1.	<b>Curriculum Contributions</b> - items and activities that students use, or participate in, to access the Curriculum	Amount
Classro •	Classroom – Year level specific items detailed on the COS Back to School lists. Back to School items include reading journals, workbooks, literacy and numeracy, graph and scrapbooks, pens, pencils, textas, glue sticks, pencil case, headphones, highlighters, post-it notes, folders, display books, scissors, rulers, eraser, whiteboard and whiteboard markers etc.	Grade booklists from cos.net.au for 2024 student requisites (or sourced personally using list provided by COS)
	Printing and photocopying of worksheets and learning materials  Mathematics – concrete materials for manipulation (numeracy blocks), calculators, textbooks, stationery, maths kits  Creative Arts - paint, crayons, canvas, glitter, coloured paper, cardboard, glue, card, wool, material, beading, clay  Music - purchasing of instruments and games  Science - ingredients, books, shared classroom materials  Library – Literacy subscription for short-listed and mentor texts.  Purchase of Library books  Student & Teacher Resources – shared classroom sets  Health & Sport – Planning, preparation and purchasing supplies including equipment upgrades, ribbons, and materials for events  Lunchtime Games – educational games, equipment and activities as part of our lunchtime games.  Ing, preparation and supplies for Whole School Events:	\$60
	Athletics Carnival Cross Country Fun Sports Multi-Age Days AFL Clinics Soccer Clinics Sporting in Schools Kitchen Garden Hockey Australia Book Fair Responsible Pet Program Mother's Day/Father's Day Breakfast Breakfast Club Bravehearts (Foundation to Grade 2)	

\$40

# **Information Technology Contributions**

- Upgrades and provisions for personal iPads, laptops, devices to maintain
   1:1 ratio in classrooms
- STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics) equipment and devices

# Online Subscriptions

- Reading Eggs (kindly funded by Parents & Friends)
- Mathletics (kindly funded by Parents & Friends)
- Essential Assessment
- Xuno
- URStrong Friendship Program
- eiPulse Wellbeing Program
- You Can Do It Social Skills Program
- Little Learners Subscription (decodable texts)
- Epic
- Accelerus
- Nessy Learning (Dyslexia)
- Maths300
- SPA Tracker

# **Total Curriculum Contributions**

\$

2. Other Contributions - for non-curriculum items and activities	Amount
School grounds maintenance and improvements.	\$30
Library fund. A contribution to support book purchases and other equipment that sustain the library as a valuable resource.	\$20
Total Other Contributions	\$

#### **Extra-Curricular Items and Activities**

Toolamba Primary School offers a range of items and activities that enhance or broaden the schooling experience of students and are above and beyond what the school provides in order to deliver the Curriculum. These are provided on a user-pays basis and can be purchased from the office.

3. Extra-Curricular Items and Activities	Amount
School Bag	
School Hat	
Library bag (Plastic Pocket)	\$14

## **Excursion Levy**

For 2024, our excursion levy will be PAYG (Pay As You Go.) These events will be raised and paid for on Xuno as they incur.

Families have the option to pay an amount of their choice upfront and it can be used to offset any incursions/excursions as they arise. This will work like a credit.

We estimate the whole school excursions to be approximately \$175 for the year and include:

### Whole School

- Life Education
- Hip Hop
- NZ Performance
- Whole School Excursion
- Swimming Program

There are year level specific incursions/excursions listed below. These will be additional charges raised and paid for on Xuno.

### **Foundation**

- Junior School Excursion (F-2)

### Grade 1

- Junior School Excursion (F-2)
- Grade 1 Tea & Activity

### Grade 2

- Junior School Excursion (F-2)
- Grade 2 Tea, Activity & Sleepover

### Grade 3

- Tatura District Athletics Day

#### Grade 4

- Tatura District Athletics Day

#### Grade 5

- Tatura District Athletics Day
- Goulburn Murray Winter Sports
- Tatura Winter Sports
- Yachting (bi-annual)
- Life Education 'Talk About It' program.

#### Grade 6

- Tatura District Sports Day
- Goulburn Murray Winter Sports
- Tatura Winter Sports
- Yachting (bi-annual)
- Life Education 'Talk About It' program.

## Other optional camps and excursions

# Grade 3 & 4

- Camp to Campaspe

#### **Grade 5 & 6**

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**Total Extra-curricular Items and Activities - PAYG** 

## **Payment Methods**

Option A Payment through our **COS Parent Portal** when purchasing Back to School Supplies. There is an option for you to pay upfront.

Option B Full amount in Term 1, 2024 through Xuno.

Option C **Other payment arrangements**. If selecting this, please make an appointment with the school to discuss your circumstances and the available options.

Option D I have completed a **CSEF application** form to pay for swimming, excursions, and incursions. I will pay the balance using one of the above options (A or B).

**CSEF:** Eligible families can apply for \$125 per Primary School student. **These funds can only be used for camps, excursions, sports and swimming** 





Our preferred payment method for these fees is through Xuno. Alternatively, payment can be made directly to the school account below.

School Account Name: Toolamba Primary School

BSB: 063 527

Account: 0090 0244

You must include your students or family name.

### Refunds

Our school will consider requests for partial or full refunds of payments made by parents on a case-by-case basis taking into account the individual circumstances. Generally, we will not be able to refund payments made for items purchased or costs that have already been paid where those funds have already been transferred to a third party. For example, camp costs when a child becomes unwell and cannot attend in circumstances where the payment has already been made or committed to a third party and no refund is available to the school. Where possible, we will make this clear to parents at the time of payment.

## **Financial Support for Families**

Toolamba Primary School appreciates that families may sometimes experience financial difficulties in meeting requests for payments and contributions. A range of support options are available to assist eligible parents. These options include:

- State School's Relief
- <u>Second-Hand School Uniform</u> In order to support parents in meeting the costs of their children's education the school has a supply of second-hand uniforms.
- CSEF Camps, Sports & Excursions Fund available to all eligible families
- CSEF Foundation CSEF Uniform Package available to all eligible families.
- <u>Saver Plus</u> is an initiative of Brotherhood of St Laurence and ANZ, delivered locally by community organisations in 22 locations in Victoria. Saver Plus assists individuals and families on lower incomes to have every dollar up to \$500 saved over a 10-month period matched by ANZ to go towards education-related costs.

### **Consideration of Hardship**

In addition to the Family Support options outlined above parents may communicate with the Business Manager by phone, email or in person about their financial situation and related difficulties in making payments. Ph: 03 5826 5212

Email: toolamba.ps@education.vic.gov.au

Please return completed slip to the office or email to <a href="mailto:Toolamba.ps@education.vic.gov.au">Toolamba.ps@education.vic.gov.au</a>

YOUR DETAILS		
Student's name:		
Year Level		
Curriculum Contributions		\$
Other Contributions		\$
Extra-Curricular Items and Activities		\$
SUBTOTAL		\$

PARENT NAME:	PARENT SIGNATURE