



PERTH WALDORF SCHOOL
Steiner Education

2025 Fees and Charges Information

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Annual Tuition Fee		
	Termly Payment **	Annual Fees Billed
Playgroup Fees	\$386	\$1,545 GST Inclusive
Kindy 4	\$850	\$3,394 K4-2 Full Days from 2024 & Lunch Program
Kindy 5	\$1,660	\$6,635
Kindy 6	\$1,965	\$7,865
Class 1-7	\$2,085	\$8,335
Class 8-12	\$2,470	\$9,880
Year Level Charge		
	Termly Payment **	Annual Fees Billed
Kindy 4	\$170	\$680
Kindy 5	\$229	\$915
Kindy 6	\$234	\$935
Class 1-4	\$123	\$490
Class 5-7	\$181	\$725
Class 8-12	\$195	\$780
School Association fee		\$100 per year GST Inclusive
Building Levy per Family		\$400 Annual Billing
** Annual Fees will be billed in January 2025 for the whole year, annual fees billed are divided by 4 (four) to arrive at Termly payment.		
Enrolment Fee (Non-refundable)		
Kindy 4	\$300	
Kindy 5	\$400	
Kindy 6	\$500	
Class 1-6	\$600	
Class 7-12	\$620 for Steiner school students. It is refunded in term 2 of the start of the enrollment year.	
Class 7-12	\$650 for non-Steiner school students.	

Sibling Discount – Subject to School Approval

(Please note there is no discount applicable to Playgroup fees)

Second child 15% off tuition fee

Third child 25% off tuition fee

Fourth child 50% off tuition fee

(Fees apply to Government Funded students only)

APPLICATION FEE

(Form 1)

In order to register a student for enrolment, an Application Form must be completed and a fee of \$100.00 (inc GST) is paid. This fee is non-refundable and covers the administration costs associated with enrolments and interviews. Payment of the application fee does not guarantee a place in the school.

ENROLLMENT FEE

(Form 2)

When a vacancy becomes available and following a successful interview with the Class Teacher, or delegate, an offer of a place at the school may be issued. On acceptance of the offer, an enrollment fee for each child is to be paid. This is a non-refundable fee to confirm your place in the school. The enrolment fees are listed with the Fees and Charges Information (above).

YEAR LEVEL CHARGES

A non-refundable year level charge is charged to cover incidental costs that arise during the year and incidental resource needs.

EURYTHMY SHOES

Kindy 5 to Class 6 students attend Eurythmy lessons. The school will provide soft shoes for each student. During the year these shoes may be exchanged for larger shoes as feet grow. These shoes remain the property of the school.

TEXTBOOKS AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION COSTS

Stationery items, Physical and Outdoor Education activities including swimming lessons may be charged to school accounts from time to time.

BOOKLISTS

Booklists are sent out before the start of the year. Booklist items are to be supplied by parents.

ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP FEES

All families with children enrolled in the school (with the exception of playgroup) are members of the School Association. A fee for this is charged with the annual school fee invoice. As a member of the Association families have voting rights at the school AGM and can nominate to be on the School Council. The Association fee is used directly to pay for membership and services provided by Steiner Education Australia (SEA) and the Association of Independent School WA (AISWA).

FAMILY PARTICIPATION SCHEME (FPS)

Families are to submit the FPS Form showing 10 hours of participation each semester. A \$100 charge is made to the family account if the form is not returned by the due date.

CAMP FEES

From Class 4 onwards students participate in annual class camps. Camps are an integral and compulsory part of the curriculum. Exceptions will only be made with a valid Medical Certificate, with at least 1 months' notice or for exceptional circumstances with the approval of the School Administrator. The estimated cost for camps is invoiced with the annual school fees. An adjustment may be invoiced after the camp has been completed if the actual costs were significantly higher or lower than the estimated costs. A list of school camps and the estimated cost is provided at the beginning of each year.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

All primary school students are expected to purchase personal recorders, supplied by the school, and billed to your account. The cost is \$130.00 (incl GST). All students in Classes 4-10 receive small group tuition in a musical instrument. Parents are responsible for the hire or purchase of the musical instrument played.

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

Notice must be given via the Exit Form (which is available on the website) prior to the withdrawal of a student. The following notice periods and withdrawal fees apply:

Prior to the students last day at school:

- 8 or more term weeks' notice - no withdrawal notice fee
- Between 8 and 6 term weeks' notice - 25% of term fee payable
- Between 6 and 4 term weeks' notice - 50% of term fee payable
- Between 4 and 2 term weeks' notice - 75% of term fee payable
- 2 or less term weeks' notice - 100% of term fee payable

For clarity - one notice week is 7 days during the school term i.e.: not holiday weeks. The notice period is calculated from receipt of the completed Exit Form to the last date the child attends as an enrolled student.

