

2021 VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS AND CHARGES

In accordance with the School Education Act 1999, schools are required to determine and outline the anticipated financial costs of the educational programs at the school. The Rostrata School Board has endorsed the following schedule of contributions and charges for 2021.

1. VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS - \$60 per student

Funds raised through contributions allow us to enhance the learning environment at Rostrata Primary School through purchasing resources and running programs to benefit all students. While contributions are voluntary, the quality of our learning programs will be maximized when all families contribute.

2. VOLUNTARY APPROVED REQUESTS - \$10 per student

Building and Grounds Improvement Voluntary Contribution of \$10.00 towards replacing ageing playground and play equipment around the school.

3. P&C CONTRIBUTION - \$50 per family

This voluntary contribution is administered by the P&C committee and used to fund and support school initiatives and focus areas that meet the needs of our children.

4. PERSONAL ITEMS (REQUIREMENTS)

A link to Ziggies Educational Suppliers Personal Requirements List for 2021 (Booklist) will be sent to all parents / carers via Connect. Items may be purchased from Ziggies or any other stationery retailer you choose.

These are items that students are expected to have at all times and may need to be replenished from time to time. Please note:

- Many items can be reused year after year
- Please ensure all items are clearly marked so that equipment is easy to return to your child if found.

5. BYO iPad Program

- Year 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 students will be involved in the BYO iPad program. The recommended iPad is :
8th Gen
7th Gen
6th Gen
With STM DUX cover

Portal link : Portal : bit.ly/Rostrata

Password : Rostrata2020

- Apps required for school use to be installed on personal iPads – maximum cost of \$50.00 per year.

6. CHARGES FOR OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES

Students will engage in a variety of activities associated with educational programs for which charges will be incurred.

Please note that these are anticipated activities and charges and not a guarantee that they will occur. An email via Consent to Go detailing an activity and the cost will be sent at the time of the activity and payment will be required prior to the event taking place.

CHARGES FOR EXTRA COST OPTIONAL ITEMS (Estimated Maximum Cost)								
Description	K	P	1	2	3	4	5	6
Incursions / Excursions	\$50	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100
The following activities are in addition to the above Incursion/Excursion costs								
Reading Eggs		\$12	\$12	\$12		\$12		
Cars and Stars							\$20	\$20
Swimming / Interschool Carnivals						\$15.00 per day of competition		
In Term Swimming Lessons						Up to \$60 per student (PP – Year 6)		
School Camp								\$350.00
Canberra Camp (School Captains Only)								\$1,400.00
Yr 6 Graduation								\$50
Yr 6 Graduation Shirt and Jacket								Approx \$100
Instrumental Hire						\$110.00	\$110.00	\$110.00
Choir						\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Ensemble Activities							\$20.00	\$20.00
Rostrata Band							\$70.00	\$70.00
PEAC courses								up to \$300.00

PAYMENTS

Payments can be made via the email link sent from Consent2Go for the majority of payment requests – this is using our secure payment gateway called BPoint. You may also pay via direct deposit / EFT Transfer directly to the Rostrata Primary School bank account. Other options are EFTPOS, Credit Card, Cash or Cheque in person at the Administration Office. Please contact the Office on 9237 2700 if you require assistance with how to use the Consent2Go links.

Please contact the Manager Corporate Services if you need flexibility in making payments due to unforeseen circumstances or financial difficulty. We would be more than happy to assist you.