



## 2024 Fee Schedule

Annual School Fees	
<b>Year 7, Year 8, Year 9</b>	\$8,900
<b>Year 10, Year 11, Year 12</b>	\$9,400
<b>Years 7 to 12, Annual School Fees less Fee Discount (as discussed below)</b>	
- For families with income <b>under \$55,000</b> per year	\$1,300
- For families with income \$55,000 to <b>under \$60,000</b> per year	\$1,800
Discounts	
<b>Fee Discount</b> Available to families with income <b>under \$90,000</b> per year. Fee Discount is sliding scale depending on family gross income.  Refer to “2024 Income Tested Fee Discount – Policies and Guidelines” for details. <a href="https://www.marymackillop.sa.edu.au/fees">https://www.marymackillop.sa.edu.au/fees</a>	Discount range \$200 to \$8,100
<b>Internal Sibling Discount</b> – Second sibling	Discount \$1,000
<b>Internal Sibling Discount</b> – Third and successive siblings	Discount \$4,000
<b>Full Payment Discount</b>	Discount \$300
Additional Fees	
Building Fund <u>per family</u> , voluntary, tax deductible	\$250
School Sports, each sport, payable each term	Up to \$120
Application, Acceptance and Withdrawal Fees	
Application Fee	NIL
Acceptance Fee, \$300 non-refundable and \$200 to be credited towards initial school fees	\$500
Withdrawal Fee <b>without</b> one term’s written notice to the Principal	\$1,000



## 2024 School Fees Policies

### Billing and Due Date

The annual school fees are billed in January 2024. **All accounts are due and payable on 15 February 2024.**

School fees are billed to both enrolling parents/guardians, who are jointly and severally liable for the payment of school fees and other charges.

### Payment

#### Payment in full

Parents paying in full the annual school fees by 15 February 2024 will get full payment discount of \$300 per student.

#### Payment plan

- If parents cannot pay in full by 15 February 2024, they will be allowed to pay in instalment provided they set up a payment plan no later than 5 February 2024. Parents need to complete the [Fee Payment Agreement and Direct Debit Request Form](#), downloadable from the College website.
- Existing Direct Debit Authority will roll-over to 2024 with the payment amount adjusted for 2024 school fees.
- The following payment plans are available.

	Monthly	Fortnightly
Payment methods	Direct Debit from Bank Account or Credit Card - Visa or Master Card	Direct Debit from Bank Account
Number of payments	10 equal payments	20 equal payments
Inclusive dates	15 February to 15 November 2024	15 February to 8 November 2024

### Policies on Overdue Accounts

The government funds a portion of the full costs of educating your daughters. Enrolling parents at Mary MacKillop College collectively contribute towards the unfunded costs of education via school fees. When parents do not pay their fair share of the standard annual school fees or the discounted school fees, they impose financial difficulty to the College who needs to pay its staff and suppliers. This situation is not encouraged and goes against the teaching of acting justly and fairly towards the College community. Accordingly:

- The College reserves the right to pass or assign overdue accounts to the debt collection agencies for debt recovery and/or for placement of a charge over property to secure the debt. Enrolling parents will pay the collection costs and legal costs as per their "Declaration - Payment of the College School Fees" in the Application for Enrolment and Enrolment Contract.
- Enrolling parents cannot extricate themselves from the contractual obligation to pay school fees and remain liable for overdue school fees incurred whilst they were the enrolling parents.



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## Other Billing and Payment Policies

- **No Split Bills.** In the case of separated or divorced parents, the College expects the parents to work out the payment arrangements between themselves. The College will not split bills between parents unless there is a Court Order and a written request to split bill signed by both parents. Each parent, if eligible, gets pro-rata fee discount.
- **Negotiated Payment.** Parents may negotiate with the College to pay fees using BPAY, EFT, cash or cheque.
- **Absence.** Parents are required to pay school fees even if the student is absent from the College for any length of time.
- **College Trips.** Students can participate in any interstate or overseas College trips provided their parents have no overdue prior years school fees and payment of current year school fees is up to date based on the notional ten equal monthly payment plan. Families on discounted school fees or on reduced payment plan should be able to demonstrate that the financial commitment for the trip will not result in financial hardship.

## Annual School Fees

The annual school fees are inclusive of the following:

- Tuition
- Academic competition fees
- Learning area consumables
- Technology resources
- Library resources, textbook hire, student ID
- Limited printing credits
- Swimming and sports carnivals
- Camps, Retreats, pastoral care programs (no refund/credit for non-attendance)
- College Year Book
- Locker and padlock hire
- Student related levies, insurance and ambulance cover.

## Internal Sibling Discount

To receive the internal sibling discount, all siblings must be concurrently studying at Mary MacKillop College and must have exactly the same set of enrolling parents.

## Building Fund

Donation to the Mary MacKillop College Building Fund is voluntary, tax-deductible and used entirely for the College building and facilities and its yearly maintenance and upkeep.

## School Sports Fees

Sports fees are in addition to the Mary MacKillop College school fees.

Sports fees will not be refunded unless withdrawal from sports participation occurs no later than seven days before start of sports season.



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## Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Policy

Mary MacKillop College adopts the Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Policy with respect to technology devices.

## Fees for External Courses

- Fees for external courses are in addition to the Mary MacKillop College school fees. There will be no pro-rata adjustment of the College school fees.
- Student enrolment in external courses is permitted provided parents have no overdue school fees and payment of current year school fees is up to date based on a notional ten equal monthly payment plan. Families on discounted school fees or on reduced payment plan should be able to demonstrate that the additional external course fees will not result in financial hardship.
- Parents are required to pay Mary MacKillop College the full amount of the external course fees before the College commences the enrolment process on behalf of the students.

## Acceptance Fee

Parents who pay the fee of \$500 upon acceptance of enrolment offer will have \$200 of this amount credited towards their initial school fees.

## Withdrawal Fee

- Parents who withdraw their daughter's enrolment from the College with the required minimum one term's written notice to the Principal will be charged weekly pro-rata school fees up to the date of withdrawal.
- Parents who withdraw their daughter's enrolment from the College **without** the required minimum one term's written notice to the Principal will be charged weekly pro-rata school fees up to the date of withdrawal plus a withdrawal fee of \$1,000.

## Items lost, damaged or not returned

Parents will be charged for items lost, damaged or not returned by students - Student ID \$10; Padlock for lockers \$25; Fiction books \$25; Non-fiction books \$50.

## Finance Enquiries

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