

# 2017 Fee Schedule

OPERATIONAL FEES	One Child	Two Children	Three or more Children
PER FAMILY	\$1906	\$2538	\$2625

EXCURSIONS AND LEVIES			
YEAR LEVEL	Prep	Years 1-4	Years 5 & 6
PER CHILD	\$704	\$418	\$495

OTHER LEVIES	
ICLT LEVY	\$220 (per child)
LEADERSHIP LEVY	\$600 (Year 6 only - per child)

The **Operational Fee** is charged per family and covers tuition, day-to-day costs (e.g. stationery, electricity, insurance, cleaning, maintenance), and some teaching resources (e.g. Library materials and computer hardware, software, and licensing fees). It also includes a payment towards our school building fund. We are fortunate that our P&F Association supports the school in a range of areas.

**Excursions and Levies** are charged per child. These comprise **The Archdiocesan Education Levy (AEL)** and the **Brisbane Catholic Education - Catholic Future Schools Land Acquisition Fund (CSFLAF)** that were previously charged per family and formed part of the school's Operational Fees. The AEL for St Elizabeth's is \$218 per student and the CSFLAF is \$20 per student. Levies and Excursions also include activities such as swimming lessons, incursions (e.g. Arts Council), excursions, and IT licences such as Reading Eggs and Mathletics. It also covers transport to local cluster events for children in Years 4-6 (e.g., Cross Country at Yeronga) and some additional classroom resources that are needed, especially in our early years where the use of consumables is much greater.

The Excursions and Levies charge varies between year levels as a result of the educational needs and resourcing requirements for children of varying ages. Factors such as play-based learning and the greater need for hands on learning resources and consumables in Prep require a higher operational cost. Increased involvement in competitive, interschool sport is the primary factor for the increased levy in Years 5 & 6.

The **ICLT levy** is charged per child and covers the cost of all student devices in the school. Students in Prep to Year 2 access class sets of iPads, while Year 3 students access a class bank of Apple MacAirs. Students in Years 4 & 5 are working in a 1-1 MacAir program, where all students are assigned and take responsibility, for a MacAir Laptop. Year 6 students will join the 1-1 environment in 2017 using a MacAir device. Tech support is currently covered in existing fees and levies.

The **Year 6 Leadership Levy** is charged per child in Year 6 and covers all aspects of Year 6 Leadership, including an extended Leadership Camp, Student Leadership Conference, Senior Shirt, Peer Mediation, End of Year Overnight Retreat and End of Year celebrations.

The only cost that is not included in school fees is the **Year 5 Camp fee**. This is charged per child in Year 5 and is included in the School Fee Statement in four instalments of approx. \$60 over the year. *(Full price of camp as yet to be confirmed-once confirmed, Term 4 instalment may alter).*

*(Please note that a \$50 reduction is given to families who pay their full annual fees by the due date in Term 1. \*conditions apply\*)*