



Dear Parents/Guardians,

This letter includes important information about the fees and inclusions for the SRS. If you have previously opted in to the SRS your participation is assumed for the remainder of your child's enrolment, unless you inform the school otherwise by completing a new participation agreement form. If you are a new parent to the school, this information will assist you in making a decision as to whether you wish to participate in the SRS.

What is provided by the Queensland Government ?

The Queensland Government supports children's education by providing funding for instruction (teachers), facilities (school grounds and buildings, internet), and administration (staff to run the school). Funding for schools does not extend to individual student resources such as textbooks, equipment for personal use, and many items used by the student in the classroom.

The SRS helps parents to source these resources. The school can purchase resources at lower rates due to its bulk buying power. Resources such as textbooks or musical instruments that will be used over a period of time are hired to students to further reduce costs for families. Participating in the SRS also offers a convenient way for parents to source the items that their child needs for school, and ensures that all students have access to the same standard of resources.

The types of resources that will be included are:

- **Owned by the student** – e.g. student diary – once provided, these items are retained by the student and used at their discretion.
- **Hired to the student** for a specific duration of time – e.g. textbooks or musical instruments—these items will need to be returned to the school in reasonable condition at the end of the hire period or if the student leaves the school.
- **Used in class** – e.g. stationery, timber, material – these items will be used in class. Finished products that are created from these resources will generally come home with the student.

The Fee

Deposit (20% min) by 31 January 2026 and full payment due by end of March 2026, or parents may wish to pay in instalments over a longer period of time - please complete a payment plan form (link below) and return to the College or contact 5436 9388.

[Payment Plan Application](#)

If you are not satisfied that the SRS fee represents good value for money based on the inclusions (over the page), you may choose not to participate in the SRS. If that is the case, please complete a new Participation Agreement Form, indicating that you no longer wish to participate. If you choose not to participate, you will be provided with a detailed list of resources that you will need to provide for the student.

The TRA

The Department of Education provides a Textbook and Resource Allowance (TRA) to assist parents with the cost of textbooks and other education resources for eligible Years 7 to 12 students.

For those students who are eligible to receive the TRA, the TRA will be applied to reduce the cost of participation as shown in the table below. Thus the SRS invoice you receive will be the full cost of participation in the SRS minus the TRA already held at the school.

Please be aware that there may be two lines of charges on your invoice indicating the GST inclusive and GST exclusive fees depending on the resources supplied by the SRS .

Cost Breakdown

The diagrams below reflect how the TRA has been deducted from the SRS fee for eligible students who have opted in to the Curriculum SRS.

Cost of SRS	TRA	SRS invoice
\$662.00	— \$357.00 =	\$305.00

Financial Difficulty

If you would like to participate, but are experiencing financial difficulties, please contact the school on 5436 9388 to discuss options. Any information that you provide will be confidential.

Release of resources

Resources will not be distributed until the full or first payment has been paid to the school. Any unpaid invoices, will be managed according to the department's Debt Management Procedure and may result in the student being excluded from the scheme and/or from participating in extra-curricular activities until payments are made.

Return of hired resources

A repair or replacement cost will be charged to the parent for any items that are damaged or not returned.

Contact us

If you have any queries regarding the SRS and its inclusions, please contact and arrange an appointment with a member of our finance team:

Phone - 5436 9388

The Curriculum Student Resource Scheme Inclusions

The Curriculum Student Resource Scheme (SRS) is made up of two components. The components are general items and resources for core and elective subjects. The tables below detail the SRS inclusions for these components.

General Items	Resource	Resource	cost	parent)
General Items				
	Subscription - Clickview	Hired	\$13.00	\$13.00
	Subscription - Adobe Creative Cloud	Hired	\$659.88	\$10.00
	Subscription - Jacplus	Hired	\$125.00	\$125.00
Grand Total			\$797.88	\$148.00

