

Dear Parents/Guardians,

This letter includes important information about the fees and inclusions for the SRS. If you have previously opted in to the SRS your participation is assumed for the remainder of your child's enrolment, unless you inform the school otherwise by completing a new participation agreement form. If you are a new parent to the school, this information will assist you in making a decision as to whether you wish to participate in the SRS.

### **What is provided by the Queensland Government?**

The Queensland Government supports children's education by providing funding for instruction (teachers), facilities (school grounds and buildings, internet), and administration (staff to run the school). Funding for schools does not extend to individual student resources such as textbooks, equipment for personal use, and many items used by the student in the classroom.

The SRS helps parents to source these resources. The school can purchase resources at lower rates due to its bulk buying power. Resources such as textbooks or musical instruments that will be used over a period of time are hired to students to further reduce costs for families. Participating in the SRS also offers a convenient way for parents to source the items that their child needs for school, and ensures that all students have access to the same standard of resources.

### **The types of resources that will be included are:**

- **Owned by the student** – e.g. student diary – once provided, these items are retained by the student and used at their discretion.
- **Hired to the student** for a specific duration of time – e.g. textbooks or musical instruments—these items will need to be returned to the school in reasonable condition at the end of the hire period or if the student leaves the school.
- **Used in class** – e.g. stationery, timber, material, workbooks – these items will be used in class. Finished products that are created from these resources will generally come home with the student.

### **The Fee**

The SRS fee is \$220.00. This is calculated as a flat rate for each year level.

If you are not satisfied that the SRS fee represents good value for money based on the inclusions (over the page), you may choose not to participate in the SRS. If that is the case, please complete a new Participation Agreement Form, indicating that you no longer wish to participate. If you choose not to participate, you will be provided with a detailed list of resources that you will need to provide for the student.

## The TRA

The Department of Education provides a Textbook and Resource Allowance (TRA) to assist parents with the cost of textbooks and other education resources for eligible Years 7 to 12 students.

For those students who are eligible to receive the TRA, the TRA will be applied to reduce the cost of participation as shown in the table below. Thus the SRS invoice you receive will be the full cost of participation in the SRS minus the TRA already held at the school.

Please be aware that there may be two lines of charges on your invoice indicating the GST inclusive and GST exclusive fees depending on the resources supplied by the SRS .

## Cost Breakdown

The diagrams below reflect how the TRA has been deducted from the SRS fee for eligible students who have opted in to the Curriculum SRS.

Cost of SRS	TRA	SRS fee due
\$375.00	— \$155.00	= \$220.00

If you have opted to pay the SRS by term instalments you will receive an invoice for the full amount and term instalments will be due on the following dates: 02/02/2024 (\$100), 26/04/2024 (\$60), 19/07/2024 (\$60).

## Financial Difficulty

If you would like to participate, but are experiencing financial difficulties, please contact the school to arrange an appointment to discuss options. Any information that you provide will be confidential.

## Release of resources

Resources will not be distributed until the full or first payment has been paid to the school. Any unpaid invoices, will be managed according to the department's Debt Management Procedure and may result in the student being excluded from the scheme and/or from participating in extra-curricular activities until payments are made.

## Return of hired resources

A repair or replacement cost will be charged to the parent for any items that are damaged or not returned.

## Contact us

If you have any queries regarding the SRS and its inclusions, please contact and arrange an appointment with:

Flagstone SCC Administration - Phone: 5547 9333

## The Curriculum Student Resource Scheme Inclusions

The Curriculum Student Resource Scheme (SRS) is made up of two components. The components are general items and resources for core and elective subjects. The tables below detail the SRS inclusions for these components.

