

2020 ANNUAL FEE SCHEDULE



| JUNIOR SCHOOL Prep to Year 3 | Fees | 1 st Child | 2 nd Child | 3 rd Child | 4 th Child | 5 th Child |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | School Fees | \$ 1,465 | \$ 1,100 | \$ 790 | \$ 360 | \$ - |
| | Learning Levies | \$ 1,175 | \$ 1,175 | \$ 1,175 | \$ 1,175 | \$ 1,175 |
| | Capital Levy | \$ 680 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| | P & F Levy | \$ 30 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| Total Annual Fee - Junior | | \$ 3,350 | \$ 2,275 | \$ 1,965 | \$ 1,535 | \$ 1,175 |

LEARNING LEVIES include: learning resources, subject costs, book packs, technology and year level activities

| JUNIOR SCHOOL Year 4 to Year 6 | Fees | 1 st Child | 2 nd Child | 3 rd Child | 4 th Child | 5 th Child |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | School Fees | \$ 1,465 | \$ 1,100 | \$ 790 | \$ 360 | \$ - |
| | Learning Levies | \$ 1,425 | \$ 1,425 | \$ 1,425 | \$ 1,425 | \$ 1,425 |
| | Capital Levy | \$ 680 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| | P & F Levy | \$ 30 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| Total Annual Fee - Junior | | \$ 3,600 | \$ 2,525 | \$ 2,215 | \$ 1,785 | \$ 1,425 |

LEARNING LEVIES include: learning resources, subject costs, book packs, technology (including a College Managed Device) and year level activities

| MIDDLE SCHOOL Year 7 to Year 9 | Fees | 1 st Child | 2 nd Child | 3 rd Child | 4 th Child | 5 th Child |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | School Fees | \$ 2,610 | \$ 1,945 | \$ 1,320 | \$ 650 | \$ - |
| | Learning Levies | \$ 1,680 | \$ 1,680 | \$ 1,680 | \$ 1,680 | \$ 1,680 |
| | Capital Levy | \$ 680 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| | P & F Levy | \$ 30 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| Total Annual Fee - Middle | | \$ 5,000 | \$ 3,625 | \$ 3,000 | \$ 2,330 | \$ 1,680 |

LEARNING LEVIES include: learning resources, subject costs, technology (including a College Managed Device) and year level activities

| SENIOR PHASE Year 10 to Year 12 | Fees | 1 st Child | 2 nd Child | 3 rd Child | 4 th Child | 5 th Child |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | School Fees | \$ 2,810 | \$ 2,105 | \$ 1,400 | \$ 700 | \$ - |
| | Learning Levies | \$ 1,580 | \$ 1,580 | \$ 1,580 | \$ 1,580 | \$ 1,580 |
| | Capital Levy | \$ 680 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| | P & F Levy | \$ 30 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| Total Annual Fee - Senior | | \$ 5,100 | \$ 3,685 | \$ 2,980 | \$ 2,280 | \$ 1,580 |

LEARNING LEVIES include: learning resources, subject costs (excluding Marine), technology and year level activities

SIBLING DISCOUNTS: Unity sibling discounts on School Fees are charged in chronological order (ie the eldest child is the 1st child) and all siblings must be charged to the same account holders to be eligible for the 2nd, 3rd & 4th child discount.

SIBLINGS AT BCE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS: BCE sibling discounts on School Fees are offered to families with students at another Brisbane Catholic Education School on the Sunshine Coast. (Siblings 1:5%; 2:10%; 3:20% 4:40%).

Co-Curricular Private Instrumental Music Lessons

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| Individual Lesson \$35 each for 30 min \$312.50/Term | \$312.50/term |
| Group Lesson (2 students subject to availability) \$22 each for 30 min \$202/Term | \$202.00/term |

NB: Fees include Music Book, Bag & Ensemble. See 2020 Lesson Conditions for Private Lessons P-12.

