

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 invoice
\$537.00	— \$317.00 =	\$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: 03/02/2023 (\$100), 28/04/2023 (\$60), 21/07/2023 (\$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>Digital Textbook</b>	Used	\$10.00	\$10.00
<b>Grand Total</b>			<b>\$1,305.00</b>	<b>\$109.00</b>

Subject	Resource	Type of Resource	Acquisition cost	Value (to parent)
<b>Business</b>				
	<b>In class resources</b>	Used	\$45.00	\$3.00
	<b>Textbook - Nelson Business for QCE Units 3 &amp; 4</b>	Hired	\$79.95	\$26.65
<b>Drama</b>				
	<b>Rhinoceros (script)</b>	Hired	\$22.99	\$8.00
	<b>Medea and other plays</b>	Hired	\$12.95	\$5.00
	<b>Children of the black skirt script</b>	Hired	\$23.99	\$8.00
	<b>Children of the black skirt script recording</b>	Used	\$200.00	\$2.00
	<b>Hello Spaceboy DVD</b>	Used	\$99.00	\$3.00
	<b>Antigone script</b>	Hired	\$15.00	\$5.00
	<b>War crimes recording</b>	Used	\$200.00	\$4.00
	<b>Costumes x4</b>	Used	\$100.00	\$3.00
	<b>Drama blocks x 2</b>	Used	\$600.00	\$14.00
	<b>Lights</b>	Used	\$3,000.00	\$20.00
	<b>Props x 4</b>	Used	\$100.00	\$3.00
<b>Ancient History</b>				
	<b>In class resources</b>	Used	\$45.00	\$3.00
	<b>Textbook - Senior Ancient History for Queensland</b>	Hired	\$79.95	\$26.65
<b>Biology</b>				

Biology	<b>Cleaning and PPE</b>	Used	\$100.00	\$2.85
	<b>Probes and Data Loggers</b>	Used	\$200.00	\$5.70
	<b>Reading Resources</b>	Used	\$1.00	\$1.00
	<b>Handouts</b>	Used	\$2.50	\$2.50
	<b>Text - Biology for Qld Units 3 &amp; 4</b>	Hired	\$69.95	\$23.32
	<b>Biodiversity</b>	Used	\$50.00	\$1.42
	<b>Vegetation &amp; Stratified Sampling Mandatory Prac</b>	Used	\$200.00	\$5.70
	<b>Investigation</b>	Used	\$50.00	\$1.42
	<b>Gene Frequency Mandatory Prac</b>	Used	\$20.00	\$0.57
	<b>PCR Electrophoresis</b>	Used	\$100.00	\$2.86
<b>Certificate I in Construction</b>				
	<b>Text- General construction PCS publications</b>	Hired	\$35.00	\$8.75
	<b>Lens cleaning materials</b>	Used	\$20.00	\$4.00
	<b>Sanding belt/disc</b>	Used	\$12.00	\$2.00
	<b>Bandsaw blade</b>	Used	\$30.00	\$3.00
	<b>Safety Vest</b>	Hired	\$7.00	\$1.40
	<b>Paint Brushes</b>	Used	\$20.00	\$10.00
	<b>On Guard safety Training</b>	Hired	\$865.00	\$2.88
	<b>Workbooks &amp; Worksheets</b>	Used	\$6.00	\$6.00
	<b>Construction - Machines &amp; Tools</b>	Hired	\$15.00	\$15.00
<b>Certificate II in Electro Technology</b>				
	<b>Software - DC Circuits Challenge (student licence)</b>	Hired	\$8.00	\$8.00
	<b>Software - Voltmeter Challenge (student licence)</b>	Hired	\$8.00	\$8.00
	<b>Software - AC Circuits Challenge (student licence)</b>	Hired	\$8.00	\$8.00
	<b>Software - Basics Circuits (student licence)</b>	Hired	\$8.00	\$8.00
	<b>Software - Ohmmeter Challenge</b>	Hired	\$8.00	\$8.00
	<b>Workbooks &amp; Worksheets</b>	Used	\$10.00	\$10.00
	<b>Electro Technology - Machines &amp; Tools</b>	Hired	\$10.00	\$10.00
	<b>Desktop Computer</b>	Hired	\$1,300.00	\$3.25
<b>Certificate II in Engineering Pathways</b>				
	<b>Lens cleaning materials</b>	Used	\$20.00	\$4.00
	<b>Paint Brushes</b>	Used	\$20.00	\$10.00
	<b>Hand Cleaner</b>	Used	\$35.00	\$2.50
	<b>Job Sheets and Drawings</b>	Used	\$6.70	\$6.70
	<b>Batteries</b>	Used	\$5.00	\$1.00
	<b>Rags</b>	Used	\$36.00	\$1.50
	<b>Gas</b>	Used	\$150.00	\$4.00
	<b>Mig wire</b>	Used	\$120.00	\$8.00

