SALESIAN COLLEGE
CHADSTONE EST.1957

2025 Fees Schedule

1. Application Fee

A non-refundable fee of $150 is payable when an Application for Enrolment is lodged.

2. Enrolment Fees

A non-refundable enrolment deposit of $300 is payable at the time an offer of enrolment is accepted.

3. College Fees

College fees will be billed prior to the beginning of the school year.

YEAR LEVEL	AMOUNT
Year 7	$9,027
Year 8	$9,027
Year 9	$9,270
Year 10	$9,270
Year 11	$10,124
Year 12	$10,124

4. Capital Levy

The compulsory capital levy is $500 per student. The levy is used for continuous upgrades of College amenities and facilities.

5. ICT Levy

Each year, the College charges all families an ICT Levy to support the College to meet its costs of purchasing and maintaining student laptops throughout their enrolment. The ICT Levy is applied towards the costs of purchasing the laptops as well as all applicable insurances, maintenance, repairs and software. The College reviews the levy each year to ensure it can maintain high standards for its ICT asset management.

For the 2025 school year, the ICT Levy will be $500 for each student.

The Laptop Program is administered by the College whereby students are allocated a laptop for learning purposes. Ownership of a laptop transfers to the family after three years provided all fees and charges are paid over the full three-year agreement period.

Special arrangements can be made in situations where a student commences or terminates an enrolment during the three-year period

6. Other Charges

Instrumental Music Program

An annual fee of $1,284 for group lessons and $2,090 for private lessons will apply to all students who wish to participate in the College's Instrumental Music Program.

Instruments may be hired (at an additional cost) if required.

Sports Academy

An annual fee of $500 applies for members of the Sports Academy program.

Outdoor Education

An annual fee of $400 will apply to students undertaking outdoor education to cover the cost of the additional camps, activities and enriching experiences.

Transport on Chartered Buses

An annual fee of $3,112 will apply to students travelling on buses chartered by the College.

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7. College Fee Discounts

Discounts for Brothers

When brothers are attending the College at the same time, the following discounts will apply:

- 15% on the College fee for the second brother; and
- 30% on the College fee for the third and subsequent brothers

Early Payment Discount

A discount of $400 for the first student, $340 for the second student and $280 for the third or subsequent student will be granted if the complete family account is paid in full by 14 February 2025.

Camps, Sports and Excursion Fund (CSEF)

In addition to $250 (per student) assistance that each family receives from the State, the College will provide a further reduction of $650 for families who qualify for assistance under the State's CSEF program.

8. VCE Vocational Major and Year 10 Vocational Minor

Additional charges are imposed for VET and VCAL studies. The charges comprise course costs less any subsidies included in grants to the College and less a $500 College contribution.

9. Methods of Payment

Accounts are required to be paid by one of the following methods of payment:

1. Direct debit
2. BPAY
3. Bank transfer and
4. Credit card (through the online payment platform).

Families are advised to contact the College Finance Team for any enquiries relating to the methods of payment.

Payment Options

Fees are invoiced in January prior to the school year, and payable by one of the following options:

- Full year payment by 14 February 2025 – early Payment Discount applies
- Payment by 4 instalments in February, April, July and September
- Payment by 10 monthly instalments from February to November

All instalments are due by the **21st** day of the month.

The College has partnered with Edstart to provide additional payment flexibility. Edstart offers the following options to families:

- Edstart Plus – options to pay weekly, fortnightly, or other schedule that works best for families. Edstart Plus does not require credit checks or come at an additional cost to families.
- Edstart Extend – similar to Edstart Plus, however it allows families to spread school fee repayments up to 5 years after your children finish school. There are fees and interest associated with Edstart Extend, however this is lower than a loan or credit card fees.

Those seeking additional flexibility are advised to set up an Edstart Plus or Edstart Extend account at www.edstart.com.au/salesian.

Students absent from the College during the school year will not be credited or refunded fees due/paid for the year.

The College Office is open during holidays and all accounts must be settled by the end of the school year.

10. Student Departure Procedure

In Semester 2 each year, families will be asked to complete a survey indicating if they intend returning the following year.

In other cases of students departing, **at least one month prior to departure**, the parent or guardian should notify the Principal in writing of the final date of attendance at the College. If the notification period is not adhered to, a charge equal to one months' fees will apply. When a student leaves the College part way through the year, an appropriate proportion of the relevant school fees will be charged.

Following a written notification of an exit, the College Registrar will forward an Exit Form that must be completed by all relevant staff members. A Transfer Note will be forwarded to the student's new school after completion of the Exit Form.

11. Changes of Details

Please ensure that immediate written notification is given to the College in the event of any changes to business or residential addresses and/or contact telephone numbers and email addresses.

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