



AUGUSTA PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers

2026 SCHOOL CHARGES AND CONTRIBUTIONS

The Augusta Primary School Board has endorsed the schedule of Contributions and Charges for 2026. The schedule is broken into four sections and will allow you to calculate all costs that may be incurred throughout the school year.

1. Contributions

Parents and carers are asked to contribute \$60.00 per student for the year. This amount is set in line with the School Education Regulations 2000.

Your contribution directly supports classroom learning. Funds help us purchase materials and resources that enrich the teaching and learning program for every child. While contributions are voluntary, they make a significant difference, and we greatly appreciate every family's support.

Below is a summary of how each contribution is used:

Kindergarten/Pre-primary		Years 1 - 6	
Additional (Resource Materials)	\$10.00	Specialist (Consumables)	\$10.00
Art/Craft Consumables (Stationery \$5 + Craft Materials \$5)	\$15.00	Art/Craft Consumables (Stationery \$5 + Craft Materials \$5)	\$10.00
English -Library Resource Materials \$5	\$15.00	English - Library Resource Materials \$5	\$15.00
Photocopy costs supplementary to all Learning Areas	\$10.00	Mathematics	\$10.00
Internet based programs (eg Reading Eggs)	\$10.00	Internet based programs (eg Reading Eggs)	\$10.00
		Photocopy (Supplementary to all Learning Areas)	\$5.00
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION	\$60.00	TOTAL CONTRIBUTION	\$60.00

PAYMENTS

CASH or EFTPOS at Administration office or

Compass Pay, Direct Deposit, Augusta PS BSB 633-000 A/C 207374299

To support families, the School Board recommends these flexible payment options:

Option 1 A single contribution of \$60.00 per student.

Option 2 Four equal contributions, each of \$15.00 made in the first week of each term.

Option 3 Two payments, each of \$30.00 made in the first week of each semester.

This works out to approximately \$1.50 per week. All contributions directly benefit our students, and our goal is to reach a 90% contribution rate to support the best possible learning environment for all children.

2. Charges for Extra Cost Options

We've prepared a table showing the estimated costs for excursions, incursions, and other activities planned for 2026. These estimates are based on the wonderful learning opportunities offered in previous years and are provided to help families plan ahead with confidence. The amounts listed represent the maximum that may be charged for each activity.

These charges have been reviewed and positively endorsed (ratified) by the School Board, ensuring they reflect good value and support enriching learning experiences for our students.

Some activities throughout the year involve additional costs. Payment is required for students to participate, and any unpaid charges will carry over into the following year.

The schedule includes:

- Excursions and incursions that bring learning to life for students.
- Specialist programs offered to selected students, such as PEAC or Instrumental Music.
- Additional experiences, including camps and extended learning opportunities.

If you have any questions about the charges or would like support, please contact the school office — we are always happy to help our families.

3. Items for Personal Use (Stationery List)

Each year group has a personalised list of items students will need for classroom learning. These typically include:

- Personal items used daily in lessons (e.g. pencils, books, stationery)
- Required items that support learning (e.g. workbooks, home readers). Please note that these specific items on the list should not be replaced with alternative brands or types.

Some items, such as tissues, may not be fully used during the year. These will be donated back to the school unless families request otherwise.

Students will need access to their stationery every day. Some items may need to be replaced during the year if they run out.

Thank you



Kim Kehoe
PRINCIPAL

24 November 2025

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CHARGES FOR EXTRA COST OPTIONS - SCHEDULE 2026

	Description	K	PP	1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Incursions <i>Visiting performances that come to the school</i>	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40
2	Class Excursions & Activities <i>Each class may participate in excursions & enrichment activities to a maximum cost of \$40 per student, per year.</i>	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40
3	Interm Swimming <i>Involves students from PP to Year 6. Lessons are held at the Margaret River Aquatic Centre. Costs help cover Pool Entry and bus hire to travel to and from the pool.</i>		\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50
4	Interschool Sporting Activities <i>Students participate in a range of Sporting and Athletic Carnivals. Cost is to assist with transport costs.</i>			\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20
5	Year 6 Camp <i>A camp for students in Years 6 in Term 3. This is a maximum cost per student but the actual cost may be much less dependent on individual fundraising.</i>								\$770
6	Innovative Classroom Activities <i>Classroom teachers may undertake classroom-based activities to enhance student learning. These activities may incur small, low-cost charges to cover non-standard expenses.</i>	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25
7	Afterschool Activities <i>After school special programs may be offered in the Year. (Eg Art club)</i>			\$70	\$70	\$70	\$70	\$70	\$70
8	Instrumental Music: Classical Guitar <i>Students in Years 5/6 identified with an interest in classical guitar are invited to undertake free guitar lessons. Cost parents may incur (music stand, foot stool, guitar book), this does not include cost of a guitar.</i>							\$100	\$100
9	PEAC/TAGS/SAER <i>Students identified by Region wide PEAC testing and through school based talented and gifted students (TAGS) identification processes may be invited to undertake activities and camps to provide enriched educational outcomes.</i>							\$100	\$100
	Totals	\$105	\$155	\$245	\$245	\$245	\$245	\$245	\$1,015

Please note;

- 1) **PEAC and Instrumental Music** are not included in the totals, as not all students in the year level are involved in these programs
- 2) \$80 is the maximum any student will pay for school incursions/excursions (items 1 and 2) – many classes will not be required to expend that amount.