General Items	Resource	Type of Resource	Acquisition cost	Value (to parent)
<b>General items</b>	<b>Administration of Scheme</b>	Hired	\$30.00	\$30.00
	<b>Student Diary</b>	Owned	\$20.00	\$20.00
	<b>Student ID Card</b>	Owned	\$20.00	\$20.00
	<b>Printing Credit</b>	Owned	\$10.00	\$10.00
	<b>ClickView Licence</b>	Used	\$10.00	\$10.00
	<b>Microsoft Agreement (MS Office Suite)</b>	Used	\$5.00	\$5.00
	<b>Day use laptops</b>	Hired	\$1,200.00	\$4.00
<b>(blank)</b>	<b>(blank)</b>	<b>(blank)</b>		
<b>Grand Total</b>			<b>\$1,295.00</b>	<b>\$99.00</b>

Subject	Resource	Type of Resource	Acquisition cost	Value (to parent)
<b>Drama</b>			<b>\$1,221.94</b>	<b>\$36.00</b>
	<b>Juice (play)</b>	Used	\$23.95	\$8.00
	<b>Script (White Earth or similar)</b>	Used	\$14.00	\$5.00
	<b>Children of the black skirt script</b>	Used	\$23.99	\$8.00
	<b>Children of the black skirt recording</b>	Used	\$200.00	\$2.00
	<b>Costumes x 3</b>	Used	\$60.00	\$1.00
	<b>Drama sets/props x 3</b>	Used	\$900.00	\$12.00
<b>English</b>			<b>\$133.00</b>	<b>\$41.00</b>
	<b>Dictionary</b>	Used	\$30.00	\$10.00
	<b>Play - Romeo and Juliet</b>	Hired	\$15.00	\$3.00
	<b>Novel - assorted choices</b>	Hired	\$25.00	\$5.00
	<b>Thesaurus</b>	Used	\$30.00	\$10.00
	<b>Appreciating Poetry</b>	Used	\$30.00	\$10.00
	<b>Activity Sheets</b>	Owned	\$3.00	\$3.00
<b>Music</b>			<b>\$527.45</b>	<b>\$31.27</b>
	<b>Keyboard</b>	Used	\$220.00	\$1.00
	<b>Guitar</b>	Used	\$150.00	\$1.00
	<b>Ukulele</b>	Used	\$30.00	\$1.00
	<b>Essential Music Theory Grade 3</b>	Hired	\$19.95	\$7.00
	<b>The Rock Book</b>	Used	\$62.95	\$21.00
	<b>Bluetooth Speaker</b>	Used	\$44.55	\$0.27

<b>Science</b>		<b>\$888.50</b>	<b>\$30.17</b>
Physics - Velocity Prac	Used	\$40.00	\$0.24
Biology - DNA Modelleing	Used	\$20.00	\$0.13
Chemistry - Flame Test	Used	\$30.00	\$0.20
Chemistry - Reaction Rates	Used	\$30.00	\$0.20
Chemistry - Pop Test	Used	\$30.00	\$0.20
Chemistry - Reaction Rates Assessment	Used	\$50.00	\$0.33
Earth - Biospheres	Used	\$50.00	\$0.30
Cleaning and PPE	Used	\$60.00	\$0.36
Reading Resources	Used	\$1.00	\$1.00
Handouts	Used	\$2.50	\$2.50
Physics - Bottle Rocket Assessment	Used	\$70.00	\$0.42
Physics - Newtons First Law - Inertia	Used	\$15.00	\$0.09
Physics - Create own Intertia activities	Used	\$15.00	\$0.09
Physics - Newtons Second Law - Motion	Used	\$30.00	\$0.18
Physics - Balloon powered car and development	Used	\$10.00	\$0.06
Physics - Water jet propulsion	Used	\$10.00	\$0.06
Physics - Newtons Third Law	Used	\$10.00	\$0.06
Physics - CD Hovercraft	Used	\$10.00	\$0.06
Biology - Strawberry DNA	Used	\$50.00	\$0.33
Biology - Darwin Finch Experiment	Used	\$40.00	\$0.24
Biology - Frog Natural Selection Game	Used	\$15.00	\$0.09
Chemistry - Precipitation Reactions	Used	\$30.00	\$0.18
Chemistry - Metals and Reactions - Redox	Used	\$30.00	\$0.18
Chemistry - Metals and Reactions - Acid	Used	\$30.00	\$0.18
Chemistry - Burning Magnesium	Used	\$30.00	\$0.18
Chemistry - Sodium Demonstration	Used	\$30.00	\$0.20
Earth - Cloud in Jar / Hardboilers	Used	\$25.00	\$0.15
Earth - Thermohaline	Used	\$10.00	\$0.06
Earth - Albedo and Colour	Used	\$10.00	\$0.06

