



LUTHERAN SCHOOL WAGGA WAGGA

2020 FEES

Enrolment Fees (for new enrolments only)

Enrolment Application Fee

A non-refundable Enrolment Application Fee of \$50 applies on acceptance of an offer of a place in our school.

Enrolment Confirmation Fee

An Enrolment Confirmation Fee of \$375 per child is required to secure each enrolment. This fee is credited to your first term fees on your child taking up their place in class.

Please visit www.lpsww.nsw.edu.au for more information on the enrolment process.

Annual Fees

Our Commitment to our Families

Lutheran School Wagga Wagga offers students a comprehensive and enriching program to help each child grow to their full potential.

Our tuition fee includes *ALL* compulsory activities where a whole class or the whole school is involved. This means that families can have peace of mind they will not receive additional fees and charges throughout the year while students are participating in compulsory school activities.

The *only* extra costs you can expect to receive for a class or school activity are for the Years 3 to 6 overnight camps and some higher level school representation (e.g. state or national competitions).

Discounts apply to siblings enrolled.

The compulsory tuition fee covers all costs and resources associated with the delivery of all compulsory curriculum and associated learning activities where a whole class or the whole school is involved, as follows:

Across Year Levels:

1. Class tuition, all materials and stationery items K-6
2. Specialist teachers for timetabled weekly PE, Music and German lessons K-6
3. Support and enrichment teachers K-6
4. Learning Assistant support K-6
5. Chaplaincy service and care program
6. Class activities including excursions and transport costs, swimming lessons (K-2), visiting performances or educators, gymnastics program (Years 2, 4 and 6)
7. Access to interactive whiteboards, iPads, laptops (K-6) and 1-1 laptop program (Years 5 and 6)
8. School activities including interhouse and interschool sport and gala days
9. Annual school year book 'The Gift'
10. Student Accident Insurance

Extra Curricular Activities:

1. Music - Choir, Recorder Group, Drum Circle
2. Representative sport – snow sports, mountain biking, swimming, athletics, cross country
3. Chess and Tournament of Minds
4. Spellmaster and Mastermind Competitions
5. School Clubs including robotic, art, craft, band and kitchen garden groups.

Fees do not cover:

1. Uniforms
2. Overnight excursions and camps (Years 3-6)

Our school also offers the following optional activities (during school hours) on a user pays basis:

1. Conservatorium of Music instrumental lessons
2. Speech and Drama lessons
3. UNSW International Competitions and Assessments for Schools (ICAS)

Tuition Fees

All students from Kindergarten to Year 6 pay a compulsory tuition fee (that includes a book and stationery component). A stationery pack is given to each child on the first day of the school year.

Number of Children per family	Fee Per Term \$	Annual Fee \$
1	960	3,840
2	1,795	7,180
3	2,530	10,120
4	3,265	13,060

Uniforms

The P&F Committee operates a second hand Uniform Shop with all the required items except footwear. For opening hours and contact details please see the school newsletter on www.lpsww.nsw.edu.au or the school app. New school hats, bags and house colour bandannas can be purchased from the school office during normal office hours. New uniforms can be purchased from Lowes, 166 Baylis Street, Wagga Wagga.

Voluntary P&F Levy

The P&F Committee has a voluntary levy of \$20 per family per term, itemised on your fee invoice. The levy assists P&F with its fundraising on behalf of the school and all levy monies go back to the school. Parents who are unable to be involved with the P & F may prefer to support the P & F through this voluntary levy.

Voluntary School Tax Deductible Funds

The school operates two tax deductible funds: Building Fund and Library Fund. All monies donated are used strictly for the purposes set out in the fund documents. The Building Fund is used for maintenance as well as new building works. The Library Fund provides new book resources. Invoices will contain a suggestion on how to contribute to these funds.

User Pays Optional Activities

The school facilitates individual music, speech and drama lessons during school time for students from Years 2 to 6. External providers deliver these lessons and invoice directly to families. For further information please contact Riverina Conservatorium of Music (www.rivconmusic.org.au); Speaking Out (02 69 253 063 / speakingout@bigpond.com).

International Competitions and Assessments for Schools (ICAS) participation is organised by the school and offered annually to year groups eligible to participate. Information will be provided to all relevant families through the school newsletter.

Payment of Fees

Making Payments

Statements are issued at the start of each term and mailed to each family.

The school's preferred method of payment is by direct debit. We offer a number of options for the timing of these payments to fit with individual families' needs.

Overdue Fees

Families experiencing difficulty in making full payment by the due date should contact the Business Manager before the fees are due. A Direct Debit Payment Plan may be required as part of an arrangement with the school.

Fee Assistance

We realise individual circumstances can change over time and our goal is to help families in genuine hardship remain in the school. Families are encouraged to contact the school as soon as possible and a confidential meeting will be arranged with the Principal or the Business Manager.

If you have any questions regarding our fee structure, please contact the Principal or Business Manager on 02 69 238 100 or email:-

principal@lpsww.nsw.edu.au

businessmanager@lpsww.nsw.edu.au