

2023 School Fees and Levies

All Victorian Catholic primary schools receive funding via two sources:

1. State and Federal Government grants (approx. 80% of total funding)
2. Fees and levy parent contributions (approx. 20% of total funding)

The fees and levies charged to parents assist the school by covering the costs of excursions, programs, utilities, resources and equipment to support the children's learning.

A \$200 discount will apply for fees and levies paid in full by 30th April 2023 There are also a number of payment options available including periodic (weekly, fortnightly or monthly) direct debit instalments. Please contact Lynette Gamble in the school office to discuss.

All levies have been carefully considered and we would like to reaffirm our commitment to making sure that fees and levies are kept at affordable for all members of our school community.

The following is our fee and levies for 2023. **Please note that there is a \$200 discount available off all fees and levies if paid in full by 30th April 2023.**

All accounts are due in full by the end of Term 3 Friday 15th September 2023

Family Fee per family	Student Levy per child	Total	Total payable if paid before 30 / 04 / 2023
\$2 040	\$910 Foundation	\$2 960	\$2 760
\$2 040	\$910 Year 1/2	\$2 960	\$2 760
\$2 040	\$1030 Year 3/4	\$3 070	\$2 870
\$2 040	\$1 365 Year 5	\$3 405	\$3 205
\$2 040	\$1 470 Year 6	\$3 510	\$3 310
\$200 Discount applies per family if paid in full before 30/04/2023			

Family Fee and Student Levy

The Family Fee is paid per family regardless of the number of children who attend the school. The Student Levy is paid per child.

The fees and levies cover the following costs: Curriculum costs, Literacy resources, Numeracy resources, Performing Arts resources and equipment, Visual Art resources, Excursions/ Incursions, Physical Education equipment, School Camps (Year 3/4 & 5/6), Religious Education Programs, Sacramental Programs (Year 3/4 & 6), Building and Grounds Maintenance, Teacher Resources, First Aid supplies, Investigation resources (Foundation – Year 2), ICT maintenance, resources and upgrades, Interschool Sport (Year 5/6), PDPSSA Sports Carnivals - Swimming, Athletics, Cross Country, Hooptime — trials, training and participation (Year 3 – 6), St Raphael's Sports Day, Footy Day, Kitchen Garden Program, Aquatic Education and Graduation (Year 6).

St Raphael's School Building Fund

Please note that there is also an option to make a voluntary contribution to the School Building Fund which is in addition to the school fees and levies. This Building Fund is 100% tax deductible. All money donated to this fund will be used for capital works improvements. Please see Lynette Gamble in the school office if you would like to contribute to this fund.