

# Our Lady of La Vang

Catholic Special Schools Inc

Specialist educational facility for students with intellectual disability

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## Our Lady of La Vang Fee Schedule 2023

Please find enclosed the school fees for 2023 as approved by the school board in consultation with the finance committee. The payment of fees is a responsibility and commitment by Parents/Guardians and ensures the school maintains quality education and resources for the benefit of all students.

### Billing information

School fees are invoiced annually (at the beginning of the year) with statements being issued at least once per term. Payment plans are to be established and organised to ensure you meet your financial obligations to the school.

### School Fee schedule for 2023

	Full Fee	Reduced Fee (School Card Remission)
<b>1 Child</b>	\$2,050	\$980

### Incursions/excursions levy

This is a compulsory levy of \$400 per annum which will be invoiced separately.

The school decided not to charge this levy for the past two years due to COVID restrictions. In 2021 & 2022, our students continued to participate in some incursions and excursions which were provided by the school. With the relaxation of restrictions, it is anticipated that normal excursions and incursions will resume in 2023.

### Bus Transport (before and after school)

The school operates a bus service that is available to transport students to and from school each day. The route for these buses is restricted to a certain geographical area and fees apply.

**For 2023 the bus fee is \$1600 per annum** which is invoiced at the beginning of the year on a pro rata pay basis for those that require this service. Bus fees can be added to your payment plan by arrangement.

A voluntary Bus Donation of \$100 per year is not included in your fee invoice. This contributes towards replacing our existing buses, is tax deductible and is very much appreciated.

### Payment Methods:

This year, we have introduced a payment plan form that will assist you in managing your fee payments and enable us to provide statements each term.

A discount of 5% will automatically be applied to fees that have been fully paid by the end of Week 11 Term 1, i.e. Friday 14 April.

The school offers various payment methods and frequencies to allow you to pay your fees by the most convenient method. The following invoice payment methods are available:

- Direct Debit
- Centrepay Deductions
- BPay
- Eftpos

### **Financial support/hardship:**

If you who are experiencing financial difficulties, you are encouraged to contact the school as early as possible to discuss your particular circumstances. All discussions and arrangements are in the strictest confidence.

Families who are be eligible for School Card Remission (based on low income) will attract a discount. If you think you may be eligible for School Card please online via using the following address:

<https://www.sa.gov.au/topics/education-and-learning/financial-help-scholarships-and-grants/school-card-scheme#title1>

### **Sibling Discount:**

The school offers discounts on tuition fees for families with children in other Catholic schools. These discounts apply for multiple children in the one school or across all Catholic Schools.

Please note an amount has been applied on your statement if the school has been notified. If you have a child or children enrolled in another Catholic school and this is not reflected on your account, please email [finance@lavang.catholic.edu.au](mailto:finance@lavang.catholic.edu.au) or notify the office with the details for possible re-assessment of school fees.

### **Payment Plan Agreement Form:**

Please complete and sign the attached agreement form and return it to the office by 10 February 2023 to enable the establishment of suitable payment plans.

With thanks for your support of your child and our school.



Stephanie Grant  
Principal  
22 December 2022