Subject	Resource	Resource	cost	parent)
Business				
	Digital Textbook - Business QCE	Used	\$80.00	\$80.00
English				
	documentaries	Hired	\$20.00	\$2.00
	Photocopied class notes	Owned	\$10.00	\$10.00
	Novel e.g. Swallow the Air / 1984 (at least one studied)	Hired	\$30.00	\$6.00
	Non-fiction e.g. Talking to my Country / The Crossroad	Hired	\$25.00	\$5.00
	General texts e.g. Nelson English for QCE / Senior Text Types / MacMillan English	Hired	\$180.00	\$18.00
	Play e.g. The Crucible	Hired	\$30.00	\$6.00
	Digital Theatre subscription - The Crucible	Used	\$1,250.00	\$10.00
	Short Story texts eg The Turning	Hired	\$30.00	\$6.00
	Poetry texts e.g. Blue light, clear atoms and Among Ants, Between Bees	Hired	\$30.00	\$3.00
	Drama performance	Used	\$10.00	\$10.00

Essential English				
	General Texts eg MacMillan Essential English, Nelson Essential English for QCE, Cambridge Essential English for Queensland Fiction x 2 e.g. Jasper Jones / The Story of Tom Brennan	Hired	\$180.00	\$18.00
	DVDs of set films / documentaries	Hired	\$40.00	\$4.00
	Photocopied class notes	Owned	\$15.00	\$15.00
English & Literature Extension				
	DVDs of set films / documentaries	Hired	\$80.00	\$8.00
	Photocopied class notes	Owned	\$10.00	\$10.00
	Novel e.g. Secret River / The Book Thief (at least three texts studied)	Hired	\$75.00	\$15.00
	Non-fiction texts eg Intimations	Hired	\$20.00	\$4.00
	General texts e.g. Introducing Literature / Literary Terms / Beginning Theory	Hired	\$200.00	\$40.00
	Short Stories eg Helen Garner	Hired	\$25.00	\$5.00
	Digital Theatre subscription - An Inspector Calls	Used	\$1,250.00	\$10.00
Literature				
	Photocopied class notes	Owned	\$10.00	\$10.00
	Drama performance	Used	\$1,250.00	\$10.00
	Novel e.g. The Poisonwood Bible / The Dry / In Cold Blood (at least three studied)	Hired	\$50.00	\$10.00
	Play e.g. The Tempest / A Man for all Seasons / Rainbow's End	Hired	\$50.00	\$5.00
	Digital Theatre subscription	Used	\$1,250.00	\$10.00
Biology				
	Nelson learning platform	Hired	\$42.23	\$42.23
	Photocopies	Used	\$5.00	\$5.00
Psychology				
	Nelson learning platform	Used	\$42.23	\$42.23
Science In Practice				
	Student workbooks photocopied	Used	\$30.00	\$30.00

Chemistry				
	Photocopies	Used	\$5.00	\$5.00
	Nelson learning platforms	Hired	\$42.23	\$42.23
Physics				
	Photocopies	Used	\$5.00	\$5.00
	Nelson learning platforms	Hired	\$42.23	\$42.23
General Mathematics				
	Pearson General Mathematics Exam Preparation Workbook	Owned	\$35.00	\$35.00
Mathematical Methods				
	Stickers, folders, paper, protractors, highlighters, cardboard	Used	\$6.00	\$6.00
	Pearson Mathematical Methods Exam Preparation Workbook	Owned	\$35.00	\$35.00
Essential Mathematics				
	Stickers, folders, paper, protractors, highlighters, cardboard	Used	\$6.00	\$6.00
	Photocopied class workbooks	Used	\$20.00	\$15.00
	Mathletics	Hired	\$99.00	\$7.00
Engineering				
	Stickers, folders, paper, protractors, highlighters, cardboard	Used	\$6.00	\$6.00
	Photocopied class workbooks	Used	\$10.00	\$8.00
	Specialist Engineering consumables	Used	\$300.00	\$40.00
	Glue guns	Used	\$5.00	\$5.00
	Balsa wood, balsa cement, etc	Used	\$80.00	\$40.00
Digital Solutions				
	Nelson learning platform	Used	\$42.23	\$42.23
	Digital Textbook - Digital Solutions	Used	\$80.00	\$80.00
	Specialised network software	Used	\$175.00	\$10.00
Information & Communications Technologies				
	Printing, reference material to compliment and/or substitute textbooks	Owned	\$10.00	\$10.00
Early Childhood Studies				
	Consumables, craft materials	Used	\$250.00	\$35.00