

# Chisholm Catholic College

## Schedule of Fees & Charges

### 2017

#### **ENROLMENT APPLICATION FEE:**

This is a non-refundable payment of \$55.00 (including GST).

#### **ADVANCED FEE ON ACCEPTANCE:**

\$500 non-refundable of which \$300 shall be credited to the fee account and the remainder to the College's facilities maintenance fund.

#### **ANNUAL FEE:**

This is made up as follows:

1. **Tuition: 82% of Total Composite Fee**
  - Equipment and teaching aids, maintenance of equipment, power or chemicals required to make equipment operable;
  - Handouts, programmes, worksheets, test or examination papers;
  - Chemicals and other materials used in science classes; and
  - Religious education resource books.
  
2. **Amenities and Levies: 18% of Composite Fee**
  - Camps**
    - Christian Living Camps, Religious Seminars, Retreats and RE Texts for Yr 8-10;
    - Outdoor Education and Adventure Camps (with the exception of costs for the alternative Year 11 Special Camp activities selected by students);
    - Activity Days;
  
  - Publications**
    - All Information Handbooks
    - Carolean
    - College Annual
    - Student Diaries
  
  - Additional Student Services**
    - Administrative services
    - All Competition fees
    - All Subject costs
    - Capital Development
    - College bus travel
    - Insurance Coverage 24/365
    - Athletics
    - Most Excursions
    - Photocopying
    - Technology includes Printing, Downloads & Licence costs.

#### **THE COMPOSITE TUITION FEES**

<b>Year 7</b>	<b>\$5080</b>
<b>Year 8</b>	<b>\$5355</b>
<b>Year 9</b>	<b>\$5630</b>
<b>Year 10</b>	<b>\$5905</b>
<b>Year 11</b>	<b>\$6180</b>
<b>Year 12</b>	<b>\$6455</b>

*In line with cost increases and the recommendation from the Catholic Education Office, our Tuition fees have increased by approximately 2% for 2017.*

## EARLY PAYMENT DISCOUNT

If the Total Annual Fee applicable to your child or children is paid by **16<sup>th</sup> February 2017**, a discount of **5%** will apply.

## DISCOUNTS FOR SIBLINGS.

The following discounts on tuition fees will apply:

15% per year for the second child.

40% per year for the third child.

Note: Where four children are enrolled at the College from the same family, **NO** Tuition Fees will apply to the fourth child.

## PAYMENT OPTIONS FOR TOTAL ANNUAL FEE.

The annual fees are payable by:

- (i) **one annual payment, or**
- (ii) **three instalments, or**
- (iii) **by special arrangement with the College Accounts Department, renegotiated annually.**

If the instalment option is selected, the Fee for each payment will be as follows:

Year 7	\$1693	Year 10	\$1968
Year 8	\$1785	Year 11	\$2060
Year 9	\$1877	Year 12	\$2152

**These amounts apply only to the first child in the family.**

All instalments are payable on or before the following dates:

1st instalment	Thursday	16 <sup>th</sup> February 2017
2nd instalment	Thursday	11 <sup>th</sup> May 2017
3rd instalment	Thursday	17 <sup>th</sup> August 2017

The College provides many alternatives for the payment of fees which include Parent Portal, Direct Debit, Credit Card (Visa and Mastercard only) and BPay. The College does not charge any fees for use of credit cards.

## HEALTH CARE CARD (HCC) HOLDERS

In accordance with Catholic Education Commission policy the College provides considerable assistance with Tuition fees. Please note that the table below shows the HCC Payment that applies to HCC holders **only**. This is made up of the Tuition fee component of the composite College fees **plus** the amenities and levies (currently 18% of the year's fee.)