Certificate Courses - Year 11 & 12

| | Total Cost | 1 st Year | 2 nd Year |
|---|------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Year 11 & 12 Marine Studies | \$ 1,130 | \$ 565 | \$ 565 |
| Certificate II Business | \$ 325 | \$ 325 | \$ - |
| Certificate III Business | \$ 325 | \$ 325 | \$ - |
| Certificate III Christian Ministry | \$ 690 | \$ 370 | \$ 320 |
| Certificate III Engineering | \$ 700 | \$ 350 | \$ 350 |
| Certificate III Fitness | \$ 390 | \$ 390 | \$ - |
| Certificate IV Fitness | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| Certificate II/III Health (Health Hub) | \$ 650 | \$ 200 | \$ 450 |
| Certificate I Hospitality | \$ 100 | \$ 100 | \$ - |
| Certificate II Hospitality | \$ 700 | \$ 350 | \$ 350 |
| Certificate IV Justice Studies | \$ 600 | \$ 300 | \$ 300 |
| Certificate III Music Industry - 1-2 years \$33/unit of competency, plus \$100 resource fee annually. Families billed direct by the RTO. | | | |
| Certificate II & III Sports Coaching | \$ 300 | \$ - | \$ 300 |

NB: Certificates registered with external Registered Training Organisations (RTO) are non-refundable. Unity RTO certificates refunds will be made on a pro-rata basis. VET Certificate course charges are paid to the (RTO) upon enrolment and must be paid to be awarded the qualification.

Additional Costs

ADDITIONAL CO-CURRICULAR COSTS ARE CHARGED ON A USER PAYS BASIS:

- * Co-curricular activities include: boat licences; registrations, competitions (sport, arts, etc); faith formation activities; overnight excursions (excluding camps); overseas trips; etc.
- * Co-curricular charges are payable via parent portal using a BPoint or Trybooking link.
- * Costs will need to be paid in full before the activity takes place.

DAMAGE TO COLLEGE MANAGED STUDENT DEVICES:

- * Within the 3-year device loan period, up to two incidents of non-warranty/accidental damage will incur a \$150 fee (excluding LCD screens). Where the repair/replacement cost is less than \$150, payment of the lesser amount applies which will not be considered as one of the two incidents. Subsequent incidents of non-warranty/accidental damage will incur full repair/replacement costs. All fees will be added to College fees.
- * A \$250 fee is applicable for the first broken/damaged LCD screen. Subsequent damaged screens during the 3-year device loan period will incur full replacement costs. All fees will be added to College fees.
- * All instances where loss or damage is the result of negligence, carelessness, inattention or apparent disregard for the technology device or accessories are not covered by insurance, the parent/guardian/carer may be required to pay the full replacement value of the device and/or components supplied with the device.
- * Replacement cost for loss/theft/damage to library books and protective aids for technology devices
- * Costs will be added to the College Statement of Fees and Levies, due and payable when incurred.

FEE POLICY

College Fees

COLLEGE FEE POLICY: Unity College is committed to providing an Ecumenical education to children whose parents desire it. The acceptance by parents of a position at Unity College assumes the ability to pay fees in full and that parents will agree to a payment arrangement so that fees are paid by the due date. In order to administer the fee collection policy we must administer compassion while striving for justice and equality for all in our community.

ENROLMENT FEES: when a place is offered at the College, a non-refundable Enrolment Fee of \$200 is payable and \$100 for each additional child.

SCHOOL FEES: are based on the recommendations of Brisbane Catholic Education.

CAPITAL LEVIES: a compulsory Levy charged per family, used to meet current and future building project needs. This levy is NOT tax deductible.

P&F LEVIES: are collected on behalf of the Unity College P&F Association. This Levy is used to fund projects aimed to improve student facilities. This levy is NOT tax deductible.

Fee Payments

BILLING: College fees are billed annually and are payable in full by the statement due date, **unless a regular BPay payment arrangement is established** - your statement shows the BPay Biller Code and Reference number.

EARLY PAYMENT DISCOUNT: **\$200 will be applied to the account**, if payment of the account is made in full, paid by the statement due date.

REGULAR PAYMENT ARRANGEMENT: arrangements can be setup weekly, fortnightly, monthly or term in advance, paying 25% of your account each Term. To reduce the payment value start the payment arrangement in January.

COMMUNICATION: It is important to contact the College if you are unable to pay your fees by the due date. Contacting the College as early as possible allows us to come to an arrangement before circumstances become more difficult. Please add the finance email address to your email contacts to ensure you receive all correspondence from the Finance Team. Should you have any queries or concerns about fees, please feel free to contact the **Finance team on 07 5490 5716 or email SCAWFinance@bne.catholic.edu.au**.

HARDSHIP: **Sometimes we need a little help! No family should endure financial hardship due to school fees. Financial hardship is considered annually.** Please contact the Finance Team in Term 1 to provide the necessary documentation required by BCE to support an alternate payment plan.

FEE COLLECTION: The accounts of families, who ignore their financial responsibility to our school community without communicating with us, will be passed on to our Debt Collection Agency.