



EAST KIMBERLEY COLLEGE

CONTRIBUTIONS & CHARGES 2023

October, 2022



SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS

The State Government and the Department of Education permit the school to seek payment of Voluntary Contributions and Charges for each student enrolled at the school. The Voluntary Contributions provide the school with funds to supplement our own resources in purchasing materials and resources valuable in the education of students enrolled at the school.

Payment of the Voluntary Contribution will be greatly appreciated.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION CONTRIBUTIONS, CHARGES AND FEES POLICY, PAYMENT OF CHARGES FOR ALL COURSES OF STUDY IN YEAR 11 AND YEAR 12 IS COMPULSORY.

The Voluntary Contribution and Charges schedules have been endorsed by the School Council and are published here to inform parents of anticipated costs for 2023.

CONTRIBUTIONS 2023	
East Kimberley College Parents & Citizens	Amount
P&C Contribution An additional request is included where parents are asked to make a contribution to the P&C Association. East Kimberley College P&C is a vital organisation that encourages the involvement of all parents to improve educational outcomes for students.	\$5.00 (per student)
P&C Membership This is required for voting rights at the P&C meetings.	\$1.00 (per family)
Kindergarten to Year 6 Contributions	Amount per Student
In accordance with the <i>School Education Act 1999(WA) and the School Education Regulations 2000</i> , schools can request up to a maximum contribution of \$60.00 for Years K-6. These contributions are used to supplement the funding our school receives from the government. They are used to maintain and improve the resources available to your child/ren. The funds are used in a variety of curriculum areas including English, Mathematics, Humanities and Social Sciences, Science, Technologies, Health and Physical Education, Languages and the Arts. <i>The \$60 Voluntary Contribution equates to just \$1.50 per week.</i>	
Kindergarten	\$60.00
Pre-Primary	\$60.00
Year 1 to Year 6 (Year 1, \$20 fee for Literacy Workbook, Year 2 to Year 6 an extra \$25 for Literacy Workbook)	\$60.00
Personal Use Items (previously known as Booklist Items)	
The list of Personal Items for student use (as per the Year level) have been approved by the School Board. Students will need the items for personal use in order to complete the educational programs provided by this school. Please note, these items can be purchased from a supplier of your own choice. Quoted prices have been provided by the P&C preferred supplier. The school has undertaken a comprehensive review of these personal use items and have only included items deemed necessary to commence the school year with. These prices are for the complete list and should be used as a guide only as they will vary depending on where items are purchased. These prices do not include your Voluntary Contributions outlined above. Refer to the Schools website for the latest Personal Use Items .	
Parents/Caregivers are responsible for ensuring that their children's resources are replenished on a needs basis.	
Kindergarten	\$80.30
Pre-Primary	\$107.75
Year 1	\$123.25
Year 2	\$127.85
Year 3	\$123.55
Year 4	\$122.20
Year 5	\$119.75
Year 6	\$117.80
Year 7 to Year 10	\$92.85
Year 11 & Year 12	\$129.35

Year 7 to Year 10 Subject Contributions and Charges

In accordance with the *School Education Act 1999(WA)* and the *School Education Regulations 2000*, schools can request up to a maximum contribution of \$235.00 for Years 7-10. Eligible students may apply for the Secondary Assistance Scheme.

The funds collected are used towards the cost of materials, services and resources used by students in the educational program. Contributions collected at this school contribute to: classroom resources (e.g. computer consumables, paper, files, class stationery items, texts books, novels, dictionaries, small items of equipment, and physical education resources).

