

PARENT PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS

GRADE 4 TO GRADE 6

Dear Parent

Cape Clear Primary School is looking forward to another great year of teaching and learning and would like to advise you of *Cape Clear Primary School's* parent payment arrangements for **2021**.

Please find the fee schedule for *Grade 4 to Grade 6* attached.

Cape Clear Primary School makes every effort to keep the cost of items and activities to a minimum and affordable for all parents. You will notice that all costs have been significantly subsidised again in 2021.

Financial Support for Families

Cape Clear Primary School understands that some families may experience financial difficulty and offers a range of support options, including:

- the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund
- Payment plans over the term and school year

As with all parent payments to the school, our School Council will provide opportunities for all parents experiencing financial difficulties to enter into alternative and confidential payment arrangements with the Principal.

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

Lachlan Day

Ph: 03 5342 2252 Email: Lachlan.Day@education.vic.gov.au

Payment Methods

- Cash
- Direct Debit

Refunds

Refunds are based on individual circumstances. Parents are encouraged to contact the office to discuss their options or organise a meeting with the school Principal.

For further information on the Department's Parent Payment Policy please see an overview attached.

Yours sincerely,



Lachlan Day
Principal



Patricia Sandwith
School Council President

FEE SCHEDULE – GRADE 4 TO GRADE 6

Please find the itemised list of Essential Student Learning Items and Optional Items for your child.

Payment methods will be communicated to parents throughout the year for;

- Essential Student Learning Items
- Optional items

Essential Student Learning Items (actual costs)

Below is a list of items and activities which are essential for your child to learn the standard curriculum. Our classroom package is communicated through the school, so that parents/carers know which items their children will need for their education.

Essential Student Learning Items	Amount	
Classroom Package- Booklist (see below for items)		\$95
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialist Subjects- consumable materials: paper, glue, paint etc 		\$10
Technology access fee: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Online subscriptions (Essential Assessments \$10 per student, PAT Assessment \$10 per student & Epic Books - Free) • Targeting Maths \$10 per student • Device access • Service, software and tech support 		\$40
	TOTAL	\$145
<i>Less Cape Clear Primary School Subsidy</i>		-\$95
	TOTAL AMOUNT OWING	\$50

Optional Items (Approximate costs)

Cape Clear Primary School offers a range of optional 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.

Optional Item	Amount
Grades 4 – 6 Excursions (4 x \$10.00)	\$40
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Transport and School Bus Costs (Approx)	\$100
Book week activity – Sovereign Hill	\$9
Sports day- price per family	\$8
Swim and Gym Program at Ballarat Aquatic Centre – Term 1, 2021	\$125
Grade 3 – 6 Camp	\$320
End of year activities	\$10
TOTAL	\$652
<i>Less Cape Clear Primary School Subsidy</i>	<i>-\$527</i>
TOTAL AMOUNT OWING	\$125.00

All optional payments must be paid in full before the activity/item happens or is given to the student for use.

Although we endeavour to be as transparent as possible, other optional activities may come up during the year. We will continue to give our parents enough notice to enable as many students to be involved as possible.

Grade 4 to Grade 6 Booklist Items

Name	Qty
14mm Writing Book	6
Grid Book Mathematics	1
Blank Large Scrap Books	3
Grey Lead Pencil	8
Red Pen	2
Blue Pen	2
12 Pack Coloured Pencil	2
12 Coloured Textas	2
Ruler	1
Eraser	2
Sharpener	1
Glue Sticks	4
Diary	1
Plastic A4 Pockets Button Lock	2
Targeting Maths Book	1
Handwriting Book	1
Scissors	1
Pencil Case	1