Science	Earth - Universe Expansion	Used	\$10.00	\$0.06
	Earth - Carbon Cycle - Turn Water	Used	\$30.00	\$0.18
	Text - Jacaranda Science 10	Used	\$65.00	\$21.60
<b>Dance</b>			<b>\$9,546.50</b>	<b>\$59.27</b>
	Ballet bar	Used	\$200.00	\$3.00
	Ballet shoes	Used	\$30.00	\$1.00
	Tutu and leo	Used	\$50.00	\$1.00
	Jazz shoes	Used	\$30.00	\$1.00
	Costumes	Used	\$25.00	\$1.00
	Bangara DVD	Used	\$70.00	\$1.00
	Grease	Used	\$20.00	\$1.00
	Harispray	Used	\$20.00	\$1.00
	Dance Count me in	Used	\$56.95	\$19.00
	i-Pads (set of 15)	Used	\$9,000.00	\$30.00
	Bluetooth Speaker	Used	\$44.55	\$0.27
<b>Digital Technologies</b>			<b>\$8,700.00</b>	<b>\$38.00</b>
	3D Printer	Used	\$1,500.00	\$3.00
	Lego Robotics Kits	Used	\$5,000.00	\$20.00
	Arduino + comp sci electronics (LEDs, wires, resistors, etc)	Used	\$1,000.00	\$3.00
	Rasberry Pi 2s (micro computer) + accessroies	Used	\$1,200.00	\$12.00
<b>Health &amp; Physical Education</b>			<b>\$16,622.40</b>	<b>\$70.37</b>
	School produced workbook	Owned	\$3.00	\$3.00
	Text - Queensland Senior Physical Education	Used	\$56.00	\$18.66
	Text - Queensland HPE Book 1, York Education	Used	\$44.50	\$14.83
	Text - Queensland HPE Book 2, York Education	Used	\$44.50	\$14.83
	Sports equipment	Hired	\$16,474.40	\$19.05
<b>Humanities</b>			<b>\$114.95</b>	<b>\$26.35</b>
	Jacaranda Plus - Year 10 History Alive	Used	\$69.95	\$23.35
	In class resources	Used	\$45.00	\$3.00
<b>Japanese</b>			<b>\$90.00</b>	<b>\$23.66</b>
	In class resources	Used	\$60.00	\$7.00
	Language Booklet	Owned	\$10.00	\$10.00
	Japanese - English Dictionary	Used	\$20.00	\$6.66
<b>Mathematics</b>			<b>\$405.00</b>	<b>\$58.00</b>
	Worksheets/Printouts	Used	\$20.00	\$20.00
	Numeracy practice/Builders	Used	\$5.00	\$5.00
	Kent Set	Used	\$10.00	\$1.00