Learning Area	Contributions (per year)	Subject <small>*Subjects in bold & shaded are included in the \$235 Voluntary Contribution total. Non-bold subjects for Year 9/10 options are compulsory charges.</small>	Maximum (Additional charges for Year 9/10 optional courses)
English	\$20.00	English	Included
Mathematics	\$35.00	Mathematics	Included
Science	\$45.00	Science	Included
HASS	\$20.00	HASS	Included
Health and Physical Education	\$40.00	Health and Physical Education	Included
		Outdoor Education (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		Specialised Sport (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
The Arts <small>Note – students in Year 7 to Year 10 study four (4) options per year.</small>	\$35.00	MEDIA – Media Introduction (Year 7)	Included
		MEDIA – Advertising (Year 8)	Included
		MEDIA – Action Photography (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		MEDIA – Macro Photography (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		MEDIA – Animation (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		MEDIA – Trop Fest (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		VISUAL ART – Discovering Art (Year 7 & 8)	Included
		VISUAL ART – Painting (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		VISUAL ART – Pottery (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		VISUAL ART – Sculpture (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		VISUAL ART – Drawing (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		MUSIC – Discovering Music (Year 7 & 8)	Included
		MUSIC – Instrumental (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		MUSIC – Concert Band (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		MUSIC – Performance (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		MUSIC – Creative/Modern (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		Technologies <small>Note – students in Year 7 to Year 10 study four (4) options per year.</small>	\$40.00
HOME ECONOMICS – International Foods (Year 9/10)	\$25.00		
HOME ECONOMICS – Quilting/Textiles (Year 9/10)	\$25.00		
HOME ECONOMICS – Fashion in the 20s (Year 9/10)	\$25.00		
HOME ECONOMICS – Master & Apprentice (Year 9/10)	\$25.00		
DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY – Design & Technology (Year 7 & 8)	Included		
DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY – Wood Technology (Year 9/10)	\$25.00		
DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY – Dragsters (Year 9/10)	\$25.00		
DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY – Metal (Year 9/10)	\$25.00		
DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY – Bike Force (Year 9/10)	\$25.00		
DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES – Digital Technologies (Year 7 & 8)	Included		
DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES – Wood Technology (Year 9/10)	\$25.00		
DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES – 3D Printing (Year 9/10)	\$25.00		
DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES – Game Design (Year 9/10)	\$25.00		
DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES – Robotics & Automation (Year 9/10)	\$25.00		

Learning Area (cont'd)	Contributions (cont'd)	Subject (cont'd)	Maximum (Cont'd)
Other		SHOOTING STARS OPTION (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		CLONTARF OPTION (Year 9/10)	\$25.00
		CLUBS OPTION (Year 7 to 10)	\$10.00
		KIMBERLEY EDUCATION FOR LIFE SKILLS PROGRAM (KALS)	\$235.00
TOTAL	\$235.00		

Note: as a guiding principle, we only request payment of charges when additional cost is incurred. For example, in Quilting/Textiles, students might be provided with calico with which to sew a garment. If the student selects to use silk (instead of calico), a charge for the additional cost of the silk would become payable. In many of the subject choices available, students may not be asked to pay additional charges.

Year 11 and Year 12 Program Charges		
Learning Area	Subject	Amount
English	English	\$60.00
Mathematics	Mathematics: Foundation	\$50.00
	Mathematics: Essentials (General)	\$70.00
	Mathematics Methods (ATAR)	\$60.00
	Mathematics Applications (ATAR)	\$60.00
Science	Chemistry (ATAR)	\$100.00
	Human Biology (ATAR)	\$100.00
	Psychology (ATAR)	\$90.00
HASS	Geography General (ATAR)	\$60.00
	History (Modern and Ancient) (General/ATAR)	\$60.00
	Careers and Enterprise (General)	\$60.00
Health and Physical Education	Health Studies (ATAR)	\$50.00
	Physical Education Studies (General/ATAR)	\$80.00
	Outdoor Education (General)	\$200.00
Design and Technology	Endorsed Program: Community Service	\$100.00
	Materials Design and Technology: Metals	\$100.00
Home Economics	General Food Science and Technology	\$100.00
	Endorsed Program: Community Service	\$100.00
The Arts – Media	Design: Photography (General)	\$100.00
The Arts – Visual Arts	Visual Arts (General)	\$100.00
	Endorsed Program: Community Service	\$100.00
TAFE	Certificate II Business	\$20.00
	Certificate II Retail Beauty and Makeup	\$20.00
	Certificate II Automotive	\$20.00
	Certificate II Hospitality and Tourism	\$20.00
	Certificate II Construction	\$20.00
	Certificate II Community Services	\$20.00
Workplace Learning	Certificate II Engineering	\$20.00
	Workplace Learning	\$30.00
KEFL Program	Includes Outdoor Education field trips and overnight camps, English, Maths, supervision of industry (work) placement and associated programs including the Agriculture program.	\$500.00
Work Ready Program	Literacy, Numeracy, Health and Well-being, Careers Development and Work Experience	\$235.00

