



2025 Fee Schedule

EARLY LEARNING CENTRE TUITION FEES			
3-YEAR-OLD KINDER		4-YEAR-OLD KINDER	
12 hours per week	Nil (funded)	15 hours per week	Nil (funded)
		18 hours per week	\$510 (funded)

SCHOOL TUITION FEES				
	1 ST CHILD	2 ND CHILD (25% discount)	3 RD CHILD (40% discount)	4 TH CHILD* (75% discount)
Primary (P-6)	\$5,660	\$4,245	\$3,396	\$1,415
Secondary (7-10)	\$7,225	\$5,419	\$4,335	\$1,807
VCE & VCE VM (11-12)	\$8,170	\$6,128	\$4,902	\$2,043

**and any subsequent children*

CAPITAL LEVY	
Annual Fee Per Family	\$650

RESOURCE & ACTIVITIES LEVY PER STUDENT			
PRIMARY		SECONDARY	
Prep	\$505	Year 7	\$1,380
Year 1	\$510	Year 8	\$1,260
Year 2	\$550	Year 9	\$1,815
Year 3	\$920	Year 10	\$1,185
Year 4	\$920	Year 11	\$1,350
Year 5	\$1,050	Year 12	\$1,190
Year 6	\$1,050		

SUBJECT LEVIES	
Year 10 Outdoor Ed Elective (per semester)	\$170
VCE Arts Creative Practice [^]	\$185
VCE Biology	\$50
VCE Physical Education	\$100
VCE Physics	\$100
VCE Visual Communication Design [^]	\$185
VCE VET Hospitality: Cookery	\$325
VCE VET Gravitare (includes weekend camps)	\$475
VCE VET Sport & Recreation	\$240
VCE VM TAFE Course Fee [#]	Set by TAFE
[^] May incur additional charges should high cost projects be chosen by the student	
[#] Fees are set by chosen TAFE of selected course. BHCS will subsidise 50% of tuition (to a max of \$1,250)	

SCHOOL BUS FEES PER STUDENT ⁺			
BUS ZONE	SUBURB LIST (Subject to demand)	PART-TIME (5 or less trips p/w)	FULL-TIME (6 or more trips p/w)
Zone 1	Belgrave, Belgrave South and Heights, Ferntree Gully, Kallista, Monbulk, Narre Warren East, Selby, Tecoma, The Patch, Upwey, Upper Ferntree Gully	\$930	\$1,860
Zone 2	Berwick, Boronia, Cockatoo, Emerald, Gembrook, Knoxfield, Lysterfield, Menzies Creek, Narre Warren, Narre Warren North, Narre Warren South, Olinda, Rowville	\$1,130	\$2,260
Shuttle	Belgrave South, Belgrave Station, Tecoma Station	\$275	\$550

⁺For first two children in family. Third and subsequent children use bus service at no charge.

State Government Conveyance allowance is available for eligible families, which will significantly reduce bus fees.



Summary of Information

For complete information, please refer to the [BHCS Fees Policy](#) which is available on our website.

The School uses a proportion of funds raised by the School to support the collaboration of the Early Learning Centre.

CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS

By proceeding with a new enrolment or continuing an existing enrolment, parents/guardians have entered into a contract with the School and as such they are legally bound to meet their fee obligations.

ACCOUNTS

An annual fee statement will be sent out early in Term 1. In order to assist families with budgeting and to ensure timely payment of fees, the School requires each family to commit to a Direct Debit arrangement from either a bank account or credit card account. Direct Debit payments incur no additional transaction fees and are available on a per term, monthly, fortnightly or weekly basis. Other payment options, such as 12 months in advance and salary packaging are available by arrangement.

DISCOUNTS

An additional discount of 2% is available on tuition fees when payment is made 12 months in advance. This discount is applicable to tuition fees only and will not be granted: 1. unless a request has been made to the School's Finance Department; 2. if the account is in arrears; 3. if payment is made by credit card; 4. if fee assistance is applicable; or, 5. if the invoice is not fully paid by the end of February. Please note, both 2% tuition discount and sibling discount are not applicable to Kinder fees.

CAPITAL LEVY

An annual fee per family used to assist in capital works and maintenance programs at the School.

RESOURCE & ACTIVITIES LEVY

This levy covers online and digital licenses and other educational resources provided to students. This levy also includes all year level and class camps, educational excursions, swimming lessons and other sundry class activities, if applicable. Interstate and international trips outside of the year level and class camps will incur additional charges.

VCE-VM TAFE COURSE FEE

These fees are set by the TAFE and will vary according to the course selected. BHCS will provide a 50% subsidy (to a maximum of \$1,250) toward the TAFE tuition fee for each VCE-VM student. Full materials cost will be charged to school fee account. As per the VCE-VM agreement signed by families, should a student withdraw from VCE-VM before the end of the school year, the subsidy will be reversed and the full TAFE tuition cost will be payable by the family.

BUS TRAVEL AND OTHER TRANSPORT

Bus fees are applicable to the first two children in a family only. The third and subsequent children can travel free. Due to bus capacity constraints, priority will be given (in order) to 1: full-time users, 2: half-time users who choose AM or PM only, 3: other part-time users. All bus routes are reviewed on an annual basis.

Families who live more than 4.8km from school by the nearest practicable route may also be eligible for State Government Conveyance Allowance for private school bus or car transport to and from school. Parents will need to apply for this Conveyance Allowance (conditions apply). For further details please visit the School's website at www.bhcs.vic.edu.au. Application Forms are available upon request.

ARREARS

A late payment fee of \$10 per month per \$1000 or part thereof overdue, will apply to all accounts overdue by 60 days or more. Ongoing failure to meet fee obligations may place the enrolment of your child in jeopardy. If there are extenuating circumstances hindering a family's ability to make timely payments, they should advise the School's Finance Department as early as possible to determine whether an alternative arrangement may be arranged.

WITHDRAWAL OF ENROLMENT

It is a condition of enrolment that a minimum of one term's notice in writing is provided to withdraw a child from the School. This is standard practice in most independent schools to enable School planning and the employment of staff. If this notice is not provided, one term's fee (i.e. = 25% of the annual fee) may be charged in lieu of providing this notice if withdrawal occurs during the course of the school year.