



**St Mary's Campus** Years 10–12

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# Family Fees 2024

Fa	milies with	one stude	ent		
	ANNUAL FAMILY FEES \$6,810				
Per Week	Per Fortnight	Per Month	Per Term		
\$154.78	\$309.55	\$681.00	\$1,702.50		

Each year the College fees are prepared under the guidance and direction of the College Advisory Council and are then reviewed and approved by Mercy Education Limited to ensure any fee increases are kept to a minimum. Family Fees cover tuition, ICT (laptop) levy, camps, excursions, reflection days and retreats.

Please note: Whilst the cost of fees includes camps, excursions, reflection days and retreats, refunds do not apply for non-attendance at any of these activities.

#### Information & Communication Technology (ICT)

To ensure our students remain as leaders in technology the College provides a laptop to all students. The cost to provide laptops and technology infrastructure is included in the Family Fees.

In addition to the laptop, students are provided with a carry bag, a comprehensive collection of educational software, extended warranty, comprehensive insurance cover, full service and maintenance conducted by College technicians.

Please note: Pro rata refunds do not apply in the case where students leave the College during the year. Year 9 and Year 12 students will have the option of purchasing their laptop at the end of the year. Students who are not choosing to purchase their laptop are required to return their device to the College. Any damages will be invoiced on the fee account.

### **Billing Arrangements**

Fee statements will be sent to families in January 2024.

#### **Payment Arrangements**

Families who wish to pay fees for 2024 as a lump sum, an **Early Fee Payment discount is offered at \$275 per student** (maximum two students) when fees are paid in full by 31 January 2024. Please contact the Finance Office if you are considering upfront payment.

**Instalment payments of fee accounts are to be paid by direct debit which will be charged over a 10-month period** (please see our 2024 Direct Debit Fee Payment Schedule on page 2 for payment dates). The default payment option is fortnightly. Families have the option to select weekly, fortnightly, monthly or term.

Please note: Direct Debit returns/rejections will incur a charge of \$3 to cover fees charged by our financial institution. This charge will be added to the fee account.

#### Families with two or more students

	ANNUAL F/ <b>\$13</b>		
Per Week	Per Fortnight	Per Month	Per Term
\$309.55	\$619.09	\$1,362.00	\$3,405.00

Direct debit options are as follows:

- 44 Weekly payments commencing 02/02/2024
- 22 Fortnightly payments commencing 02/02/2024
- 22 Fortnightly payments commencing 09/02/2024
- 10 Monthly payments commencing 15/02/2024
- 4 Term payments commencing on 02/02/2024

Refer page 2 for 2024 Direct Debit Fee Payment Schedule

#### If any of these dates fall on a Public Holiday, or on a weekend, the direct debit will be processed on the preceding business day.

All current direct debit amounts will be automatically updated to reflect the 2024 payment amounts. Any new families in 2024, or those current families wishing to change their payment frequency, should complete the **Request For Direct Debit Tuition Fees/Charges form** located on the College website <u>School Fees page</u>. Please return via email to <u>fees@cmc.vic.edu.au</u> by 15 January 2024.

Please note that subject-specific fees as noted on the booklist are additional.

Students who nominate to use the Strathfieldsaye Charter Bus will incur a separate contribution levy, additional to the Family Fee.

If students exit the College prior to the end of the school year, all fees payable to the date of exit, including any arrears, are to be paid in accordance with payment plans agreed with the Finance Office.

For more information, you can access our Enrolment Policy, School Fee Policy and School Fee Collection Policy on the College website <u>School Fees page</u>.

## **Fee Difficulties**

If you experience difficulties paying fees in 2024, the College is open to discussing your individual circumstances. Assistance is available in the form of a concession on Family Fees where genuine need exists. Confidentiality is assured.

#### Enquiries – Finance Office: (03) 5445 9191

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WEEKLY	FORTNIGHTLY WEEK 1	FORTNIGHTLY WEEK 2	MONTHLY	TERM
2/02/2024	2/02/2024	9/02/2024	15/02/2024	2/02/2024
9/02/2024	16/02/2024	23/02/2024	15/03/2024	19/04/2024
16/02/2024	1/03/2024	8/03/2024	15/04/2024	19/07/2024
23/02/2024	15/03/2024	22/03/2024	15/05/2024	11/10/2024
1/03/2024	29/03/2024	5/04/2024	14/06/2024	
8/03/2024	12/04/2024	19/04/2024	15/07/2024	
15/03/2024	26/04/2024	3/05/2024	15/08/2024	
22/03/2024	10/05/2024	17/05/2024	13/09/2024	
29/03/2024	24/05/2024	31/05/2024	15/10/2024	
5/04/2024	7/06/2024	14/06/2024	15/11/2024	
12/04/2024	21/06/2024	28/06/2024		
19/04/2024	5/07/2024	12/07/2024		
26/04/2024	19/07/2024	26/07/2024		
3/05/2024	2/08/2024	9/08/2024		
10/05/2024	16/08/2024	23/08/2024		
17/05/2024	30/08/2024	6/09/2024		
24/05/2024	13/09/2024	20/09/2024		
31/05/2024	27/09/2024	4/10/2024		
7/06/2024	11/10/2024	18/10/2024		
14/06/2024	25/10/2024	1/11/2024		
21/06/2024	8/11/2024	15/11/2024		
28/06/2024	22/11/2024	29/11/2024		
5/07/2024				
12/07/2024				
19/07/2024				
26/07/2024				
2/08/2024				
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