Note: the amounts listed above are those charged by East Kimberley College. Courses delivered via SIDE may attract different charges.

SIDE: students studying through Schools of Isolated and Distance Education will be asked to make payment of special charges for the provision by post or telecommunications of educational materials. SIDE fees are not set by East Kimberley College but can be viewed on the website www.side.wa.edu.au and click on SCHOOLS.

CHARGES FOR OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

Charges apply for the provision of extra cost optional activities that are part of an education program that 'contributions' do not cover. All activities outlined below are optional and if no payment is received, an alternative educational activity will be provided for your child.

2023 optional activities charges have been approved by the School Board. The estimated costs provided are set as an upper limit and will not exceed the amount shown. If a particular event does not transpire within the school year, no charges for that event will apply.

Payment of the following charges is not required at the time of finalising payment of contributions. Where staff arrange extra cost optional activities, payment will be requested prior to the activity.

Activity	Collected as events occur (maximum cost per student)
Visiting Artists/Performers (Kindergarten to Year 12) - Various activities are subsidised by the school throughout the year. There are usually 4-5 performances/activities each year. On most occasions students are charged \$3.00 depending on activity. The maximum annual cost will be \$40.00 per student, but is likely to be less depending on the actual cost of each activity.	\$40.00
Excursions (Kindergarten to Year 12) - The School Board recognises the value of excursions for students and seeks to support teachers who coordinate them as part of their teaching programs. Up to 2 excursions per term per class may occur. Excursions for the purposes of this document are defined as outings that do not include an overnight stay.	\$220.00
Bus Usage - For example: Physical and Health Education transport where students travel to venue(s) such as Leisure Centre/swimming pool etc.	\$100.00
Special Academic and Sporting Camps - The maximum charge for any single event is \$1800.00 per student. These events may include Country Week, Kimberley Cup, Tournament of the Minds, other Inter-school Competitions, and may involve travel to Perth.	\$1,800.00
Year Camps	\$500.00
Duke of Edinburgh Awards - Open to students in Year 9 to Year 12, registration for fee per award.	\$125.00
Gifted and Talented Program - Some costs for materials may be incurred by students who are invited to participate in Gifted and Talented programs.	\$100.00
Interstate & International Trips (e.g. Ski Trip) - The maximum charge for any single inter-state trip is \$5000.00 per student.	\$5,000.00
In Term Swimming - Selected year groups may be involved in swimming lessons. These will usually be in a ten-lesson block. Cost will cover entrance to the pool.	\$100.00
Faction Shirt – can be purchased for sporting activities.	\$35.00
Instrumental Music - The school offers Instrumental studies for students in Years 4 – 7 on completion of recorder studies. Students involved in the school wind ensemble who use school instruments are charged a fee of \$40 per term - \$4.00/week – this covers instrument hire. (Fee is not paid by students who have their own instruments).	\$160.00
School Ball (Year 10 to Year 12) This costing is for entry and meal only and does not include suit hire, ball gown etc.	\$120.00
Awards/Graduation Night	\$100.00
School Photos	Pay direct to company
School Year Book – free to Year 12 families, all other students to pay if they would like a copy.	\$15.00 book
Portfolio Consumables (Secondary)	\$10.00

Special Notes: the charges outlined above will enable students to achieve the relevant learning outcomes for each area. In some learning areas, students may negotiate with staff to complete a project that incurs material costs beyond what is covered by the allocation shown above. Where this occurs, additional charges may be applied.

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