



Traralgon COLLEGE

Respect, Responsibility, Resilience

VCAL Parent Payments 2021

School Council Requested Payments

These have been introduced as means of providing items or services that are essential to support the delivery of the curriculum program.

School Items Including:

Handbooks, stationary consumables, SSV fees, lunchtime activities, sports carnivals,
Compass student ID cards, SMS Communication, provision for first aid,
Guest speakers

School Magazine

Library Resources

\$110.00

Essential Education Items

Locker Lock Hire

Essential Assessments

PAT Testing Numeracy & Literacy

Whole School Excursions (Transport & Entry)

VCAL Market

\$40.00

Total \$150.00

Optional Extras

Are those that are provided in addition to the standard curriculum program, and which are offered to all students.

These optional extras are provided on a user-pays basis and if parents and guardians choose to access them for students, they will be required to pay for them.

Camps, Excursions & Activities

Varies per subject

Instrumental Lesson

\$100.00 Per Semester

Instrumental Hire

\$100.00 Per Semester

Wakakirri

\$110.00

Voluntary financial contributions

Are for those items and services that parents or guardians are invited to make a donation to the school.

Donations to the School Resources Fund will be used to purchase much needed resources and equipment that will enhance your student's learning including:

- Science lab equipment
- Audio Visual equipment
- Sports and Outdoor Recreation equipment
- Arts & Technology equipment

Donations to the School Beneficiary Fund will be used to help students that are facing financial difficulties

While below are the suggested amounts, Traralgon College is grateful for contributions of any amount

Traralgon College Resource Fund (Please insert amount donated eg \$25, \$50 or \$100)

\$ _____

College Beneficiary Fund (Please insert amount donated eg \$25, \$50 or \$100)

\$ _____

PAYMENT METHODS & SUPPORT OPTIONS

Centrepay - if you are the recipient of Centrelink payments you can arrange to have a fortnightly amount deducted from your payment & forwarded to the College (Please see attached forms)

Compass Pay - log into Compass and make payment in full or via payment plans online via debit/credit card

BPay - ensure you email the College to advise of which charges you are paying

At the General Office of either campus by **cash, cheque, EFTPOS or credit card**

Traralgon College makes every effort to keep the cost and number of items that need to be purchased to a minimum.

We also try to ensure that the costs are affordable for all parents.

The school appreciates that families may sometimes experience financial difficulties in meeting requests for payments and contributions.

If you will have difficulty making payments please make an appointment to speak to the Business manager, Alisha Guest, to discuss possible support options and flexible payment arrangements.

A range of support options are available to assist eligible parents, including the State Schools Relief Committee and the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund.

Any information about your financial circumstances, payment arrangements or status will be kept strictly confidential.