

4th November 2023

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Kororoit Creek Primary School is looking forward to another great year of teaching and learning in 2023. This letter is to inform you of the voluntary financial contributions for 2023 and the structure that has been set out and agreed to by our school council.

Kororoit Creek primary school provides students with free instruction to fulfil the standard Victorian Curriculum and for students to participate in the Primary Years Programme. To successfully run these programs, we ask that you make a voluntary contribution to support in the teaching and learning of students at KCPS. This ongoing support from our families ensures that our school can offer the best possible education and support for our students. We want to thank you for all your support, whether that's through fundraising or volunteering your time. This has made a huge difference to our school and the programs we can offer.

Within our school this support has allowed us to establish classroom libraries, health and hygiene practices such as providing sunscreen, hand sanitiser and first aid materials for our students throughout the year as well as additional activities and services for all students.

It would be greatly appreciated if curriculum contributions could be made by Friday the 17th of February. Or alternately you can choose to pay by 4 equal instalments which will be debited directly from your nominated credit card on the following dates;

1 st Instalment	17 th February 2023
2 nd Instalment	24 th March 2023
3 rd Instalment	21 st April 2023
4 th Instalment	2 nd June 2023

It is preferred that all payments are made through Compass. If you have any difficulty, please contact the office on 8358 0600.

Student supplies will be delivered directly to the classrooms at the beginning of the 2023 school year.

For further information on the Department's Parent Payments Policy please see a one-page overview attached.

Yours sincerely,



Bethany Riseley
Principal



Curriculum Contributions	Amount
Year 4 Classroom consumables, materials & equipment such as writing books, pencils, glue sticks etc. A full list of supplies is available on our website https://kororoitcreekps.vic.edu.au/about-kcps/#policies	\$177.00
Online Subscriptions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mathletics • Reading Eggs • Seesaw 	\$ 25.00
Subtotal Curriculum Contributions – curriculum items and activities	\$ 181.00
Other Contributions	Amount
First Aid & Hygiene	\$ 10.00
Classroom Library	\$ 10.00
Subtotal Other Contributions - for non-curriculum items and activities	\$ 20.00
Total Contributions	\$222.00

Extra-Curricular Items and Activities

Kororoit Creek Primary School 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 to deliver the Curriculum. These are provided on a user-pays basis. Parent/guardians may choose for their child to participate.

Extra-Curricular Items and Activities	Amount
Swimming Program – Total of 15 lessons (This will be invoiced and due for payment via Compass at the start of the term your child is swimming) \$69 per term (This fee has been subsidised by the 'Swimming in Schools' grant from DET.)	\$138
School Magazine/Yearbook	TBA
Incursions, Excursions and Events (To Be Scheduled)	TBA
School Photos (Arthur Reed)	TBA
Genesis Music	TBA

GRADE 4

STUDENT SUPPLIES

PICTOR VISUAL ART DIARY A4 PP 120 PAGE 110GSM BLACK

PICTOR MEGA SPACEBUDDIES SCRAPBOOK 100GSM 64 PAGE 330 X 240MM

INITIATIVE HIGHLIGHTER WALLET OF 4

STAEDTLER 2 HOLE SCHOOL PENCIL SHARPENER WITH BARREL

STAEDTLER NORIS COLOUR TRIANGULAR COLOURING PENCILS BOX 24

DOCUMENT WALLET A4 BUTTON BLUE

PICTOR PREMIUM EXERCISE BOOK DOTTED THIRDS 14MM 70GSM 96 PAGE A4 GALAXY

STAEDTLER TRIPLUS 334 PR12 FINELINER PENS PACK 10/12

FABER-CASTELL CONNECTOR MARKER PEN ASSORTED WALLET 12

OFFICE NATIONAL SELFSTICK REMOVABLE NOTES 75X75MM

PICTOR PREMIUM GRAPH BOOK 10MM 70GSM 48 PAGE A4 SUN

ITALPLAST I55 GREENR MAGAZINE STAND -251(L) x 100(W) x 300(H)MM BLACK

MARBIG DISPLAY BOOK REFILLABLE 20 POCKET A4 GREEN

Protex exercise book dotted thirds 14MM 70GSM 64 Page A4 Lion Assorted

Protex exercise book dotted thirds 14MM 70GSM 64 Page A4 Chicken Assorted

Protex animal magic scrap book 100GSM 64 Page 330 x 240MM Assorted

Protex Graph book 10MM 96 Page Bily A4 Assorted

Staedtler 221 Noris club twist crayons assorted colours pack 12

RULER WOODEN 300MM POLISHED

STAEDTLER FSC HEXAGONAL PENCIL HB

BANTEX ERASER SMALL

SCHOOL SCISSORS BLUE HANDLE 160MM ROUNDED END

EXPO SHARPIE WHITEBOARD MARKER BULLET TIP 2.0MM BLACK

MARBIG MANILLA FOLDER FOOLSCAP ASSORTED PACK 20

WRITER WRITING PAPER A4 DOTTED THIRDS 14MM PORTRAIT 500 SHEETS

PARENT PAYMENTS POLICY

ONE PAGE OVERVIEW



FREE INSTRUCTION

- Schools provide students with free instruction and ensure students have free access to all items, activities and services that are used by the school to fulfil the standard curriculum requirements in Victorian Curriculum F-10, VCE and VCAL.
- Schools may invite parents to make a financial contribution to support the school.



PARENT PAYMENT REQUESTS

Schools can request contributions from parents under three categories:

Curriculum Contributions

Voluntary financial contributions for curriculum items and activities which the school deems necessary for students to learn the Curriculum.

Other Contributions

Voluntary financial contributions for non-curriculum items and activities that relate to the school's functions and objectives.

Extra-Curricular Items and Activities

Items and activities that enhance or broaden the schooling experience of students and are above and beyond what the school provides for free to deliver the Curriculum. These are provided on a user-pays basis.

- Schools may also invite parents to supply or purchase educational items to use and own (e.g. textbooks, stationery, digital devices).



FINANCIAL HELP FOR FAMILIES

- Schools put in place financial hardship arrangements to support families who cannot pay for items or activities so that their child doesn't miss out.
- Schools have a nominated parent payment contact person(s) that parents can have a confidential discussion with regarding financial hardship arrangements.



SCHOOL PROCESSES

- Schools must obtain school council approval for their parent payment arrangements and publish all requests and communications for each year level on their school website for transparency.