ 776.13	\$0	\$0
		Years 7-12	\$3,403.81	\$2,552.86	\$0	\$0
Student Insurance	\$10.00 per student	The College provides all enrolled students with student accident insurance for all school-related activities. Contact the College for more information or to make a claim.				
Compulsory Charges per student		Compulsory Charges cover items such as consumables, photocopying and general stationery costs associated with classroom teaching and subject areas, additional teaching resources required for Maths & Literacy (K-Yr6) as well as the cost of providing ICT resources to students (Yr5-12). These charges include Amenities (K-12), Maths Literacy Levy (K-6) and ICT Levy (Yr5-12) NOTE: Family Discounts also apply to these Compulsory Charges.				
Kindy: \$191.79	Yr 4: \$306.84					
PP: \$219.73	Yr 5: \$339.88					
Yr 1: \$230.73	Yr 6: \$310.13					
Yr 2: \$308.50	Yr 7-12: \$428.50					
Yr 3: \$323.80	per student					
Book Fees (incl. GST) per student		Book Fees for Kindy to Year 2 are in place of a Stationery/Booklist sourced through an external supplier, and cover specific stationery and consumable items needed in these early year groups. Book Fees for Years 3-6 cover items such as Italian Workbooks, School Diary/Planner and Art supplies. Secondary Book Fees cover items such as School Diary/Planner, combination lock for Student Lockers, digital RE Workbooks, digital Maths programs and Systems Technologies.				
Kindy: \$66.00	Yr 5: \$72.29					
PP: \$55.00	Yr 6: \$101.02					
Yr 1: \$84.00	Yr 7: \$102.56					
Yr 2: \$106.97	Yr 8: \$72.61					
Yr 3: \$64.94	Yr 9-10: \$50.61					
Yr 4: \$68.11	Yr 11-12: \$26.61					

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All secondary students will be issued with a locker and combination lock when they start at the College. Students are required to use a locker throughout their time at the College. If students negligently damage their locker or lose, misplace or damage their combination lock they will be invoiced by the College for the cost of repairs or replacement.

Fees per student Pre Primary to Year 6

Cultural and Swimming Costs	Cultural: \$24.00 Swimming: \$48.00
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Fees per student Year 6 to Year 12

Camps and Excursion Fee	Yr 6: \$372.00 Yr 7-12: \$302.00 per student	Camps and excursions play a vital part of the overall College program and curriculum for the development of our students, and are often heavily subsidised. Rather than the fee changing according to the cost of each camp or off-campus activity in a particular year group, the College charges a set annual fee as a way of spreading the cost burden for families. It is compulsory for all students to attend these activities, and the camp fee will not be waived for any reason other than illness (supported by a current Doctor's Certificate).
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Fees per student Year 7 to Year 12

Book Hire	\$345.00 per student	The College operates a book hire scheme to help reduce the number of textbooks having to be purchased, and accordingly to reduce overall textbook costs. This is charged to each student.
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Fees per family (K-12 students)

Building Levy	\$470.00 per family	Each family is required to contribute an annual levy towards the debt servicing of our loans for capital (building) works. As this is a compulsory levy, it is NOT tax-deductible.
College Yearbook (inc. GST) per family	\$40.00	Every family is provided with a copy of the College Yearbook and this amount will be automatically added onto your account. Additional copies may be purchased at a cost of \$20 per copy.
P&F Levy	\$180.00 per family	Every family is charged the Parents and Friends Association (P&F) Levy to cover the many projects funded by the P&F in the College.



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The College's aim of providing the highest possible standards in education, equipment, facilities and care for students and families with the lowest possible fee structure relies heavily on the prompt payment of fees. Your support in reducing the administrative time and costs in pursuing outstanding fees is greatly appreciated. Visit www.mackillop.wa.edu.au for a copy of the College's 'School Fees Setting & Collection Policy'

Payment of fees

In 2026 your annual account will be issued one week prior to the beginning of first term. The account will itemise the total cost for the whole year, and will assist you to budget for the year.

B-Pay, EFTPOS and Credit Card facilities are available at the College for the payment of College accounts. The following methods of payment are available:

A. Upfront Payment

Families that don't qualify for any fee discount and pay the full amount charged by **Tuesday 3 March 2026**, will go into a draw to win a reduction in your fees. Winners will be notified by the College.

B. Three Equal Instalments

1st payment due by Tuesday 3 March 2026

2nd payment due by Monday 25 May 2026

3rd payment due by Monday 24 August 2026

An account will be sent out prior to these dates to remind you of payment.

C. Periodic Payments (BPAY or Credit Card)

To enable you to include your fee payments into the regular household budget, you can pay your fees off by periodic payments as either:

20 Fortnightly Payments beginning **23 February 2026** and ending on **16 November 2026**

OR

10 Monthly Payments due on the *first of each month* from **March - December 2026**

No reminders will be sent out for periodic payments.

D. Direct Debit through CDF

The Catholic Development Fund also provides the options of periodical payment from a CDF savings account, OR Direct Debit from your nominated bank account.

PLEASE NOTE: The College's fee structure and tight budget relies heavily on payment of school fees promptly. This minimises the administration time and costs involved in following up outstanding fees.

Notice of withdrawal

Parents are required to give **ten weeks written notice in term time** if their children are enrolled at St Mary MacKillop College and will not be attending or returning to the College. Failure to give such notice will result in a **charge of one term's fees in lieu of notice**. Subject selection forms filled in and signed by parents in Year 11 and 12 for the forthcoming year will deem that the student will be returning the following year.

Difficulties with fee payment

The College will assist all families having difficulties with fee payment. Where parents encounter economic hardship in meeting the level of fees set, they should notify the Business Manager to discuss arrangements. The College will always be sympathetic to genuine cases in need. All parents, however, are expected to show maximum support for the College relative to their individual situations, and also have applied for the other assistance schemes detailed below.

Fee Remissions

A remission is a partial release from payment of fees calculable on the family's individual circumstances. All remissions are granted for 12 months only and are reviewed annually. Any family in need is encouraged to apply to the Principal for a fee remission.

Other assistance with fees

Notification of the application process for the following schemes will be published in the College Newsletter early in the year. All families eligible for these schemes are encouraged to apply.

Secondary Assistance Scheme (Yr7-12 only)

To be eligible for the Department of Education's Secondary Assistance Scheme, families will need to hold one of the following cards:

- **Health Care Card** (*family card - not student card*)
- **Pensioner Concession Card**
- **Veterans Affairs Card**

In 2026, \$115 will be paid directly to the family to assist with the purchase of uniforms and books, and \$235 will come directly off the family fee account.

Catholic Education Assistance (K-Yr12)

The Catholic Education System can further assist holders of a *means tested* **Health Care Card** (*family card*) or **Pensioner Concession Card**. The average level of fees charged to eligible families for their first student will be set at \$751 (Kindy), \$857 per student (PP-Yr5), \$1,230 (Yr6) and \$3,038 per student (Yrs 7-12) for 2026. Sibling discounts apply to subsequent students.