



# GOOD SHEPHERD CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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## 2020 FEE SCHEDULE

Year Level	Annual Fee	Per Term Fee (x4)
Prep	\$3,800	\$950
Year 1	\$3,800	\$950
Year 2	\$3,800	\$950
Year 3	\$3,800	\$950
Year 4	\$3,800	\$950
Year 5	\$3,800	\$950
Year 6	\$3,800	\$950
Year 7	\$4,400	\$1,100
Year 8	\$4,400	\$1,100
Year 9	\$4,400	\$1,100
Year 10	\$4,400	\$1,100
Year 11	\$4,800	\$1,200
Year 12	\$4,800	\$1,200

KINDERGARTEN	
Annual Fee	\$3,600 (based on \$40/day 5-day fortnight)
Excursion Levy	\$40
Building Levy	\$250
Early Payment Discount	5% applied to annual fee
Sibling Discount	Not Applicable
QLD Kindergarten Funding Scheme	For eligible families

ANCILLARY FEES		
Application Fee	\$60	Per application (capped at \$120 per family) Non-refundable
Enrolment Confirmation	\$150	Per application (capped at \$300 per family) Non-refundable
Building Levy	\$250	Per family (non-tax deductible & non-refundable)

OVERSEAS STUDENTS		
Annual Fee	\$8,000	This fee is in addition to the annual tuition fee
An overseas student is defined as: A child who is non-Australian resident and dependent under another family member's Visa		

## Due Dates

Reminders for each Term payments will be sent 2-3 weeks prior to the beginning of each term and are due on:

Term 1	14 February 2020
Term 2	24 April 2020
Term 3	17 July 2020
Term 4	9 October 2020

## Sibling Discounts

Sibling discounts are applied to tuition fees when more than one student per family attends. The discounts are as follows:

2 <sup>nd</sup> Child	20% off annual tuition fee
3 <sup>rd</sup> Child	40% off annual tuition fee
4 <sup>th</sup> Child	60% off annual tuition fee (and subsequent children)

## Early Payment Tuition Discount

A 5% discount will be applied to the total annual tuition fee if payment has been received *in full* on or before Friday 14 February 2020.

## Payment Plans

Each family will receive a full account for the year in February 2020. All accounts will be sent out electronically. To implement payment plans:

Step 1: Choose payment option

1. Annual Payment
2. Per Term payments through Westpac
3. Regular payments through Westpac Direct Debit

Step 2: Complete Direct Debit with accounts:

- a. Payment dates as indicated on direct debit agreement
- b. First payment to begin on or before 14 February 2020
- c. Payments must be weekly, fortnightly or monthly
- d. Direct debit forms to be submitted to GSCS accounts by Friday 14 February

**Regardless of payment option, all school fees must be paid in full by November 26th, 2020.**



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## TUITION FEE INCLUSIONS

The annual tuition fee includes:

- Excursions
- Curriculum materials
- Textbook hire
- Subject Charges
- Camp
- Stationery

The annual tuition fee does not include:

- Uniforms
- Catering during special events

plan. Each application will be handled individually on a 'case-by-case' basis.

Any hardship concessions awarded are only available for that given school year. Therefore, any applications for a hardship concession are to be re-submitted each school year as applicable.

### WITHDRAWAL FROM GSCS

GSCS must receive a full term's written notice for the withdrawal of a student, otherwise a full term's fees will be charged in lieu of notice.

## Tuition Fee Policy

### JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY FOR TUITION FEES

All parents/guardians, including step-parents, who have signed a Confirmation of Enrolment, are jointly and severally liable for the payment of all fees and other charges related to the education of their student/s at GSCS irrespective of any Court Orders or Child Support Assessments.

### UNPAID TUITION FEES

Consistently unpaid fees will put the enrolment of your child/ren at GSCS in jeopardy. If an enrolment is discontinued, unpaid fees will still be a debt due and owing to GSCS.

No credit or refund, either in part or in whole, will be provided if the student is absent due to any reason such as illness, leave, enrolment suspension or termination.

If any unpaid account remains outstanding without an approved arrangement with our Finance Officer, we then reserve the right to require such families to enter into a contract of payment as a condition of continuing enrolment. In the event of any account balance being outstanding at the end of the calendar year, GSCS reserves the right to apply a 10% service charge of the outstanding balance of the account.

### FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SCHEME

If parents experience difficulty with payments of fees, please make an appointment with the Principal or Finance Officer of GSCS to discuss a possible payment