

XAVIER CATHOLIC COLLEGE – Hervey Bay

Xavier Catholic College aims to provide high-quality education to your child or children within our Catholic tradition where all are engaged in their learning, challenged to be better people and motivated to do their best.





FEES, LEVY CHARGES AND PAYMENT INFORMATION - 2020

Fees and Levies collected at the College are used for administrative staff, resources, materials, facilities and equipment, buildings and grounds maintenance and up-to-date Information Technology equipment and internet access.

Fees and levies have been averaged across Primary (Prep to Year 6), Secondary (Years 7 to 9) and Secondary - Senior (Years 10 to 12), under a largely inclusive fee structure.

Fees and Levies are invoiced in Term 1. Instrumental Music and Voice Lessons are invoiced per student per term.

We believe this gives parents the security of being able to plan their finances ahead with no hidden costs.

For more information regarding fees, please contact our Finance Officers.

Monday to Thursday 8am – 3.30pm (CLOSED FRIDAYS)

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2020 Schedule of Fees and Levies

These charges are all inclusive including camps, excursions, school sport, swimming, arts council visits and hire of student laptops and iPads.

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ANNUAL COST	PRIMARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY - SENIOR		
Eldest Child	Prep to Year 6	Years 7-9	Year 10	Years 11-12	
Family P&F Levy	143	143	143	143	
Family Capital Levy	708	708	708	708	
	851	851	851	851	
Tuition Fee	1180	2216	2395	2395	
Technology Levy	362	597	681	681	
General Levy	581	908	908	908	
ANNUAL COST	\$2,974	\$4,572	\$4,835	\$4,835 PLUS SUBJECT LEVIES	
COST PER FORTNIGHT 1 December – 30 November	\$115	\$176	\$186	\$186 PLUS SUBJECT LEVIES	

(35% Discount on Fees)	PRIMARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY - SENIOR		
Second Child	Prep to Year 6	Years 7-9	Year 10	Years 11-12	
Tuition Fee	791	1484	1604	1604	
Technology Levy	362	597	681	681	
General Levy	581	908	908	908	
ANNUAL COST	\$1,734	\$2,989	\$3,193	\$3,193 PLUS SUBJECT LEVIES	
COST PER FORTNIGHT 1 December – 30 November	\$67	\$115	\$123	\$123 PLUS SUBJECT LEVIES	

(70% Discount on Fees)	PRIMARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY - SENIOR		
Third Child	Prep to Year 6	Years 7-9	Year 10	Years 11-12	
Tuition Fee	365	685	741	741	
Technology Levy	362	597	681	681	
General Levy	581	908	908	908	
ANNUAL COST	\$1,308	\$2,190	\$2,330	\$2,330 PLUS SUBJECT LEVIES	
COST PER FORTNIGHT 1 December – 30 November	\$51	\$85	\$90	\$90 PLUS SUBJECT LEVIES	

(80% Discount on Fees)	PRIMARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY - SENIOR		
Fourth Child	Prep to Year 6	Years 7-9	Year 10	Years 11-12	
Tuition Fee	244	457	494	494	
Technology Levy	362	597	681	681	
General Levy	581	908	908	908	
ANNUAL COST	\$1,187	\$1,962	\$2,083	\$2,083 PLUS SUBJECT LEVIES	
COST PER FORTNIGHT 1 December – 30 November	\$46	\$76	\$81	\$81 PLUS SUBJECT LEVIES	
Payment Plan Options:				-	

Monthly payments: Divide Annual Cost by 12 = monthly payments **Weekly payments:** Divide Annual Cost by 52 = weekly payments

All Payment plans must finalise your 2020 account by 30 November 2020.

Family Fee Payment calculators and Ready Reckoners are available on the Parent Portal via the School Fees tab.

YEARS 11 - 12 WILL BE CHARGED A GENERAL LEVY PLUS SUBJECT LEVIES AS PER THEIR SUBJECT SELECTION

YEAR 11		YEAR 12			
SUBJECT	LEVY	SUBJECT	LEVY		
Aquatic Practices	\$354.00	Aquatic Practices	\$757.00		
Biology	\$210.00	Biology	\$105.00		
Business	\$92.00	Business	\$92.00		
Chemistry	\$153.00	Chemistry	\$171.00		
Design	\$42.00	Design	\$42.00		
Digital Solutions	\$93.00	Digital Solutions	\$43.00		
Drama	\$295.00	Drama	\$295.00		
Early Childhood Studies	\$30.00	Early Childhood Studies	\$30.00		
Engineering Skills	\$150.00	Engineering Skills	\$150.00		
English	\$23.00	English	\$25.00		
Essential English	\$31.00	Essential English	\$31.00		
Essential Mathematics	\$23.00	Essential Mathematics	\$23.00		
Film Television and New Media	\$56.00	Film Television and New Media	\$56.00		
French	\$213.00	French	\$171.00		
Furnishing Skills	\$95.00	Furnishing Skills	\$114.00		
General Mathematics	\$23.00	General Mathematics	\$23.00		
Health	\$16.00	Health	\$16.00		
Hospitality Practices	\$329.00	Hospitality Practices	\$251.00		
Legal Studies	\$81.00	Legal Studies	\$81.00		
Marine Science	\$311.00	Marine Science	\$681.00		
Mathematical Methods	\$81.00	Mathematical Methods	\$81.00		
Modern History	\$25.00	Modern History	\$25.00		
Physical Education	\$15.00	Physical Education	\$61.00		
Physics	\$126.00	Physics	\$50.00		
Religion and Ethics	\$91.00	Religion and Ethics	\$177.00		
Sports and Recreation	\$325.00	Sports and Recreation	\$101.00		
Specialist Mathematics	\$23.00	Specialist Mathematics	\$23.00		
Study of Religion	\$91.00	Study of Religion	\$177.00		
Visual Art	\$179.00	Visual Art	\$199.00		

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION - ALL GRADES

Instrumental Music and Voice Lessons are \$125.00 per student per term. Fees are required to be paid each term, 14 days from issue of invoice.