Certificate II in Engineering Path	Fuel	Used	\$75.00	\$8.00
	Soluble Cutting Fluid	Used	\$75.00	\$4.50
	Engineering - Machines & Tools	Hired	\$15.00	\$15.00
<b>Certificate III Fitness</b>				
	School produced workbook	Owned	\$4.00	\$4.00
	Senior Physical Education	Hired	\$58.95	\$19.65
	Sports equipment	Hired	\$9,228.00	\$184.56
<b>Chemistry</b>				
	Cleaning and PPE	Used	\$100.00	\$5.56
	Probes and Data Loggers	Used	\$200.00	\$11.11
	Reading Resources	Used	\$1.00	\$1.00
	Handouts	Used	\$2.50	\$2.50
	Text - Chemistry for Qld Units 3 & 4	Hired	\$69.95	\$23.32
	Conductivity of Acids prac	Used	\$100.00	\$5.56
	Titration of Acids, determining pH Mand Prac	Used	\$150.00	\$8.33
	Single Displacement Mand Prac	Used	\$100.00	\$5.56
	Galvanic Cell Mand Prac	Used	\$100.00	\$5.56
	Organics Suggested Prac	Used	\$100.00	\$5.56
	Modelling Mand Prac	Used	\$150.00	\$8.33
<b>Dance</b>				
	Dance Count Me In	Used	\$56.95	\$19.00
	Fossey DVD	Used	\$50.00	\$2.00
	i-Tunes songs x 5	Used	\$10.95	\$1.00
	i-Pads (set of 15)	Used	\$9,000.00	\$30.00
	Bluetooth Speaker	Used	\$44.55	\$0.32
<b>English (General)</b>				
	Play Script - Macbeth	Hired	\$10.00	\$3.30
	Activity Sheets	Owned	\$2.00	\$2.00
	Text Book - Understanding Poetry	Hired	\$30.00	\$3.00
	Novel - Play Cosi'	Hired	\$18.00	\$6.00
<b>Essential English</b>				
	Activity Sheets	Used	\$2.00	\$2.00
	Novel - Jasper Jones	Hired	\$18.00	\$6.00
<b>Essential Mathematics</b>				
	Textbook	Hired	\$75.00	\$25.00
	Worksheets/Printouts	Used	\$20.00	\$20.00
	Numeracy practice/Builders	Used	\$5.00	\$5.00
<b>General Mathematics</b>				
	Numeracy practice/Builders	Used	\$5.00	\$5.00
	Kent Set	Used	\$10.00	\$1.00
	Numeracy activities (dice, cards, etc.)	Used	\$300.00	\$2.00
<b>Hospitality Practices</b>				

Hospitality Practices	Laundry	Used	\$3.00	\$3.00
	Condiments and disposable utensils	Used	\$10.00	\$10.00
	Workbooks & Worksheets	Used	\$3.00	\$3.00
	Detergent & Handwash	Used	\$4.50	\$4.50
	Cooking Equipment	Hired	\$10.00	\$10.00
<b>Industrial Technology Skills</b>				
	Lens cleaning materials	Used	\$20.00	\$4.00
	Sanding belt/disc	Used	\$12.00	\$2.00
	Bandsaw blade	Used	\$30.00	\$3.00
	Safety Vest	Hired	\$7.00	\$1.40
	Paint Brushes	Used	\$20.00	\$10.00
	On Guard safety Training	Hired	\$865.00	\$2.88
	Gas	Used	\$150.00	\$2.00
	Mig wire	Used	\$120.00	\$6.00
	Workbooks & Worksheets	Used	\$6.00	\$6.00
	Construction - Machines & Tools	Hired	\$15.00	\$15.00
	Text - General Construction	Hired	\$35.00	\$8.75
<b>Mathematics Methods</b>				
	Textbook	Hired	\$75.00	\$25.00
	Worksheets/Printouts	Used	\$20.00	\$20.00
	Numeracy practice/Builders	Used	\$5.00	\$5.00
	Kent Set	Used	\$10.00	\$1.00
	Numeracy activities (dice, cards, etc.)	Used	\$300.00	\$2.00
	Graphics Calculator	Hired	\$250.00	\$50.00
<b>Media Arts in Practice</b>				
	Movie Studio	Used	\$640.00	\$6.00
	Graphics tablet	Used	\$150.00	\$1.00
	SLR Camera	Used	\$850.00	\$3.00
	Studio Lights	Used	\$1,200.00	\$4.00
	Video Lights	Used	\$1,900.00	\$13.00
	Boom Microphone	Used	\$350.00	\$3.00
	Adobe Suite	Used	\$3,397.00	\$4.50
<b>Modern History</b>				
	In class resources	Used	\$45.00	\$3.00
	Textbook - Senior Modern History for Queensland	Hired	\$79.95	\$26.65
<b>Music Industry</b>				
	Piano	Used	\$5,000.00	\$34.00
	Electric Acoustic Guitar	Used	\$500.00	\$4.00
	PA system	Used	\$2,000.00	\$14.00
	Recording Studio	Used	\$5,000.00	\$34.00
	Electric Guitar	Used	\$1,000.00	\$34.00
	Electric Drum Kit	Used	\$3,000.00	\$20.00
	Electric Piano	Used	\$600.00	\$4.00
	Protools	Used	\$500.00	\$4.00
	Amplifiers	Used	\$500.00	\$4.00
<b>Physical Education</b>				

