2017 TUITION FEES & SUBJECT LEVIES

Additional Information

- Family discounts on tuition fees are:
  - 10% for second child when children are attending the College concurrently
  - 100% for third and subsequent children attending the College concurrently
  
  e.g.
  - Child No 1 in Year 11 – Tuition Fees $2859.00
  - Child No 2 in Year 9 – Tuition Fees $2596.00
  - Child No 3 in Year 7 – Tuition Fees No charge

- It is important to note that the family discount applies to tuition fees only and that the capital levy will apply for the family and subject levies still apply for each student.

- The School Fees Policy and Fee Concession Policy is available for your information on the College web page. Please refer to the “Information” heading and the “College Policies” section.

- If a student leaves the College during the year, the refund that will be given will be a percentage of the Tuition Fee only. This amount will be credited to your account or refunded if the account balance is nil.

- The subject levy covers the cost of basic student resources, materials, consumables and all minor excursions, including transport. Parents will not be asked to pay anything further throughout the year for school related activities apart from the camps, overnight excursions and retreat programs unless students are involved in sporting teams.

- It is the College policy that no student will be excluded because of his/her parents’ inability to pay tuition fees. Information supplied to the College for this purpose is kept strictly confidential. St Joseph’s College has proven over the years that is more than prepared to assist families by offering fee discounts and fee concession.

- Families who for a variety of circumstances wish to apply for some fee concession need only to arrange an appointment with the Business Manager, Mr. David Lim, to discuss options available. Prior to making this appointment families should complete an Application for Fee Concession form available upon request from the Business Manager. The Application for Fee Concession should then be forwarded to the Business Manager with the appropriate supporting documentation.

- College fees can be paid by:
  - Cash
  - Centrepay
  - Cheque
  - Credit Card
- **EFTPOS**
- **Direct Credit**
- **Direct Debit**

- **The College’s preferred method of fee collection is Direct Debit.** Direct Debit enables families, who calculate their annual College costs, to spread these costs evenly over 2017 via regular (weekly, fortnightly or monthly) payments generated on your behalf by the College.

- **Families who in 2016 paid via Direct Debit or College processed credit card payments will have this payment arrangement continue into 2017 unless the College is otherwise instructed.**

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**Please note**

It is the family’s responsibility to request the Conveyance Allowance Application forms once they are advertised as available during Term 1 2017 in the College Newsletter.

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To be eligible to receive a conveyance allowance, a student must:

- Live more than 4.8km by the shortest practicable route from the nearest school attended
- Be enrolled at the nearest government primary school or secondary school, or at the nearest appropriate registered non-government.
- No private car allowance is payable if the journey to and from school could be made by using a public transport service or contract school bus.