



Chilwell Primary School

"Learning for Life"

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PARENT PAYMENT 2018

Dear Parents,

February 2018.

The Department of Education and Training, through our Student Resource Package, allocates Chilwell a Teaching Support Grant which enables us to provide some curriculum materials and administrative support for classroom and specialist programs. However, despite careful planning by the School Council's Finance Committee, we are unable to provide the current range and quality of educational programs without a direct contribution from parents.

The staff and council are most appreciative of the strong community support for fundraising activities throughout past years. The level of support through fundraising will still rely heavily on the annual Chilwell Fair. The monies raised through parent financial contributions will provide for essential items for your child and development of our facilities. Your payment will ensure Chilwell Primary School maintains a stimulating, varied and well resourced learning environment for all students.

Parents are responsible for providing, or paying the school to provide, essential education items such as personal stationery, textbooks, materials for learning and teaching where the student takes possession of the finished article; and costs associated with excursions they are expected to attend.

ARE YOU ON A HEALTH CARE OR PENSIONER BENEFIT CARD?? - CAMPS, SPORTS, EDUCATION FUND (CSEF):

The CSEF allowance for 2018 is **\$125.00 for all year levels**. This payment is provided by the Department of Education and Training to assist eligible families with the costs associated with camps and excursions attended of their children. **You will need to make an application at the school office.** Please note: Applicants must hold a health care or pensioner benefit card which is **required to be presented** when completing the Application form.

<p>ESSENTIAL EDUCATIONAL ITEMS: Required to be paid for each student</p> <p>In accordance with the 'Parent Payments in Victorian Government Schools' directives, our Essential Educational charge covers items which parents/guardians pay the school to provide, or may provide themselves if appropriate. These items are essential to support instruction in the standard curriculum program and include materials that the individual student takes possession of, such as text books and student stationery, materials for learning and teaching where the student consumes or takes possession of the finished articles, (eg. Art Program)</p>	\$245
<p>OPTIONAL EXTRAS:</p> <p>These items are provided in addition to the standard curriculum program. They are provided on a user-pays basis and parents/guardians may choose whether their child accesses or participates in (e.g. extra curricular programs or activities such as school based performances, productions or events, camps, excursions, and incursions).</p>	
<p>VOLUNTARY FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS: We invite family contributions to the following area</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Fundraising Donation: \$45, suggested amount per family – This was introduced previously to minimise fundraising throughout the year. 	\$45
<p>NEW BUILDING 2018/2019 – WE NEED YOUR HELP!!</p> <p>The South Wing is due to be rebuilt commencing later in 2018. School Council is keen to continue the fantastic improvements and we need your support. The contributions in the past have allowed us to refurbish classrooms, assist in resurfacing the oval, install interactive whiteboards in classrooms and your support has enabled the school to operate to the high standard expected. We would like to make the following improvements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Art Room – a permanent relocation and refurbishment. ➤ Installation of latest Educational AV Technology - for the new classrooms. ➤ Comfortable Learning Environment – air conditioners (which are not provided in the building grant) <p>We invite your TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATION (\$50 suggested per child) \$100 \$150 \$OTHER. Tax receipts issued.</p>	\$ OTHER

PHIL JOYCE
School Council President.

GAVAN WELSH
Principal.

Financial Difficulty:

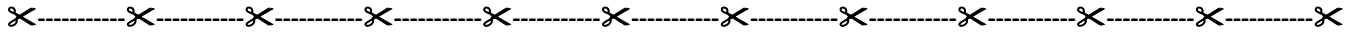
An appointment may be made with Gavan Welsh if you need to discuss payment difficulties. Contact must be made before notes and payments are due, not at the last minute. Payment agreements will be made in **special circumstances at the Principal's discretion.**

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PARENT SUPPLIED ITEMS

Parents are required to supply the following items per child to their classroom:

- 1 x large box of tissues
- Art Smock
- Library Bag (Gr 1 – 6 only) (Prep – provided)
- Headphones



PARENT PAYMENT FORM

Please record your payment and return this form to the Chilwell office by FEBRUARY 28, 2018

ESSENTIAL EDUCATIONAL ITEMS:

Child/ren Name/s	2018 Grade	\$245 per Student	Payment
		\$245	
		\$245	
		\$245	
		\$245	

VOLUNTARY FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS:

Fundraising Contribution:	suggested amount \$45	+
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NEW BUILDING 2018/2019 – WE NEED YOUR HELP!!:

We invite your TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATION (suggested per child) \$50 <input type="checkbox"/> \$100 <input type="checkbox"/> \$150 <input type="checkbox"/> \$OTHER <input type="checkbox"/>	+
We accept CASH / EFTPOS / BPAY	TOTAL AMOUNT: \$

Payment by Credit Card

Amount:	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Visa	<input type="checkbox"/> Mastercard
Card Number:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Cardholder's Name:	Expiry Date:	<input type="text"/>
Cardholder's Signature:		

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BPAY Confirmation.	Amount: \$.....	Date...../...../.....
Email the school if you wish to allocate the funds to specific areas. chilwell.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au		

*Thank you for your contribution to your child's education.
The funds raised will be used to provide increased learning opportunities for all students.*