Choir Levy per student is \$115 annually and will be invoiced in 1st term with Subject Levies.

Interschool Sports/Representative Sports are to be paid on Qkr! prior to the event.

Discounts

Xavier provides discounts for families who have siblings at Xavier and Star of the Sea.

Tuition Fee Discount	Number of siblings					
Number of students at Star of the Sea	One	Two	Three	Four		
Discount off Xavier Tuition Fee	5%	10%	20%	40%		

Explanation of Levies

Family P&F Levy

This levy enables the P & F to undertake projects around the College that are non-curriculum related. For example, in 2018 the P & F undertook Stage 2 of our Open Space Master Plan.

Family Capital Levy

Being a young College the compulsory Capital Levy of \$708 per family ensures the College can continue to meet existing loan repayments while setting aside funds for future buildings or refurbishment of existing buildings.

Tuition Fee

Fees enable the day-to-day running of the College covering such things as electricity, rates and staffing.

Technology Levy

This levy supports the use of technology integrated into the classroom environment. It provides for and maintains infrastructure such as high-speed broadband internet, wireless network, projectors and Interactive Flat Panel Displays. This also covers student devices in Years 4 to 12.

General Levy covers

- consumable items used for subjects
- year level camps
- excursions
- school magazine
- weekly sports rotations
- subject specific camps

- pastoral care activities
- student diary
- senior formal
- graduation evenings
- athletics days and swimming carnivals

The General Levy excludes optional non-compulsory excursions or any self- nominated extracurricular activities e.g. Overseas Trips, Fraser District and Wide Bay Trials. These items will be payable via the Qkr! App.

Issuing of Accounts

Statements are emailed out in Term 1 and will be due for payment within 14 days unless a payment arrangement has been organised with the College.

The statement will show the following:

- Family P & F Levy (Eldest Student Name)
- Capital Family Levy (Eldest Student Name)
- Tuition Fee Primary or Secondary (Student Name)
- Technology Levy Primary or Secondary (Student Name>)
- General Levy Primary or Secondary– (Student Name)
- Instrumental Music or Vocal Lessons Term 1 to 4
- Annual Choir Levy

Payment Options

Payment of fees and levies can be made either **ANNUALLY, MONTHLY, FORTNIGHTLY** or **WEEKLY**.

Payments can be made via

- BPAY (Annual payment only)
- Credit Card (Annual Payment or Payment Arrangement)
- Direct Debit (Annual Payment or Payment Arrangement)
- Cash, cheque or EFTPOS (Annual payment only)

For monthly, fortnightly or weekly credit card and direct debit payments, please complete the relevant form and return to the College office. These forms can be obtained from the Parent Portal, or by emailing xFees@bne.catholic.edu.au or from Reception.

All fees & levies must be up to date before a student can participate in any optional excursions E.g. Overseas Trips, Ski Trip, QISSN and Confraternity.

Concessions

Xavier is committed to providing a Catholic education to all children whose parents desire it. We are also aware that families may experience financial hardship from time to time and offer Concessions as per the Brisbane Catholic Education guidelines.

A compassionate and just approach under the mission and values of the College and Brisbane Catholic Education are used when reviewing applications. The application process uses the Henderson Poverty Line when assessing eligibility for concessions, the process takes into consideration all income including wages, Centrelink payments etc as well as housing costs e.g. rent, minimum mortgage repayments. Application forms for concessions are available from the Parent Portal, College office or from xFees@bne.catholic.edu.au.

Concessions applications are accepted at the commencement of each year or when the hardship within the family occurs. Concessions are issued for a maximum period of 12 months within a calendar year. If you require consideration for a subsequent 12-month period we require a new application. Families with existing concessions will be emailed in Term 4, requesting documents for the following year to be completed and returned by 1 December.

Who is responsible for payment of fees and levies?

The parent/s and/or legal guardian/s, who have signed the Confirmation of Enrolment agreement with the College are jointly and severally liable for the student's tuition fees and any other costs associated with the student's attendance at the College. Any changes in family circumstances must be documented in a 'Revision of Financial Obligations' form. Due to Brisbane Catholic Education's Privacy Policy, the College cannot discuss an account with anyone other than the account holder.

Resource Hire Bond

A Resource Hire Bond of \$150 per student is charged at enrolment to cover loss or damage to School Resources such as *Library books, Textbooks, Laptop/iPad, cases, chargers and accessories.* Any resources that have not been returned in reasonable order and condition within one week of leaving the college, will be invoiced to the family account. When leaving the College, we encourage families to donate this bond to the College Family Support Fund which has been established to assist less fortunate families in our community.