		<b>FEEES</b>			
<b>TUITION COMPONENT</b>		<b>AMENITIES / LEVIES</b>		<b>=</b>	<b><u>HCC PAYMENT</u></b>
<b>Year 7</b>	<b>\$1400</b>	<b>+</b>	<b>\$ 955</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>\$2355</b>
<b>Year 8</b>	<b>\$1400</b>	<b>+</b>	<b>\$1000</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>\$2400</b>
<b>Year 9</b>	<b>\$1400</b>	<b>+</b>	<b>\$1045</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>\$2445</b>
<b>Year 10</b>	<b>\$1400</b>	<b>+</b>	<b>\$1090</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>\$2490</b>
<b>Year 11</b>	<b>\$1400</b>	<b>+</b>	<b>\$1135</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>\$2535</b>
<b>Year 12</b>	<b>\$1400</b>	<b>+</b>	<b>\$1180</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>\$2580</b>

## **INSTRUMENTAL TUITION**

This tuition fee, if applicable, is \$34 per half-hour individual lesson per week. The Music Department operates an Instrument Hire Scheme. The cost for the hire of an instrument is \$62 per semester.

**Note:** Accounts for Music Tuition and instrument hire must be paid within **14** days of accounts being rendered each term.

## **ONSITE**

For students who decide to take part in this course in Years 11 & 12 there is a fee. The amount for 2017 is \$505.00

## **CAMPS**

The costs of the compulsory camps:

- Year 9 - Outdoor Education Camps
- Year 11 - Adventure Camps
- Year 12 - Christian Living Camps

are covered in the annual composite fee, except where a student elects an alternative Year 11 camp which may require the hire of equipment and/or instructors, and therefore could attract an additional fee at the time of booking and registration.

## **INSURANCE**

Accidents which require medical treatment occur from time to time. Under State Law not all medical costs can be covered by the College's insurances; for example, rebates paid by HBF, Medibank and Medicare. By law, any gap is not claimable under this insurance, also non-Medicare items are limited to certain activities such as school and sporting activities.

Our students are covered with Catholic Church Insurances for a standard 24 hours a day, 365 days of the year policy. Parents may wish to take out additional cover for a very small yearly premium which may offset some of the additional costs associated with injuries. Information on the CCI School Care Policy that the College uses is available at Student Reception and our college website.

As the College requires student participation in the Sports, Physical Education subjects and camps, adequate insurance cover has been included in the Colleges General Insurance Policies to cover major accidents and Public Liability, while students are involved in College organised activities.

## **PARENTS GROUP LEVY**

The fee is a contribution for the year of \$80 per family and is shown on the account.

It is important that all parents contribute towards projects in the College, most particularly, those who cannot assist with time and labour.

## **ASSISTANCE WITH FEES**

No Catholic student is excluded from this College because of the inability of his or her parents to pay the full annual fee. However, parents are expected to contribute to the best of their ability.

## **CONCESSIONS**

The College Board is sympathetic towards parents with genuine needs who require financial assistance. Parents seeking a concession should submit an application with supporting evidence to the College Business Manager. Application forms are available on request from the Accounts Office. All concessions are assessed on an annual basis.

## **NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL**

Parents are required to give a **full term's** notice in writing if they intend to withdraw their son or daughter from the College during the course of the school year. Please note that in the event of failure to advise the College of withdrawal, a full term's fee will apply.

## **FURTHER INFORMATION**

The payment of College fees forms part of the Offer and Acceptance contract signed by parents when a student is enrolled at Chisholm Catholic College. GST will be charged where applicable. Parents seeking further information should contact the College Business Manager.

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## **COLLEGE BUILDING FUND PROJECT**

Contributions in 2017 will help towards refurbishment of facilities. Parents are invited to contribute to the College Building Fund on a voluntary basis, to assist with College improvements.

**All donations to the Fund are tax deductible.**

Please complete and return with your payment the Donation Card included with your first fee account. All donations will be receipted separately from the annual College fees.

**For any additional information regarding the College please refer to the school website:  
<http://www.chisholm.wa.edu.au/>**