

PARENT PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS 2021

Dear Parent or Guardian

Blackburn English Language School is looking forward to another great year of teaching and learning and would like to advise you of School's parent payment arrangements for 2021.

Please find the fee schedule for relevant to your Campus attached at the end of this letter.

Blackburn English Language School makes every effort to keep the cost of items and activities to a minimum and affordable for all parents.

Essential Education Items - total costs per student

- primary student \$125.00
- secondary student \$175.00

Financial Support for Families

Blackburn English Language School understands that some families may experience financial difficulty and offers a range of support options, including:

- Parents/Guardians of students holding a refugee visa at the time of enrolment will receive a 50% reduction of the Essential Education Items at listed above.
- A parent or legal guardian who is the holder of a Veterans Affairs Gold Card, a current Centrelink Health Care Card, Pensioner Concession Card or a temporary foster parent may be eligible for the Camps Sports and Excursion Funding (CSEF). Further information and forms can be obtained from your schools front office. This will be explained at the enrolment interview.

For a confidential discussion about accessing these services, or if you would like to discuss alternative payment arrangements, the office administrator or Family Liaison Officer at the relevant Campus can assist you during your enrolment interview.

Payment Methods

Payment are to be made at the General Office, using cash or EFTPOS. If payment cannot be made in full at the time of enrolment, a payment plan can be set up.

Refunds

Students who do not commence the program following enrolment, will be eligible to a full refund.

The Department's Parent Payment Policy and a breakdown of payments for essential is attached.

Yours sincerely,

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Principal

Fiona Purcell
School Council President