



Dear Parent/Carer,

Student Resource Scheme (SRS) 2026

This letter includes important information about the fees and inclusions for the SRS. If you have previously opted in to the SRS your participation is assumed for the remainder of your child's enrolment, unless you inform the school otherwise by completing a new participation agreement form. If you are a new parent to the school, this information will assist you in making a decision as to whether you wish to participate in the SRS.

The cost of supplying textbooks for students and of purchasing equipment such as uniforms, drawing equipment, writing materials, consumable equipment is increasing each year. In an attempt to keep the rising costs financially manageable for most families, the school invites parents to consider the Student Resource Scheme. The scheme has many benefits for both students and parents. Families who choose to become members of the Student Resource Scheme will have access to textbooks and some consumables within Technologies and The Arts subjects from the beginning of the school year. Students will also have access to wide range of supplementary resources not possible without the Student Resource Scheme

What is provided by the Queensland Government?

The Queensland Government supports children's education by providing funding for instruction (teachers), facilities (school grounds and buildings, internet), and administration (staff to run the school). Funding for schools does not extend to individual student resources such as textbooks, equipment for personal use, and many items used by the student in the classroom.

The SRS helps parents to source these resources. The school can purchase resources at lower rates due to its bulk buying power. Resources such as textbooks or musical instruments that will be used over a period of time are hired to students to further reduce costs for families. Participating in the SRS also offers a convenient way for parents to source the items that their child needs for school, and ensures that all students have access to the same standard of resources.

Subject	Type of Resource	Type of Resource	Acquisition Cost	Cost to Parent
General Items	Printing credit	Owned	\$20.00	\$20.00
	Clickview Software	Used	\$10.96	\$10.96
	Software: online textbooks	Used	\$470.00	\$80.00
	Adobe Software	Used	\$251.00	\$10.00
	The Resilience Project	Owned	\$28.12	\$28.12
	Stationery – Exercise Books, pens, 4xColour Retractable ball point pen, pencils, highlighters, whiteboard markers, rulers, glue, eraser, sharpener, calculator	Used	\$120.40	\$30.40



Certificate I in Workplace Skills	Photocopying – Printed Material/Workbooks	Owned	\$5.00	\$5.00
				\$5.00
Design and Technologies	Unit 1 – 3D printed Earphone Holder <i>Resources required:</i> Filament A4 and A3 paper Equipment required Inventor Software 3D Printers <i>Project goes home with student</i>	Owned	\$1,500.00	\$6.00
	Unit 2 – Towing 3D Print Design <i>Resources Required:</i> Filament A4 and A3 paper Equipment required Inventor Software 3D Printers <i>Project goes home with student</i>	Owned	\$25.00	\$6.00
	Unit 3 – Sound Amplification 3D Print Design <i>Resources required:</i> Filament A4 and A3 paper Equipment required Inventor Software 3D Printers <i>Project goes home with student</i>	Owned	\$25.00	\$6.00
	Unit 4 – Design project 3D Print Design <i>Resources required:</i> Filament A4 and A3 paper Equipment required Inventor Software 3D Printers <i>Project goes home with student</i>	Owned	\$25.00	\$6.00
	Photocopying – Printed Material/Workbooks	Owned	\$1.00	\$1.00
				\$25.00
English	Photocopying – Workbooks and assessment	Owned	\$15.00	\$15.00
	Novel – Boy Who Steals Houses	Hired	\$17.99	\$3.60
	Play – The Stones	Hired	\$24.99	\$5.00
				\$23.60
Food Specialisation	Units 1 and 2 – Food Nutrients Healthy Breakfast Snacks French Toast \$4.37/student Mexican Nacho Muffins \$8.45/student Crepes \$4.26/student Eggless omelette \$5.45/student Chocolate Slice \$5.30/student Students complete a practice cook and a final	Owned	\$82.26	\$47.00