Mathematics	Numeracy activities (dice, cards, etc.)	Used	\$300.00	\$2.00
	Textbook - Cambridge Mathematics for the AC Year 10 (Digital Version)	Hired	\$70.00	\$30.00
<b>Media Arts</b>			<b>\$6,892.00</b>	<b>\$25.50</b>
	Acid Pro	Used	\$200.00	\$2.00
	Mediator	Used	\$200.00	\$2.00
	Movie Studio	Used	\$320.00	\$3.00
	Cartoon Anioator 4	Used	\$300.00	\$2.00
	Graphics tablet	Used	\$150.00	\$1.00
	SLR Camera	Used	\$850.00	\$3.00
	Studio Lights	Used	\$1,200.00	\$4.00
	Pontoon	Used	\$275.00	\$4.00
	Adobe Suite	Used	\$3,397.00	\$4.50
<b>SEL - Social and Emotional Learning</b>			<b>\$5.00</b>	<b>\$5.00</b>
	Handouts	Used	\$5.00	\$5.00
<b>SEP Humanities &amp; Social Sciences</b>			<b>\$1.60</b>	<b>\$1.60</b>
	Work Booklets	Used	\$1.60	\$1.60
<b>SEP Literacy Groups</b>			<b>\$8.87</b>	<b>\$8.87</b>
	Literacy Booklets, Spelling Booklets and Assessment Booklets	Used	\$2.20	\$2.20
	Literacy Boxes	Used	\$6.67	\$6.67
<b>SEP Numeracy Groups</b>			<b>\$1,600.00</b>	<b>\$6.67</b>
	Numeracy Boxes	Used	\$1,600.00	\$6.67
<b>SEP Science Foundations</b>			<b>\$1.60</b>	<b>\$1.60</b>
	Work Booklets	Used	\$1.60	\$1.60
<b>Sports Performance</b>			<b>\$16,622.40</b>	<b>\$70.37</b>
	School produced workbook	Owned	\$3.00	\$3.00
	Text - Queensland Senior Physical Education	Used	\$56.00	\$18.66
	Text - Queensland HPE Book 1, York Education	Used	\$44.50	\$14.83
	Text - Queensland HPE Book 2, York Education	Used	\$44.50	\$14.83
	Sports equipment	Hired	\$16,474.40	\$19.05
<b>Visual Art</b>			<b>\$4,083.75</b>	<b>\$67.33</b>
	Light box	Used	\$295.00	\$1.00
	Printing Press	Used	\$149.00	\$1.00
	Kiln	Used	\$3,000.00	\$3.00
	Slab roller	Used	\$400.00	\$1.00
	Scalpel blades	Used	\$11.75	\$4.00
	Pottery wheel	Used	\$60.00	\$1.00

Visual Art	Art is..... (1999), Sandra Jane, Wiley and Sons	Used	\$42.00	\$14.33
	Artwise Book 1 (1997), Glenis Israel, Wiley and Sons	Used	\$45.00	\$15.00
	Artwise Book 2 (2001), Glenis Israel, Wiley and Sons	Used	\$45.00	\$15.00
	Art Insight, Lou Chamberlin, McGraw Hill	Used	\$36.00	\$12.00
<b>Food &amp; Fibre</b>			<b>\$1,061.00</b>	<b>\$84.13</b>
	Laundry	Used	\$3.00	\$3.00
	On Guard Saftey Training Program	Hired	\$865.00	\$2.88
	food Unit - Cooking condiments and disposable utensils	Used	\$10.00	\$10.00
	Equipment - Cooking & Textiles	Hired	\$10.00	\$10.00
	Textile - Disposables	Used	\$14.00	\$14.00
	Workbooks & Worksheets	Used	\$3.00	\$3.00
	Detergent & Handwash	Used	\$3.00	\$3.00
	Text - Lets, Look at Food, Waddell, MacMillan	Hired	\$30.00	\$7.50
	Text - Food by Design Health, McKenzie, Tully	Hired	\$47.00	\$11.75
	Text - Textiles & Design, Tanya Ridgewell, Longman	Hired	\$37.00	\$9.25
	Text - Food, People, Technology, gail Major and Glenda Maes	Hired	\$39.00	\$9.75
<b>Design &amp; Technology</b>			<b>\$1,148.00</b>	<b>\$77.01</b>
	Text - Design and Technology, P Stensel, Longman	Hired	\$40.00	\$10.00
	Text - Workshop A and B, D Schlyder, PCS Publication	Hired	\$22.00	\$5.50
	Focus On - Workshop Series	Hired	\$169.00	\$6.63
	Drill Bits	Hired	\$4.00	\$4.00
	On Guard Saftey Training	Hired	\$865.00	\$2.88
	Workbooks & Worksheets	Used	\$6.00	\$6.00
	Design Project disposables	Used	\$12.00	\$12.00
	Design & Technology - Machines & Tools	Hired	\$10.00	\$10.00

Design & Technology	<b>CAD Computer program</b>	Hired		\$20.00	\$20.00
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