Physical Education	School produced workbook	Owned	\$4.00	\$4.00
	Sports equipment	Hired	\$1,512.80	\$75.60
	Oxford Physical Education for Qld	Hired	\$59.55	\$19.85
	Digital/ IT Hardward/ Software/ SPT Trackers	Owned	\$2,099.00	\$104.95
<b>Physics</b>				
	Cleaning and PPE	Used	\$100.00	\$5.56
	Probes and Data Loggers	Used	\$500.00	\$27.78
	Reading Resources	Used	\$1.00	\$1.00
	Handouts	Used	\$2.50	\$2.50
	STELR Kits	Used	\$6,000.00	\$333.33
	Text - Physics for Qld Units 13 & 4	Hired	\$69.95	\$23.32
	Angled Projection Mand Prac	Used	\$200.00	\$11.12
	Forces and Motion Sugg Prac	Used	\$50.00	\$2.80
	Magnetic Field Strength Mand Prac	Used	\$100.00	\$5.56
	Magnetic Force on a wire Mand Prac	Used	\$50.00	\$2.80
	EMF Transformer	Used	\$50.00	\$2.80
<b>Science in Practice</b>				
	Cleaning and PPE	Used	\$100.00	\$4.55
	Probes and Data Loggers	Used	\$500.00	\$22.73
	Reading Resources	Used	\$1.00	\$1.00
	Handouts	Used	\$2.50	\$2.50
	Newtons Laws	Used	\$100.00	\$4.54
	Renewable Energy	Used	\$100.00	\$4.55
	Crumple Zones / Cars	Used	\$50.00	\$2.27
	Earthquakes	Used	\$60.00	\$2.72
<b>SEL - Social and Emotional Learning</b>				
	Handouts	Used	\$5.00	\$5.00
	End of Year Workshop/Presentations	Used	\$700.00	\$5.22
<b>SEP Support Mathematics</b>				
	Sandwich Press (3 Years /12 Students)	Used	\$90.00	\$2.50
	Coffee Machine (3 Years /12 Students)	Used	\$260.00	\$7.25
	Blender (3 Years/12 Students)	Used	\$140.00	\$3.90
<b>Specialist Mathematics</b>				
	Textbook	Hired	\$75.00	\$25.00
	Worksheets/Printouts	Used	\$20.00	\$20.00
	Numeracy practice/Builders	Used	\$5.00	\$5.00
	Kent Set	Used	\$10.00	\$1.00
	Numeracy activities (dice, cards, etc.)	Used	\$300.00	\$2.00
	Graphics Calculator	Hired	\$250.00	\$50.00

<b>Sport &amp; Recreation</b>				
	School produced workbook	Hired	\$4.00	\$4.00
	Sports equipment	Hired	\$16,673.90	\$19.27
<b>Health and Physical Education Text II &amp; Senior Physical Education</b>				
		Hired	\$116.90	\$38.66
<b>Visual Art/Visual Art in Practice</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
<b>Certificate II in Hospitality</b>				
	Laundry	Used	\$3.00	\$3.00
	Condiments and disposable utensils	Used	\$10.00	\$10.00
	Workbooks & Worksheets	Used	\$3.00	\$3.00
	Detergent & Handwash	Used	\$4.50	\$4.50
	Cooking Equipment	Hired	\$10.00	\$10.00
<b>Dance in Practice</b>				
	Dance Count Me In	Used	\$56.95	\$19.00
	Fossey DVD	Used	\$50.00	\$2.00
	i-Tunes songs x 5	Used	\$10.95	\$1.00
	i-Pads (set of 15)	Used	\$9,000.00	\$30.00
	Bluetooth Speaker	Used	\$44.55	\$0.32
<b>Information Communication Technology</b>				
	Adobe Suite	Used	\$3,397.00	\$4.50
<b>Music in Practice</b>				
	i-Pads (set of 15)	Used	\$9,000.00	\$30.00
<b>Tourism</b>				
	Handouts	Used	\$50.00	\$2.00
<b>Certificate II in Workplace Skills (Business)</b>				
	Handouts	Used	\$30.00	\$2.00