	cook\$10-\$12 per student Alternative to fast food Subway cookies \$5.20/student Vege Stir Fry \$7.15/student Chicken Nuggets and wedges \$10.52/student Chicken Teriyaki Rice Bowl \$10/12 per student Students get to consume the cooking			
	Unit 3 - International Food Butter Chicken \$13.12/student Chilli Con Carn \$8.85/student Kofta and Pasta/Pita \$7.31/student Chicken Coconut Curry\$12.22 Baked Goods \$5.15 Practice Cook and Final Cook \$8-\$12/student	Owned	\$55.65	\$32.63
	Unit 4 – Suitable Food Systems Design the packaging to save waste Fried Rice \$4.83/student Sausage Rolls \$4.90/student Sushi \$7.28/student Wraps \$6.50/student Practice Cook \$8-\$12/student	Owned	\$35.51	\$11.37
	Photocopying – Printed Material / Workbooks	Owned	\$3.00	\$3.00
				\$94.00
Humanities History	Photocopying – Printed Material / Workbooks (Teacher created to take home)	Owned	\$25.00	\$25.00
	Textbook – Humanities Alive 9: Third Edition	Hired	\$88.96	\$17.80
				\$42.80
Health and Physical Education	Printing	Owned	\$3.00	\$3.00
				\$3.00
Japanese	Photocopying – Printed Material / Workbooks (Teacher created to take home)	Owned	\$20.00	\$20.00
	Grid exercise book 2 x sheets of calligraphy paper	Owned	\$5.00	\$5.00
				\$25.00
Materials and Technologies Specialisation	Units 1 – Mechanical games Learning the Woodworking machines and Health & Safety Student take home the project Spring Mechanical Game <i>Resources required:</i> Plywood Wire Steel Plastics PVA Glue	Owned	\$15.00	\$5.00
	Unit 2 & 3 – Bird Box	Owned	\$30.00	\$10.00

	Students take home the project <i>Resources required:</i> Plywood Screws Hose Metal Protector Wire Screws Paint			
	Unit 4 – Folding Chair – Individual design and construction of standard chair design Students take home this project <i>Resources required:</i> Timber PVA Glue Nails	Owned	\$60.00	\$37.00
	Photocopying – Printed Material / Workbooks	Owned	\$3.00	\$3.00
				\$55.00
Mathematics	Printing	Used	\$15.00	\$15.00
	Stationery Supplied Lined paper x 8 Grid paper x 8	Owned	\$6.88	\$2.88
	Dice	Owned	\$1.00	\$0.50
				\$18.38
Media Arts	Unit 1 Create TV Commercial Storyboard <i>Equipment required</i> Laptop Cameras	Used	\$550.00	\$0.00
	Unit 2 Create a movie trailer and apply sound <i>Equipment Required:</i> Cameras Photoshop Software Powerpoint	Used	\$550.00	\$0.00
	Unit 3 <i>Equipment Required:</i> Cameras Photoshop Software Powerpoint	Used	\$650.00	\$0.00
	Unit 4 <i>Equipment required</i> Cameras Photoshop	Used	\$650.00	\$0.00
	Photocopying – Printed Material / Workbooks	Owned	\$2.00	\$2.00
				\$2.00
Music	Unit 1 – Don't stop the music Folio created	Used	\$1.00	\$1.00
	Unit 2 – Aussie Anthems Students to do a performance <i>Equipment required:</i>	Used	\$0.00	\$0.00

