

St Mary's 2025 Fee Schedule

School Fees and Levies for 2025 have been set for the next year in accordance with the Principal, Accountant and the advice of the School Advisory Council. Please find the following notification for the 2025 fee schedule. Accounts will be generated and invoices will be emailed the second week of February 2025.

FEE Schedule Prep to Grade 6						
2025	Capital Fee	Family Fee	Student Levy	IT Levy	Maintenance Levy Rebate	TOTAL
1 Child Family	100.00	1895.00	365.00	110.00	110.00	\$2580.00
2 Child Family	100.00	1895.00	730.00	220.00	110.00	\$3055.00
3 Child Family	100.00	1895.00	1095.00	330.00	110.00	\$3530.00
4 Child family	100.00	1895.00	1460.00	440.00	110.00	\$4005.00
Additional charges scheduled to Grade 6 only						
Camp Fee			470.00			\$470.00

Capital/Family Fee The capital levy is used to fund significant infrastructure projects, including the maintenance and development of school facilities. This may include building renovations, playground upgrades, and other capital improvements that create a safe and modern learning environment. Investing in infrastructure ensures that students have access to high-quality facilities conducive to their learning.

Student Levy Tuition fees cover the basic educational costs associated with providing quality teaching and learning experiences. This includes salaries for teachers, classroom resources, and support services for students.

Technology Fees Technology fees are aimed at integrating modern technology into the classroom. This includes purchasing and maintaining hardware (like computers and tablets), software licenses, and ensuring robust internet access. These resources are crucial for providing students with the skills necessary for success in an increasingly digital world.

Maintenance Levy / Working Bee will be rebated when: You have attended a scheduled Working Bee **or** if you commit to a role as a P&F committee member.

CSEF (Camps, Sports and Excursion Fund)

Families holding a valid means-tested concession card or temporary foster parents are eligible to apply. \$150 per year is paid for eligible primary school students. Payments are made directly to the school and are tied to the student. Application forms are available from the office and should be completed and returned no later than 1st March 2025. For more information on the CSEF application closing dates and about the fund visit www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

School Fees & Payment Options

The setting of the levels of fees, levies and other compulsory ad hoc charges in MACS schools is the responsibility of the school within the prescribed requirements of MACS, considering the allocation of government funds. School fees generally cover most curriculum-related activities. In some cases, additional costs may be required for some excursions, camps, activities, and programs. Where additional levies and charges are required, the school informs parents/guardians/carers of cost details in advance.

St Mary's offer a number of methods for paying fees, levies, camps and excursions, and ad hoc charges to reduce any financial burden and to assist in financial planning. If you have difficulty in meeting the required payment of fees, levies and ad hoc charges, you are welcome to discuss this with the principal of the school.

Parents/guardians/carers are responsible for the payment of all fees, levies and charges associated with the student's enrolment and attendance at the school, as contained in the school's Fees, Levies and Charges Schedule provided to parents/guardians/carers from time to time. The fees must be paid for a child to enrol and to continue enrolment at the school.