

2019 SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS AND CHARGES



The following Contributions & Charges have been established by the School Board in accordance with the Schools Education Act 1999; Sections 98, 99, 100, 108 & Regulations 59, 60, 61. There are different charges and contributions that parents and carers are asked to contribute each year. Please contact the office to arrange a payment plan if you are having trouble paying any of these requested contributions and charges.

Payment for charges and contributions can be made by cash/cheque at the School Office or by Direct Deposit to:

A/C Name: North Fremantle Primary School

BSB: 016 008

A/C No: 340948375

(Please put your child's name and activity or contribution as a reference when making a payment)

We would prefer for parents/carers to use the direct deposit payment method where possible. To save paper - receipts will only be issued when requested.

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

Voluntary School Contributions: NFPS request that parents/carers contribute **\$60.00*** per student per year. These voluntary funds are used to **supplement school expenditure** on curriculum resources and consumable items for:

- English
- Science
- Languages
- Mathematics
- HASS
- Technologies
- The Arts
- Health and PE

We would like to offer parents a number of options to assist with making your contribution.

Option 1 A single payment of \$60 at the beginning of Term 1.

Option 2 Two instalments of \$30 at the beginning of Term 1 and Term 3.

Option 3 Four instalments of \$15 made at the beginning of each Term.

**Families commencing at the school from Semester 2 onwards will be asked to pay \$40 per student.*

The contribution can be paid via Ziggies with your booklist order or can be submitted directly to the school office (cash or cheque) or paid into the school account (see School Bank Account Details for Direct Deposits). We would appreciate if these contributions could be paid at the start of Term 1.

Please note that the contribution of \$60 per child equates to just \$1.50 per week over the school year. Our aim in 2019 is to raise our community's contribution rate to at least 75% for the benefit of all our children.

Voluntary P&C Contributions: The North Fremantle Primary P&C request that parents/carers contribute **\$30.00** per family per year. The P&C work tirelessly to raise funds annually to contribute towards improving the school environment, providing new and exciting resources for students and help offset costs for all families.

**Families commencing at the school from Semester 2 onwards will be asked to pay \$20.*

The contribution can be paid via Ziggies with your booklist order or can be submitted directly to the school office (cash or cheque) or paid into the school account (see School Bank Account Details for Direct Deposits). We would appreciate if these contributions could be paid at the start of Term 1.

ACTIVITY CHARGES *(Estimated Maximum Charge)*

Activity Charges: Throughout the school year there are many incursions and excursions available to support and enrich the education program we offer at the school (eg dance, museum visit, etc). These activities are in addition to the regular school program and participation is based upon the cost of the activity being paid for by the parents/carers. Students will only incur costs when they are involved in a particular activity.

You are encouraged to pay for your child's activities for the year in advance at the start of Term 1 which will save time paying different amounts of money throughout the year. Any credit remaining on your child's account can be transferred to a sibling, carried forward into the following year or refunded at the end of the year (or when your child leaves the school). Charges will be deducted automatically as your child participates in an activity unless instructed otherwise. Throughout the year your child may have the opportunity to participate in other optional programs.

Payment reminders will be sent home once per term. If you experience any difficulty with paying your activity charges please contact the office immediately and we can discuss a payment plan.

Please note that the cost of transport and entry fees are calculated on the number of children attending therefore we still have to pay for your child even if they are absent on the day. For this reason refunds will only be given at the request of the parent or carer.

ITEM	K	P	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Excursions/Incursions	\$80	\$150	150	\$150	\$150	\$150	\$180	\$180
In Term Swimming		\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45
School Camp							\$300	\$300
Surfing Lessons							\$90	\$90
Graduation								\$60

PERSONAL ITEMS *(See separate lists from Ziggies)*

Personal Items (Booklist): Year level requirement lists will be distributed to parents/carers. These items may be purchased from our preferred supplier - *Ziggies* or a retailer of your choice and the quantities indicated are a guide only. Your child will need to have the listed materials each school day so it may be necessary to replace some items during the course of the year. Numerous items may be retained from the previous year.

	K	P	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
TOTAL	\$30.70	\$83.80	\$147.40	\$132.85	\$151.20	\$157.90	\$140.75	\$131.85

OPTIONAL COSTS/SERVICES

	K	P	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
SIMS Instrumental Music							\$120	\$120
PEAC							\$300	\$300
Leavers Jackets via P&C								\$80
Arts Festival Participation							\$300	\$300

OPTIONAL CHARITABLE COLLECTIONS

Charitable Collections: Parents should be aware that some Charity Collections are organised throughout the school year. Funds raised are given directly to the charity concerned, eg Princess Margaret Hospital.

Please note that the level of Charges and Contributions has been approved by the School Board.

If you require further information relating to charges and contributions please do not hesitate to contact the office on 9335 2743 or by emailing northfremantle.ps@education.wa.edu.au.