

# Schedule of Fees and Charges

## 2026



### ANNUAL TUITION FEES

Annual Tuition Fees are inclusive of the core cost of tuition, excursions and camps for your child, and many materials, texts and other costs. Extra charges may apply for non-compulsory camps or excursions, or specific elective classes of choice.

### SIBLING DISCOUNTS

Sibling discounts on Annual Tuition Fees are applied to the second and third child in the family enrolled at the College (excluding ELC). Subsequent children are not charged Annual Tuition Fees.

### TECH LEVY

A Tech Levy applies to all students to cover device rental fees, insurance and license costs associated with school-used software and applications.

| YEAR LEVEL               | ANNUAL TUITION FEES |           |           | TECH LEVY PER CHILD |
|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|---------------------|
|                          | 1ST CHILD           | 2ND CHILD | 3RD CHILD |                     |
| 3-Year-Old ELC           | Free                | Free      | Free      | N/A                 |
| 4-Year-Old ELC           | \$1,774             | \$1,774   | \$1,774   | N/A                 |
| Prep to Year 2           | \$6,498             | \$5,686   | \$4,224   | \$50                |
| Years 3 and 4            | \$6,911             | \$6,047   | \$4,492   | \$50                |
| Years 5 and 6            | \$7,147             | \$6,253   | \$4,654   | \$50                |
| Years 7, 8 and 9         | \$9,315             | \$8,151   | \$6,055   | \$300               |
| Year 10                  | \$9,605             | \$8,404   | \$6,243   | \$600               |
| Years 11 and 12 - VCE VM | \$8,366             | \$7,321   | \$5,438   | \$600               |
| Years 11 and 12 - VCE    | \$10,490            | \$9,179   | \$6,818   | \$600               |

### ANNUAL TUITION FEE DISCOUNTS

| FREQUENCY            | INSTALMENTS | PAYMENT DUE DATES                                  | DIRECT DEBIT/ EFT | CREDIT CARD/ BPAY/EFTPOS |
|----------------------|-------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Full Year In Advance | 1           | 12 Dec 2025  | 5%                | 3%                       |
| Half-Year In Advance | 2           | 12 Dec 2025 & 15 May 2026                          | 3%                | 1%                       |
| One Term In Advance  | 4           | 12 Dec 2025, 6 Mar 2026, 15 May 2026 & 14 Aug 2026 | N/A               | N/A                      |
| Monthly              | 10          | 13th of the Month starting 12 Dec 2025             | N/A               | N/A                      |
| Fortnightly          | 20          | Fridays Fortnightly starting 12 Dec 2025           | N/A               | N/A                      |

### ADMINISTRATION FEE

A \$100 Administration Fee per student is payable when a Enrolment Expression of Interest Form is lodged. The Administration Fee is non-refundable.

### ENROLMENT BOND

A \$500 Enrolment Bond is payable by each family prior to the child/children commencing at the College. The bond is non-refundable if the student does not commence. This bond will be refunded when the last child leaves the College, provided there are no outstanding fees, and a term's notice has been given in writing of the student's impending departure.

Families who only have children in the ELC (no sibling in Prep to Year 12) will not be required to pay the Enrolment Bond. Should they wish their child to continue their education at Bayside Christian College, relevant documentation will be required and the Enrolment Bond will apply.

### BUILDING LEVY

An annual \$300 Building Levy Fee is payable by each family to assist with the maintenance and future development of grounds and facilities.

### ADDITIONAL FEES

- \$130 Years 7 and 8 OES Excursions
- \$450 Years 9 and 10 OES Excursions
- \$550 VCE OES Camp
- \$700 VET Certificate II in Cookery and Certificate II in Agriculture undertaken at Bayside Christian College.

### VCE VM / VET SUBSIDIES

VCE VM tuition fees are lower than VCE fees to reflect the additional fees required for VET courses. All VET courses (including the costs of materials) are set by the RTO provider and are to be paid in full by the **31 March 2026**.

VCE students enrolling in an external VET course will receive a \$1,500 subsidy upon successful completion of their course. To receive the subsidy, students must complete their course as an enrolled student of Bayside Christian College.

### COLLEGE BUS PASSES

\$1,300 full bus pass (return trip) or \$720 half bus pass (one trip per day) per student per year less any Conveyance Allowance. Casual bus pass booklets (6 x one way trips) available for \$100 from College Reception.

## CONVEYANCE ALLOWANCE

Families who drive more than 4.8 kilometres to the College (by the shortest practical route) may be eligible to apply for Conveyance Allowance. Forms are available upon request.

## GOVERNMENT DISCOUNTS

The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund is a Victorian Government means-tested allowance to assist families with a current Pension or Health Care Card.

Eligible discounts are \$150 per Primary student or \$250 per Secondary student. Families can apply through the Finance Department.

## EDSTART

Edstart offers a range of products to help you manage all your education costs in one place. For ways on how you can manage fee commitments, visit [edstart.com.au](http://edstart.com.au)

## PAYMENT OPTIONS

A variety of payment frequencies are available including yearly, half-yearly, quarterly, monthly and fortnightly.

Payment options include:

- Direct debit by the College
- EFTPOS
- EFT (bank transfer)
- B-Pay
- In-Person (Credit Card)

Please note no cash or cheques will be accepted. College fee payments are to be finalised by 30th September each year.

## WITHDRAWAL FROM THE COLLEGE

A minimum of one full term's notice in writing is required. A full term's fees are charged when this requirement is not met.

## FURTHER INFORMATION

For all payment enquiries, please call (03) 5971 6700 or email [finance@baysidecc.vic.edu.au](mailto:finance@baysidecc.vic.edu.au)

# The Bayside Foundation

The Bayside Foundation provides a way for families to invest in the future of the College in two key ways; the Bursary Fund and the Building Fund. Donations to the Bayside Foundation can be made by way of an annual donation or by allocating early payment fee discounts to the Bursary and/or Building Funds. All donations over \$2 are tax deductible. Please consider investing in the future of the College by donating to the Bayside Foundation.



## Building Fund

Provides an opportunity for families to invest in resources and infrastructure projects.

Investing into future developments will ensure the College has the facilities for students to continue to develop and thrive.



**Bayside Christian College is committed to planning for the future and to aligning its practices to our vision.**

- Strategic Intent 2020-2030



## Bursary Support

The Bursary Fund provides financial support for low-income families who cannot afford Christian education due to short to medium-term financial hardship.