HOLDING OF PLACES

If a parent intends to withdraw a child for **one term only** and wishes to retain the child's place, the full tuition fee for the term will be charged.

A request for permission must be made to the School office prior to being absent.

If a child is withdrawn part-way through term full fees are payable for that term. Under no circumstances are any term fees refunded or discounted.

BUILDING LEVY & FUND

The levy which is directly paid into the building fund is charged per family with children attending full time. This supports the school's infrastructure, growth, and development.

Contributions from parents and friends to the building fund make it possible for the school to expand and develop facilities. All donations over \$2.00 to the Building Fund are tax-deductible. At present \$400 per family is billed to the School account each year in Term 1.

ACCIDENT INSURANCE & AMBULANCE COVER

The school has limited insurance to cover students for accidents etc., therefore we strongly encourage all parents to take out personal cover for their child/children.

BURSARIES – TEMPORARY, LIMITED FEE RELIEF

From time-to-time, families may be unable to meet their fee commitments due to unforeseen circumstances. Temporary, limited assistance may be available to these families. An application for fee assistance is to be made to the School Administrator via the School Development Coordinator, on a strictly confidential basis. Final approval rests solely with the School Council. For further information contact the School Development Coordinator srozario@pws.wa.edu.au.

PAYMENT OF FEES

All fees are due on or before the SECOND FRIDAY OF EACH TERM

Failure to meet fee obligations may result in your child's place not being secure. While it is clearly the Parent/Guardians' responsibility to honour their fee commitment, we are aware difficulties can arise. Should this happen, it is expected that immediate contact is made with the Finance Office so alternative fee payments can be agreed to. Please note, any such arrangements made will only apply to the current school year and must be re-negotiated for the beginning of each consecutive year.

Payment methods include BPOINT (credit card/online payment), cash, cheque, eftpos and online banking payments.

Our bank details are as follows:

Account Name: The Perth Waldorf School Association Inc.

Commonwealth Bank

150 St George's Terrace

PERTH WA 6000

BSB: 066 000

A/C No: 120 510 15

NB: The INVOICE NUMBER and your unique FAMILY CODE must be provided if you make payments directly into our account

LATE PAYMENT OF FEES

Parents/Guardians who are unable to pay fees by the due date must notify the Finance Office.

A late payment fee of \$25.00 per term will be charged if fees are not paid by the due date.

Collection costs (including, but not limited to, court fees and charges, legal fees, and agent's commissions) associated with action taken for the recovery of outstanding fees will be charged to fee accounts.

The School reserves the right to deny entry to any child into the next term if fees are outstanding.

If you have any queries, please contact our office on

(08) 9417 3638

between 8:00am-3:30pm, Monday to Friday

Term Dates 2025

Term 1: Wednesday 5th February – Friday 11th April

Whole School Pupil Free Day - Friday 28th February

Labor Day - Monday 3rd March

Good Friday - Friday 18th April

Easter Monday - Monday 21st April

Anzac Day Friday 25th April

Term 2: Monday 29th April - Friday 27th June

Whole School Pupil Free Day - Friday 30th May

WA Day Public Holiday - Monday 2nd June

Term 3: Monday 21st July - Thursday 25th September

Open Day - Saturday 30th August (Compulsory Attendance)

School Holiday - Monday 1st September (Day in Lieu for Open Day)

Whole School Pupil Free Day - Friday 26th September

King's Birthday Public Holiday - Monday 29th September

Term 4: Tuesday 14th October - Tuesday 16th December (Half Day)

Whole School Pupil Free Day - Friday 21st November

School Hours

Playgroup Tuesday - Friday 9:15am to 11:15am

Kindy 4A Tuesday & Wednesday - 8:45am - 2:50pm

Kindy 4B Thursday & Friday - 8:45am - 2:50pm

Kindy 5 Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday - 8:50am - 2:50pm
Thursday & Friday - 8:50am - 1:00pm

Kindy 6 Monday - Friday - 8:50am to 2:50pm
Thursdays - Early close at 2:15pm

Primary Monday - Friday - 8:35am to 3:00pm
Thursdays - Early close at 2:15pm

Highschool Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday - 8:30am - 3:05pm
Thursdays - Early close at 2:20pm

Parkerville Campus Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday - 8:35am to 3:20pm
Thursday - 8:35am to 2:25pm