

2026 VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS, CHARGES AND PERSONAL ITEMS

Dear Parents / Caregivers,

The Shelley Primary School Board has approved the following Contribution, Charges and Personal Items schedule. Under the School Education Act 1999, schools must outline all contributions and charges to parents. The costs for 2026 are arranged as follows:

- *Voluntary Contributions*
- *Voluntary Approved Requests*
- *Personal Use Items – The booklist*
- *Charges – Extra Cost Optional Components*
- *Charges – Specific Programs*

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

We are delighted to announce that, once again, most items have not increased in cost since 2022. Our Board has endorsed an amount of \$60.00 per student as a **Voluntary Contribution for 2026**. This is approximately \$1.50 per week. These costs provide extra items to enhance opportunities for all students and supplement funding from the State and Federal governments.

VOLUNTARY APPROVED REQUESTS

This money is used by the school to provide additional opportunities for all students.

TECHNOLOGY CONTRIBUTION

The WA curriculum requires students to use technology effectively and appropriately to access, create and communicate information and ideas, solve problems and work collaboratively. To support that goal we purchase apps including Bug Club, Literacy Pro and Mathletics that can all be accessed at home by students



P & C FUNDRAISING CONTRIBUTION

The P&C provide important support to our school community. We are one of the few schools with a canteen. Without your support our P&C cannot continue to run our canteen. They need a donation from parents of \$40 per child. This amount is voluntary. Alongside the canteen the P&C also run events such as Family Fun Night and Parents & Kids Campout.

Parents are advised that if they pay voluntary and P & C contributions when they buy their booklist items, West School Supplies will forward the money to the school with a complete list of payment details.



PERSONAL USE ITEMS – The booklist

The booklist your child needs for 2026 will be sent home soon. We have negotiated competitive pricing for high quality materials through West School Supplies, a family owned, local business. You are not required to use our preferred supplier; we encourage you to consider supporting a local company that provides quality products and service. West School Supplies pay a commission to the school when you purchase through them. Items on these lists can be used over several years, e.g. calculator, reading satchels, library bags, etc. The library bag and reading satchel are available from Uniform Concepts, Willetton.

CHARGES - EXTRA COST OPTIONAL COMPONENTS

These charges are associated with learning activities like **excursions or incursions**. Students will only incur a charge if they are involved in a particular activity. **The amount on the schedule is the maximum charge for 2026.**

CHARGES - SPECIFIC PROGRAMS

These charges are only for students selected into these programs e.g. PEAC. Charges are applied by the provider. These items are also voluntary and only apply as described in the table below.

REFUND POLICY

The school undertakes activities such as excursions, in-school performances, and camps on a self-supporting cost basis.

If you have paid for an activity and your child cannot attend, please notify the school as soon as possible.

The refund may be credited to the student's account. If the school has incurred a cost for the activity on behalf of a student, this will be deducted from any refund, i.e. bus costs, entry fee etc.

We understand that paying these contributions at the same time as having to pay for booklists may place financial strain on some families. Therefore, we are happy to offer flexible payment system. Please contact the Manager Corporate Services for more information.

2026 CONTRIBUTIONS & CHARGES

DESCRIPTION	K	PP	Yr 1	Yr 2	Yr 3	Yr 4	Yr 5	Yr 6
VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60
VOLUNTARY APPROVED REQUESTS								
Technology Contribution <i>Apps: Bug club, Literacy Pro, Mathletics</i>	\$15	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30
P&C Fundraising Contribution	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40
PERSONAL USE ITEMS								
Personal Use List (Booklist)	\$70	\$95	\$115	\$135	\$150	\$155	\$145	\$135
Other Items Required	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25
CHARGES – EXTRA COST OPTIONAL CURRICULUM COMPONENTS								
Curriculum Based Activities	\$40	\$40	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$100
In-term Swimming		\$70	\$70	\$70	\$70	\$70	\$70	\$70
Dance/Wellness Program		\$35	\$35	\$35	\$35	\$35	\$35	\$35
Sport Activities (ie Interschool)			\$10	\$10	\$40	\$70	\$70	\$70
Choir						\$30	\$30	\$30
Camps								\$400
CHARGES - SPECIFIC PROGRAMS AND NON-CURRICULUM ITEMS								
Instrumental Music – hire							\$125	\$125
PEAC							\$300	\$300
Tennis Sports Option 4 th term					\$85	\$85	\$85	\$85
Graduation T-Shirt	This is optional for purchase by Year 6 students only and is no more than \$45.00.							
Graduation Expenses	These vary depending on the type of activities chosen as appropriate for end of year graduation. They will not exceed \$100.00 per individual student.							
School Photos	Cost depends on photograph packages chosen; ranges from \$20.00 upwards							
Lost Library Books	Students who lose school library books will be charged for the replacement cost of the book and its cover.							
<i>All Voluntary contributions and other charges were approved by the School Board on November 3rd, 2025</i>								

PAYMENTS CAN BE MADE ONLINE USING QKR (OUR PREFERRED PAYMENT METHOD)
OR BY EFTPOS/CASH AT THE OFFICE BETWEEN 8.00AM AND 3.30PM.



PLEASE CONTACT THE MANAGER CORPORATE SERVICES WITH ANY QUERIES ON
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