

PARENT PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS



Yarra Junction Primary School

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Dear Parent/Guardians,

Yarra Junction Primary School is looking forward to another great year of teaching and learning and would like to advise you of *YJPS's* parent payment arrangements for 2026.

Please find the fee schedule for 2026 attached. You are invited to purchase your curriculum contributions through Ross Office Supplies from September 22nd to November 6th, 2025, for delivery to your children on December 6th, 2025. You also have the option to purchase your own items and return them to your classroom teacher labelled by 16th December 2025. If you are purchasing your own stationery, can you please make sure the exercise books have the correct lines as this can impact your child's writing.

YJPS makes every effort to keep the cost of items and activities to a minimum and affordable for all parents.

Please refer to our 2026 Parent Payment Notice.

Financial Support for Families

YJPS understands that some families may experience financial difficulty and offers a range of support options, including:

- the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund
- *Payment plans available through the school via Compass with equal payments.*

For a confidential discussion about accessing these services, or if you would like to discuss an alternative payment arrangement, contact:

Catherine Aulich

Ph: 03 5967 1544, Email: catherine.aulich@education.vic.gov.au

Or

Lisa Rankin

Ph 03 5967 1544, Email: lisa.rankin@education.vic.gov.au

Payment Methods

Payment Via Credit card directly to Ross Office Supplies

Payment plan through compass with equal monthly payments can be organised through our office, **prior** to ordering the books.

Refunds

Refunds will only be offered if your child is no longer going to be attending the school and your items have not been used.

For further information on the Department's Parent Payment Policy please see a one-page overview attached.

Yours sincerely,

Lisa Rankin
Principal

Jessica Newell
School Council President

FEE SCHEDULE – PER GRADE LEVEL

Please find the itemised list of Curriculum Contributions and Extra-Curricular items and activities for your child. *YJPS* also continues to welcome your other contributions for 2026.

Curriculum Contributions

Below is a list of items and activities which the school considers essential for your child to learn the standard curriculum. You are invited to purchase these items through our online provider Ross Office Supplies or provide your own. Instructions on how to order will be included with the Parent Payment booklet sent to parents.

Curriculum Contributions	Amount
Book Pack Prep	\$ 162.16
Educational Programs - Essential Assessment	\$ 18.00
Art Supplies that children use throughout the year	\$ 20.00
Wellbeing Program (workbook)The Resilience Project	\$ 20.00
TOTAL	\$ 220.16

Curriculum Contributions	Amount
Book Pack Grade 1	\$ 126.33
Educational Programs – Essential Assessment	\$ 18.00
Art Supplies that children use throughout the year	\$ 20.00
Wellbeing Program (workbook)The Resilience Project	\$ 20.00
TOTAL	\$ 184.33

Curriculum Contributions	Amount
Book Pack Grade 2	\$ 126.33
Educational Programs –Essential Assessment	\$ 18.00
Art Supplies that children use throughout the year	\$ 20.00
Wellbeing Program (workbook) The Resilience project	\$ 20.00
TOTAL	\$ 184.33

Essential Student Learning Items	Amount
Book Pack Grade 3	\$ 182.01
Educational Program – Essential Assessment	\$ 18.00
Art Supplies that children use throughout the year	\$ 20.00
Wellbeing Program (workbook)The Resilience Project	\$ 20.00
TOTAL	\$ 240.01

Curriculum Contributions	Amount
Book Pack Grade 4	\$ 182.01
Educational Programs – Essential Assessment	\$ 18.00
Art Supplies that children use throughout the year	\$ 20.00
Wellbeing Program (workbook)The Resilience Project	\$ 20.00
TOTAL	\$ 240.01

Curriculum Contributions	Amount
Book Pack Grade 5	\$ 174.13
Educational Programs –Essential Assessment	\$ 18.00
Art Supplies that children use throughout the year	\$ 20.00
Wellbeing Program (workbook)The Resilience Project	\$ 20.00
TOTAL	\$ 232.13

Curriculum Contributions	Amount
Book Pack Grade 6	\$ 138.13
Educational Programs – Essential Assessment	\$ 18.00
Art Supplies that children use throughout the year	\$ 20.00
Wellbeing Program (workbook)The Resilience Project	\$ 20.00
TOTAL	\$ 196.13

Each school grade list book pack items can be viewed online at booklist.officebrands.com.au/Croydon, using the code tallfox26

If you choose to purchase your own book packs, can you please contact the office ASAP.

Parents are invited to pay the other Curriculum Contributions on your book list if you are purchasing your own book pack at the office.

Extra-Curricular Items and Activities

YJPS offers a range of Extra-Curricular items and activities that are additional to the delivery of the standard curriculum. These items and activities are designed to broaden the school experience for your child. These items are on a term-by-term basis and will be forwarded to you prior to the time of the activity and are on a user pay basis.

Extra-Curricular items and activities	Amount
<i>Camps, Excursions, Incursions</i>	<i>TBA</i>
<i>School Photos</i>	<i>TBA</i>
<i>Sporting Activities</i>	<i>TBA</i>
TOTAL	\$ TBA

Other Contributions

YJPS continues to welcome your Other Contributions to support our school, these are available along with the book packs and can be paid via the online book supplier, if you are supplying your own books then these payments can be made at the office.

You can make a general voluntary contribution that goes towards all our school's important priorities for 2026 as well as providing additional activities and services for all students. Alternatively, you can make a voluntary contribution to any of the specific priorities outlined in the table below:

Other Contributions	Tax deductible ?	Suggested Voluntary Contribution per child		Suggested Amount	Amount Paid
<i>Building Fund</i>	YES			\$30	
<i>Library Fund</i>	YES			\$20	
<i>ICT Fund</i>	NO			\$50	
<i>Hardship Fund</i>	NO			\$10	
<i>Maintenance Fund - per family</i>	NO			\$50	
<i>School council has established tax-deductible gift recipient status with the Australian Taxation Office for the Building Fund and the Library Fund.</i>					
TOTAL				\$160.00	

Your child will not be disadvantaged if you do not make a voluntary contribution. All records of voluntary contributions are kept confidential as well as your decision about whether to contribute or not.

If you have any questions regarding the 2026 Parent Payments, please contact the office via email on Yarra.Junction.PS@education.vic.gov.au or by calling 03 5967 1544.

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