

# SCHEDULE OF FEES 2024



## Tuition Fees and Other Charges

The tuition fees and other charges for are as follows:

YEAR LEVEL	TUITION FEES \$	OTHER CHARGES \$	TOTAL \$
ELC 3YO - 2 Days	5,799	975	6,774
ELC 3YO - 3 Days	8,698	1,462	10,160
ELC 3YO - 5 Days	14,495	2,437	16,932
ELC 4YO	14,495	2,437	16,932
Foundation	13,900	3,245	17,145
Year 1	18,265	3,245	21,510
Year 2	19,455	3,457	22,912
Year 3	20,344	4,583	24,927
Year 4	20,344	4,683	25,027
Year 5	22,646	5,194	27,840
Year 6	22,646	5,357	28,003
Year 7	27,122	5,603	32,725
Year 8	27,122	5,698	32,820
Year 9	28,871	5,126	33,997
Year 10	28,871	5,370	34,241
Year 11	29,318	4,066	33,384
Year 12	29,318	4,066	33,384

The following is a summary of the components of other charges:

- A **capital development levy**. This charge covers the maintenance and development of the School's facilities.
- A **transport charge**. For all bus travel to sporting fixtures, academic excursions and compulsory cocurricular activities.
- An **information technology levy** applies to students from Foundation to Year 12. This levy relates to the provision of infrastructure needs relating to technological resources within the various learning areas.
- A **cocurricular and camp levy** is applicable to each student from Year 3 to 10 for cocurricular activities, camps and Learning Journeys.
- A Foundation to Year 6 **booklist levy** relates to the provision of stationery and other paraphernalia required for each student.

Some additional booklist items, voluntary camps, private music and drama tuition and other activities will incur additional charges. These will be advised and invoiced separately.

All Year 12 students will incur a one off charge for the Mentonian Lifetime Membership and Valedictory dinner.

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## NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF FEES

### Family Allowance

Families will receive the following remission of the tuition fee for each younger sibling of a Mentone Grammar student when they concurrently attend the School:

15%	2nd child
25%	3rd child
50%	4th and subsequent children

Families will receive the allowance for each younger sibling unless that sibling is receiving another form of fee remission from the School, in which case the family will be eligible for whichever single remission is the greater.

### Payment of Fees and Other Charges

Tuition fees and other charges are payable in two equal instalments. These instalments will be payable on 1 February and 1 July 2024. Accounts must be paid by the due date. Fees will be charged on a pro-rata basis for new students commencing during a school term. These will be due 14 days from the date of invoice.

Fees and charges may be paid via the School website or by cheque, credit card (Visa and Mastercard) or BPAY.

No adjustment to fees will be made for absences occasioned through illness or any other cause. Students with infectious diseases must remain away from the School for the period prescribed by the Health Department.

### Payment Arrangements

Mentone Grammar will not enter into payment arrangements with parents. Payment options may be offered via **Edstart**. Edstart provide parents with a financing facility to enable fees to be paid weekly, fortnightly or monthly.

For details visit [www.edstart.com.au](http://www.edstart.com.au). The School does not receive commissions or direct benefit from Edstart.

We strongly recommend families seek independent financial advice on the choices available that best suit your needs.

### Advance Payments

Where a full year's tuition fees and other charges are paid in full by the due date of the 1st instalment a 2% discount will be applied to those fees and charges. Fees will not be accepted for more than one year in advance.

### Non-payment of fees

Where any account from the School is not paid in full by the due date for payment the amount outstanding at that time will accrue interest from the due date at the rate for the time being fixed under the Penalty Interest Rates Act 1983 (Vic).

Where accounts remain more than 30 days in arrears, the School reserves the right to obtain a report regarding the parent's credit standing from a credit reporting agency.

Any legal or other expenses incurred by the School in the collection process for outstanding accounts will be payable by the person/s liable for payment of such accounts.

Students will not be permitted to register for or attend any term-break cocurricular camps or tours if any portion of the tuition account is outstanding.

The School reserves the right to suspend or cancel the enrolment of a student at the beginning of a term, and of any other child or children of the parents/guardians who are enrolled at the School, if any accounts remain unpaid by the due date for payment.

All signatories to the Enrolment Acceptance form are jointly and severally liable for all fees and charges payable. This arrangement continues irrespective of any changes between the relationship of co-signatories, any child support arrangements or any private agreement with a third party regarding payment of fees.

### Withdrawal of students

One full term's prior notice in writing of the intention to withdraw a student from the School must be provided to the Principal, (via email to [enrol@mentonegrammar.net](mailto:enrol@mentonegrammar.net)), otherwise one term's fees in lieu of such notice will be payable.

Students who receive a Scholarship must remain at Mentone Grammar until the end of Year 12 and progress suitably well during that time with good effort ratings. If a student leaves the School prior to the completion of Year 12, the persons responsible for the payment of the student's fees will be obliged to pay to the School any tuition fees remitted during the period of the scholarship.

