

# **Bentley Park College**

# Student Resource Scheme 2025

Year !

Dear Parents/Guardians,

This document 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 Used in class – e.g. stationery, timber, material – these items will be used in class. Finished products that are created from these resources will

#### The Fee

# The 2025 Year 5 SRS fee is \$ 185.00

This fee is payable for each student enrolled in the Year level and represents significant value when considering the full amount required should you have had to purchase all of the resources required for your student.

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.

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.

#### **Payment Plans**

If you have opted to pay the SRS by instalments you will be invoiced the full amount at the begining of the year or on completion of the Participation Agreement Form (PAF) All payment plans are to be finalised by the end of term 3 each year. All invoices are due and payable in full by the end of term 3 (September 30). An initial \$50.00 payment is required to activate a payment plan.

# **Payment Plan Options**

Single Payment	\$185.00		
Per Term Term 1, 2 & 3	\$61.67	\$45.00	After \$50.00 initial payment
Monthly - Jan to Sept	\$20.56	\$15.00	After \$50.00 initial payment
Fortnightly - 17 payments	\$10.88	\$7.94	After \$50.00 initial payment
Weekly - 34 payments	\$5.44	\$3.97	After \$50.00 initial payment

# **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:

The Business Manager – Finance Phone: 40408110

Email: accounts@bentleyparkcollege.eq.edu.au

# 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 table on the following page/s details the SRS inclusions for these components.

# 2025 Student Resource Scheme Inclusions

Year 5

General Items	Resource	Type of Resource	Acqu	uisition cost	Val	lue (to parent)
General Item	Stationery - Whiteboard and Eraser	Owned	\$	20.50	\$	20.50
General Item	White Board Marker	Owned	\$	3.00	\$	3.00
General items	The Resilience Program	Owned	\$	22.50	\$	22.50
Subject	Resource	Type of Resource	Acqu	uisition cost	Val	lue (to parent)
English	New Wave English Skills Practice Book	Owned	\$	16.00	\$	16.00
English	Spelling Mastery Book	Owned	\$	25.95	\$	25.95
English	College Produced Resources	Owned	\$	7.35	\$	7.35
English	Decodable Readers Australia Online Subscription	Used	\$	4.00	\$	4.00
English	Study Text - Blueback, Tim Winton	Hired	\$	22.99	\$	4.60
English	Oxford Australian Middle Primary Thesaurus	Hired	\$	29.99	\$	3.00
English	Heinemann Australian Dictionary	Hired	\$	32.99	\$	3.30
Maths	New Wave Mental Maths Book	Owned	\$	16.15	\$	16.15
Maths	College Produced Resources	Owned	\$	4.80	\$	4.80
Maths	Mathletics Online Subscription	Used	\$	23.00	\$	23.00
Science	College Produced Resources	Owned	\$	1.55	\$	1.55
Science	Practical Material	Used	\$	5.00	\$	5.00
HASS	College Produced Resources	Owned	\$	4.70	\$	4.70
HASS	Jacaranda Primary Atlas 4th Edition	Hired	\$	39.99	\$	4.00
The Arts	College Produced Resources	Owned	\$	5.00	\$	5.00
LOTE	College Produced Resources	Owned	\$	1.60	\$	1.60
Technology	College Produced Resources	Owned	\$	4.00	\$	4.00
Technology	Practical Material	Used	\$	5.00	\$	5.00
		Total Cost	\$	296.06	\$	185.00