



# Galilee Regional Catholic Primary School

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November 24, 2023

## 2024 School Fees

Dear Galilee Families,

It is that time of year where we communicate the fee and levy charges for the next school year. As stated last year, Galilee remains one of the least expensive *like schools* in the Archdiocese of Melbourne.

Following is information on 2024 school Fees and Levies developed in consultation with our Business Manager and School Education Board.

You will also find attached the Schedule of Fees for 2024 along with detailed information about Payment Options.

Please note, in **2024 all fee payers must inform the office of their payment option** via a link that will be sent in early January 2024.

Any account where a payment option is not selected by Friday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2024 will default to the monthly payment option.

## School Fees Components

### **Family Fee:**

This fee covers the costs of running a school. For 2024 this will increase by approximately 6% or \$150. This fee is charged per family. This planned increase equates on average to \$2.90 per week per family over the calendar year, and is an educational CPI equivalent. As in previous years all fee payers who pay their fees in full by the due date of 25<sup>th</sup> **February** receive a rebate. In 2024 the rebate will be **\$250**.

Added to the Family Fee is the Building and Maintenance Levy which assists the school to pay for building maintenance and improvements which in the past has included but not limited to: roof repairs, electrical upgrade and minor works, as well the new facility completed last year. In 2024, this will increase by \$20 to \$335.

### **Student Levy:**

This levy covers each child's curriculum resources, the programs and licenses they are provided with in all of the curriculum areas and all the costs required for the use of IT equipment and devices.

To allow us to continue to provide an education of high standard to our children we need to increase this annual charge by approximately 6% due to CPI. This will allow us to provide targeted excursions/incursions for our students, more functional and better quality classroom supplies and increase resources in all Learning Areas.

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As per previous years the Year 6 Rugby Top will **NOT** be charged as a part of the fee and billings process, but rather paid by the Year 6 families at the time of ordering or collection. |

Please refer to our Fees Policy on our website for further details of the position that the School holds in respect to the setting, collection, remission and administration of all fees and levies.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'S. Millar'.

**Simon Millar**  
**Principal**  
**Galilee Regional Catholic Primary School**

