BRIGHT P-12 COLLEGE: PARENT PAYMENTS - 2018

YEAR 9

Our College purpose is to provide a stimulating learning environment that enables every student to build skills and pursue opportunities to best prepare them for their individual life journeys.

For our school to continue to provide high quality programs and equipment to students, Government funding **must be supplemented by locally generated funds**. Bright P-12 College Council recognises the burden parent payments may have on families and has endeavoured to minimise these costs.

Families experiencing financial difficulty are encouraged to contact the College and arrange a confidential meeting, as a range of support options are available to assist eligible parents.

Bright P-12 College Council Parent Payments Policy can be viewed at www.brightp12.vic.edu.au

Essential educational items: Items, activities, or services that the school deems **essential** to student learning of the standard curriculum.

- Compass a web based management system for parents and students to access learning tasks, homework, timetables, reports, and to communicate with teachers
- Mathletics a comprehensive Numeracy resource, which can also be accessed at home for revision, consolidation and extension of skills
- Technology subjects incur material costs (payment is required prior to the commencement of the subject)
- > Art provision of additional materials (above the standard curriculum) to ensure students have the opportunity to experience a diverse and exciting range of art medium

Optional items: Items, activities or services that are **optional** and offered **in addition to the standard curriculum.** Students may access these on a **user-pays** basis.

- > Camps/Excursions/Incursions TBA
- Outdoor Education provision of resources required for the program. (*students participating in Semester 2 Outdoor Ed will incur an additional cost due to the X Country skiing component)
- My Career Match an online profiling system used as a basis for discussion with students, to encourage and assist them to explore careers and courses suited to their areas of interest
- > Indigenous Language Dictionaries retain from previous year, or purchase from the College Office
- > Safety glasses for wood/metal retain from previous year or purchase from the College Office

Voluntary financial contributions: Whilst these are discretionary payments, we invite parents to consider further supporting the College.

- College Development Fund In 2018 this will focus on further development of the Primary playground and refurbishment of school buildings.
- Library Enhancement Fund to further expand and upgrade the College Library resources and study areas.
- Donation general donations are used throughout the school to provide additional resources and opportunities for students.

The College Office will be open for book collection and parent payments on Thursday 25th January 2018, 8.30am – 4.00pm.

See over for detailed breakdown of payments for 2018.

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			Office
	Cost	Required	Use
Essential Educational Items	\$	\$	
Compass – Student Management System	12.00	12.00	
Mathletics	13.50	13.50	
Technology – Food - per semester	90.00		
Technology – Textiles - per semester	20.00		
Technology – Wood - per semester	40.00		
Technology – Metal - per semester	40.00		
Art - per semester	30.00		
Optional Items			
Year Level Camp	TBA		
Outdoor Education – Semester I	286.00		
My Career Match	5.50		
Indigenous Language Dictionaries	9.60		
Safety glasses	3.50		
Voluntary financial contributions			
College Development Fund			
Library Enhancement Fund			
Donation			
TOTAL			
(payable to Bright P-12 College)			