



# Fee Schedule

Marist Catholic College Penshurst is a systemic school administered by Sydney Catholic Schools (SCS). Some government funding is received for children attending Catholic Schools. This funding does not cover the costs of running these schools and therefore there is a need to have annual school fees. These fees are a combination of tuition fees, school building levy and school-based charges.

Sydney Catholic Schools encourages payment by instalments – annually, per term, monthly, fortnightly or weekly. Your statement will indicate the due date according to your chosen instalment plan. Where no instalment plan has been chosen, the default option is Annually and those due dates are shown on your statement.

Where an Enrolment Acceptance Form has been signed by both parents/carers, both are individually responsible for school fees. Each fee payer will receive a copy of the account. Sydney Catholic Schools is unable to split school fee accounts.

Parents/Carers who need support to meet the cost of educating their child in a systemic Catholic School may be eligible for a bursary through the Catholic Education Foundation. Information about the Catholic Education Foundation can be obtained from the SCS website. School fee assistance for eligible families is also available from the College by requesting an *Application for Financial Assistance* form. This documentation is to be completed and lodged at your eldest child's school.

## SUMMARY OF SCHOOL FEES

The Archdiocesan Tuition Fees and Building Levy are set by Sydney Catholic Schools.

### 2023 TUITION FEES

	1 <sup>st</sup> CHILD	2 <sup>nd</sup> CHILD 10% discount	3 <sup>rd</sup> CHILD 35% discount
Year 7 - 8	\$1906	\$1715.40	\$1238.90
Year 9 - 10	\$2112	\$1900.80	\$1372.80
Year 11 - 12	\$2815	\$2533.50	\$1829.75

The fourth or subsequent children of a family will not be charged tuition fees. However, all school-based fees will apply.

The Archdiocesan Tuition Fees will continue to provide for emergency ambulance transport via the SCS group policy with NSW Ambulance Service and student accident insurance cover through Catholic Church Insurances Limited. This 24-hour cover is for school activities during school hours and other approved school activities outside school hours such as school camps, school sports, work experience and travelling to and from school.

**BUILDING LEVY** is used to help pay for the loans taken out by SCS to cover building works, repairs and maintenance in school buildings. The current building levy is-

	PER FAMILY
BUILDING LEVY	\$1079

## 2023 SCHOOL-BASED CHARGES

Marist Catholic College Penshurst working with our SCS Finance Business Partner has set the following School-Based Charges:

2023 Bill Items	Yr 7	Yr 8	Yr 9	Yr 10	Yr 11	Yr 12
ICT Levy	\$390	\$390	\$390	\$390	\$390	\$390
Resource Fee	\$750	\$750	\$750	\$750	\$650	\$650
Administration Fee	\$460	\$460	\$460	\$460	\$460	\$460
Excursion/Incursion Fee	\$210	\$210	\$210	\$210	\$200	
Sports Levy	\$420	\$420	\$420	\$420	\$420	
Camp / Retreat	\$370		\$580			\$300

**RESOURCE LEVY per student** covers the cost of teaching resources and provides:

- ❖ The College Diary.
- ❖ Electronic Textbooks for Years 7 to 10. Students in Years 11 & 12 purchase their own textbooks.
- ❖ Course resources for classroom use.
- ❖ Copyright licenses and photocopying rights.
- ❖ Library running costs include the library management system and audiovisual materials.
- ❖ Charitable Donation levy (\$15 for 3 mufti days with all funds to be distributed to 3 separate Catholic charities).
- ❖ College Events.

**ADMIN LEVY per student** contributes towards the provision of consumables.

**EXCURSION LEVY per student** covers all excursions, incursions and competitions.

**ICT LEVY per student** contributes towards software licensing, internet charges and provision of hardware and audio-visual needs across the College. The ICT Levy does not cover non-warranty BYOD laptop repairs.

**SPORTS LEVY per student** covers the provision of the weekly Physical Activity Program, athletic and swimming carnivals, transportation to sporting venues and SCS Interschool and Representative Sports fees.

**CAMP & RETREAT LEVY per student** - Years 7, 9 and 12.

## OTHER SCHOOL-BASED CHARGES

❖ The Year 12 formal charged in Term 3.