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	<i>Guitar</i> <i>Uke</i> <i>Keyboard</i>			
	Unit 3 – Innovators Students complete a composition <i>Equipment required:</i> <i>Laptop</i> <i>Mixed Crat Software</i> <i>Musescore Software</i>	Used	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Photocopying – Printed Material / Workbooks	Owned	\$3.00	\$3.00
				\$4.00
Recreation and Fitness	Photocopying – Printed Material / Workbooks	Owned	\$5.00	\$5.00
				\$5.00
Science Biology	Pipe Cleaners	Owned	\$2.50	\$2.50
	Testing reflexes (blood pressure changes)	Used	\$99.50	\$0.00
	How fast is the nervous system	Used	\$50.00	\$0.00
	Experiencing homeostasis (AccuRate Pulse Bar)	Used	\$239.70	\$1.00
	Investigating germ Theory	Used	\$120.00	\$0.00
	Modelling infection and vaccination	Used	\$45.00	\$0.00
	Flower dissection	Owned	\$100.00	\$4.00
Science Physics	Light Energy (refraction)	Used	\$246.30	\$0.00
	Sound Energy (insulation)	Used	\$118.00	\$0.00
	Investigation Colour Radiation	Used	\$195.00	\$0.00
Science Earth & Environmental	Convection Currents	Used	\$438.00	\$0.00
	Model tectonic Movement	Used	\$54.95	\$0.00
	Measuring Earthquakes – Seismographs	Used	\$539.40	\$0.00
Science	Textbook – Oxford Science 9: Australian curriculum second Edition	Hired	\$80.00	\$16.00
	Photocopying – Printed Material / Workbooks	Owned	\$3.00	\$3.00
	Safety Glasses	Owned	\$4.50	\$4.50
	Experimental Consumables	Owned	\$10.00	\$10.00
				\$41.00
Visual Art	Unit 1 and 2 – Transformation, Ceramic Sculpture Develop and Create Sculpture Complete a Practical Trial and Final Project <i>Resources Required:</i> <i>Clay</i> <i>High GSM paper A4 and A3</i> <i>Paints, inks, oil pastels, colour pencils, watercolours, graphite pencils, erasers, markers, textas</i>	Owned	\$103.20	\$27.27
	Unit 3 and 4 Hidden Meaning, painting <i>Resources required:</i> <i>Magazines</i> <i>Digital colour images</i> <i>Coloured paper</i> <i>Felt pens, pencils, watercolours</i> <i>Paper, glue</i> <i>Paints, texture medium</i>	Owned	\$71.35	\$15.23

	<i>Canvas - medium size</i>			
	Photocopying – Printed Material / Workbooks	Owned	\$8.00	\$8.00
				\$50.50

The types of resources that will be included are:

- **Owned by the student** – e.g. student diary – once provided, these items are retained by the student and used at their discretion.
- **Hired to the student** for a specific duration of time – e.g. textbooks or musical instruments –these items will need to be returned to the school in reasonable condition at the end of the hire period or if the student leaves the school.
- **Used in class** – e.g. stationery, timber, material – these items will be used in class. Finished products that are created from these resources will generally come home with the student.

The Fee

If you are not satisfied that the SRS fee represents good value for money based on the inclusions below, you may choose not to participate in the SRS. If that is the case, please complete a new Participation Agreement Form, indicating that you no longer wish to participate. If you choose not to participate, you will be provided with a detailed list of resources that you will need to provide for the student.

Please be aware that there may be two lines of charges on your invoice indicating the GST inclusive and GST exclusive fees depending on the resources supplied by the SRS.

Cost

Cost of the 2026 SRS = \$324.00	Less Government TRA = \$164.00	Invoice amount = \$160.00
Plus subject charges for electives		
Visual Art (ART09)		\$50.00
Food Specialisations (TFD09)		\$94.00
Materials and Technologies (TMT09)		\$55.00
Design and Technologies (DAT09)		\$25.00

If you have opted to pay the SRS by term instalments you will receive an invoice for the full amount at the start of the school year and term instalments will be due on the following dates Friday, 20th February 2026, Friday, 15th May 2026 and Friday, 7th August 2026.

Financial Difficulty

If you would like to participate, but are experiencing financial difficulties, please contact the school to arrange an appointment to discuss options. Any information that you provide will be confidential.

Release of resources

Resources will not be distributed until the full or first payment has been paid to the school. Any unpaid invoices will be managed according to the department's Debt Management Procedure and may result in the student being excluded from the scheme and/or from participating in extra-curricular activities until payments are made.

Return of hired resources

A repair or replacement cost will be charged to the parent for any items that are damaged or not returned.

Contact us

If you have any queries regarding the SRS and its inclusions, please contact and arrange an appointment with **Sharlene Brosseuk, 4043 3222, option 4.**

