



8 December, 2017

Dear Parents

St John's  
Lutheran  
School and  
Kindergarten

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## 2018 SCHOOL FEES

St John's Lutheran School strives to provide a quality Christian education at an affordable cost to our families. In setting the 2018 fee structure, the School Council has been very mindful of the impact any increase has on our families. The Council is also aware of the need to be good stewards, provide sufficient facilities and resources, and to deliver a balanced, effective and affordable education program for your child/ren.

### Tuition Fees

Year Level	Annual Tuition Fee	Per Term	Per Month (10 months – February to November)	Per Week (40 Weeks Commencing 9 February 2018 to 9 November 2018)	Annual with Early Payment Discount (Paid by Feb 28, 2018)
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Kinder</b>	1,664	416	166.40	41.60	1,614.08
<b>Prep</b>	4,100	1,025	410.00	102.50	3,977.00
<b>1</b>	4,100	1,025	410.00	102.50	3,977.00
<b>2</b>	4,100	1,025	410.00	102.50	3,977.00
<b>3</b>	4,264	1,066	426.40	106.60	4,136.08
<b>4</b>	4,264	1,066	426.40	106.60	4,136.08
<b>5</b>	4,264	1,066	426.40	106.60	4,136.08
<b>6</b>	4,264	1,066	426.40	106.60	4,136.08

**Discounts - Sibling discounts** (which include siblings enrolled across both St John's Lutheran School and Geelong Lutheran College) are applied to the Annual Tuition Fees as follows: Second child 10%, Third child 25%, Fourth child and subsequent children 50%.

**Early Payment discount** - Families wishing to pay their full year's fees before the end of February 2018 will be eligible for a 3% discount on Annual Tuition Fees.

**Payment Due Dates and Methods** - Fee statements are issued by the beginning of each term, and are payable within **14 days** of the term commencing. A payment plan can be arranged where you are able to pay fees by instalments either weekly, fortnightly or monthly.





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The School offers payments via a Direct Debit (preferred method – you do not have to be a Westpac customer) from your account or credit card, BPay, Direct Deposit, Cash or Cheque.

Details for direct deposit into the School's Westpac bank account are as follows:

BSB:	033-157
Account Number:	537376
Name of Account:	St John's Lutheran School

***Please ensure that your bank includes your Parent Code (located on the top, right hand of your statement) on the deposit.***

**Excursions and Camps** – Excursions and year level camps, that are considered part of the core curriculum, are covered within the Annual Tuition Fees.

**Swimming Lessons** – Swimming Lessons are provided for students in Primary School and are charged to each child on the Fee Account.

**Voluntary Building Fund** - A Voluntary Tax Deductible Building Fund Donation is sought, of \$50 per term/\$200 per year per child.

The School has an ongoing building program as well as a structured building maintenance schedule which requires the timely payment of fees and the additional contributions made by parents via the voluntary Building Fund.

A **tax deductible** Building Fund contribution is shown on parent statements, however it does not form part of the fees.

Building Fund Donations can be paid by including them in your calculations for payment of your Annual Tuition Fees or by a Direct Debit each term.

Please contact Tina Adam at the Geelong Lutheran College Office (phone: 5264 1038 or email [accounts@stjohns.vic.edu.au](mailto:accounts@stjohns.vic.edu.au)) should you have any questions or concerns regarding your school fees.

Sincerely

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