

CURRICULUM CONTRIBUTIONS - Years 1-6 2024

Please find the itemised list of items and activities that students use or participate in to access the Curriculum.

Curriculum Consumables	Description	Amount
Book Pack	All classroom materials including books, pencils, glue sticks, writing, scrap books that your child will use in the classroom.	
Maths	Consumable materials for Maths eg: match sticks, popsicle sticks, string, graph paper, numeracy blocks, maths kits, stationary.	\$15
S.T.E.M.	Consumable materials for S.T.E.M. eg: Bi-carb soda, flour, paper cups, salt, straws, pipe cleaners, balloons, rubber gloves etc.	\$30
The Arts – Music, Visual, Multi Media	Consumable materials for Art eg: paper plates, cotton wool, popsicle sticks, paste, google eyes, crepe paper, cellophane, sequins, confetti.	\$20
Digital Subscriptions	Reading Eggs, Soundwaves.	\$25
Printing & Photocopying	Printing of worksheets and learning materials.	\$15
Diary	To be issued at school – This planner includes school specific information	\$10
Incursion	Life Education, Book Week.	\$20
	Total	\$175

Other Contributions

Non-Curriculum items and activities to support the daily operation and objectives of The Lakes South Morang College.

Other Contributions - for non-curriculum items and activities			Amount
Student & parent/carer communication tools – Sentral Student Wellbeing Programs School Sports Victoria Membership School Grounds maintenance and improvements	/Compass/Verso		\$50

Financial Support for Families

The Lakes South Morang College understands that some families may experience financial difficulty and offers a range of support options, including:

- State Schools Relief (SSR) provides financial support for eligible families to purchase uniform at a reduced rate.
- The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund for eligible students to attend camps, sports and excursions.
 CSEF is available for eligible families (\$150 for primary and \$250 for secondary). Applications forms are available at the office for new and/or existing families. Parents who currently receive the CSEF payments and remain eligible will automatically have their 2024 application processed by the office.
- Payment plans for Extra-Curricular Items and Activities.

For a confidential discussion about accessing these services, or if you would like to discuss alternative payment arrangements, contact: Dale Saliba Business Manager on 9401 3919/email: dale.saliba@education.vic.gov.au

Payment methods

Parent/Carer contributions towards the requested payments are vital in maintaining the quality of education that we provide at The Lakes South Morang College.

Payment can be made by -

- QKR (preferred method)
- Compass (coming in early 2024)
- Eftpos/cash at the school office.



Refunds

Parent/Carer requests for refunds are subject to the discretion of the school and made on a case-by-case basis. Refunds will be provided where the school deems it is reasonable and fair to do so, taking into consideration whether a cost has been incurred, the Department's Parent Payments Policy and Guidance, Financial Help for Families Policy, and any other relevant information.

Extra- Curricular Items and Activities – provided on a user pays basis

The Lakes South Morang College offers a range of items and activities that enhance or broaden the schooling experience of students and are above and beyond what the school provides in order to deliver the Curriculum. These are provided on a user-pays basis. Details of these items and activities will be provided to students and families throughout the year via Sentral. CSEF can be used to pay for extra-curricular activities.

Extra-Curricular Activity	ty	Amount
Interschool Sports	Years 5 & 6	ТВА
Excursions Year 1	Minibeasts incursion	\$16
	Melbourne Museum	\$30
	Swimming	\$40
Excursions Year 2	Westgarth Town	\$20
	Incursion – 'The Invisibles'	\$20
	Sleepover	\$5
	Edendale Farm	\$30
	Swimming	\$40
Excursions Year 3	Incursion – Australian Government	\$19
	3/4 Camp – Ranch Mornington Peninsula	\$285
	Swimming	\$40
Excursions Year 4	Quantum -Inquiry	\$25
	3/4 Camp – Ranch Mornington Peninsula	\$285
	Scienceworks	\$20
	Melbourne Museum	\$20
Excursions Year 5	Victorian Space Science Education – Inquiry (VSSEC)	\$30
	Victorian Coding Challenge State Competition (selected students)	TBA
	Melbourne Zoo	\$35
Excursions Year 6	VSSEC Space Incursion	\$20
	Quantum 3D Design Excursion	\$25
	ACMI Kids News Excursion	\$20