

Fee Schedule

1 January 2009

Annual Tuition Fees

Secondary Years 8 - 12

1 st Child	2 nd Child	3 rd Child	Subsequent Children
\$4,250	\$3,610	\$2,550	\$1,060

Fees

Fees are payable in advance of each school term. The total term fee is expected to be paid on the first day of each school term. **A concession of 6% is offered on a year's fee paid in advance before 28 February each year.**

Payments may be made by the following methods:

- Bank Direct Debit
- Cash or Cheque
- Credit Card
- EFTPOS at the College office

Payments made weekly, fortnightly or monthly will only be accepted using the Bank Direct Debit authority system on your cheque, savings or credit card account (*authority forms for this method are available from the College office*).

Pension rates available on application.

Overseas Students

Application Form/Conditions

Special conditions apply to full fee-paying overseas students. An application package is available on request.

Boarding Facilities

Boarding facilities may be available for secondary students attending Swan Christian College. Information is available from the College.

Fee Schedule provided on request.

Feeder Schools

- Beechboro Christian School
- Kalamunda Christian School
- Midland Christian School
- Mundaring Christian College (*for entry into Year 11 only*)

Annual Billing

Kindly note, that from 1 January 2009, the Association will be changing to annual billing for the year's fees. Previously this was done on a term basis. It should be noted that there is no change to the method of payment, or the payment terms, which remain as is. This encourages parents to take the opportunity of paying the fees in advance and obtaining the 6% fee rebate. Statements will still be sent out quarterly, where there are fee balances outstanding.

Additional Charges

Some additional curricular activities, books and consumables may be charged for separately.

Admin Fee

Please note that fees are payable in advance of each school term. If fees are not paid within 15 days after the commencement of that term, then a monthly direct bank debit must be arranged through the school Business Manager or the SCEA Office.

Where no direct debit is in place and fees remain unpaid by the end of a term, the SCEA office will charge an administration fee of \$50 per month until the arrear fees are paid.

Bank Fees

In the event of there being insufficient funds to make payments by any one of the above mentioned methods, the fees from banks and other institutions will apply.

Building and Library fund

To supplement tuition fees, the Association has established a Library and Building Fund. Donations to both of these funds are tax deductible and play a crucial role in meeting the financial needs of the College. Should you require more information about payments into these funds, or wish to do so by Debit Order, please contact the Business Manager or the SCEA Office.

Collection Fees

Any expenses, costs or disbursements incurred by the Association in recovering any outstanding monies including debt collection fees and solicitors costs will be paid by the parent or guardian.

Education Tax Refund

Recently in September the Government announced the introduction of the Education Tax Refund into the Parliament. Potentially, as a result of this legislation, eligible families will receive a 50 per cent refund every year for eligible education expenses up to \$375 per primary school child per year and \$750 per secondary school child per year. Eligible families will be able to recoup the cost of key purchases for their children's education, including: Laptops, home computers and associated costs, home internet connections, printers, education software, trade tools for use at school, school text books and stationery.

This is effective from 1 July 2008 and families will need to provide receipts as evidence to lodge with their tax returns after 2008/09 financial year. In order to avail yourselves of this Education Tax Refund, the Association recommends that you take advice from your financial advisor or tax agent.

Enrolment Bond

A non-refundable fee of \$100 is payable upon acceptance of an enrolment offer.

Notice of Withdrawal

One term's notice in writing must be given to the Principal before the withdrawal of a student from the College. Failure to give such notice will render parents or guardians liable for the equivalent of one term's fees in lieu of notice.



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