



Ashmore State School

An Independent Public School

Working together to ensure that every day in every classroom, every student is learning and achieving.

RESOURCE SCHEME 2018

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00608A

Dear Parent/Caregivers,

Ashmore State School operates a **Student Resource Scheme for 2018** to assist parents with the cost and resourcing of additional educational resources that provide enhanced learning opportunities. The scheme is supported and approved by the School's Parents and Citizens Association and operates under the policy and guidelines of The Department of Education, Training & Employment (DETE). The scheme is not used to raise funds for other purposes. The scheme provides the entire package for the specified participation fee and is not available in parts.

Please be aware that materials required under this scheme are **not funded by school grants**. Participation in the scheme is voluntary and there is no obligation placed on a parent/caregiver to participate.

The purpose of the scheme is to provide the parent/caregiver with a cost effective more economical alternative to purchasing required resources and consumables through reduced prices gained from the school's bulk purchasing processes. The provision of this scheme ensures that well-resourced learning by our students remains our key focus.

Total cost of the scheme is \$70.00 and you will receive the following items:

Items	Approximate investment /cost
Student access to Mathletics at school and <u>home</u>	\$10.00 (Private licence \$99)
Student access to Literacy Planet (incl at home), Sunshine On-Line & Reading Express	\$10.00 (Private licence \$99)
EBooks, Apps & Downloads (Education only)	\$15.00
Art, craft, science, cooking materials for entire year	\$25.00
Administration fee/online information/communication	\$10.00 (\$2.50/term)

Voluntary Contributions Payments Total Cost: \$50.00

The Voluntary Levy payment is made up of 2 parts – air conditioning and chaplaincy

Air Conditioning Ongoing replacement program for air conditioners in all classrooms. Due to a consensus of the parents of Ashmore State School, it was passed at a P & C Meeting to install air conditioners for each classroom. To maintain this facility parents are asked to make an annual voluntary contribution of \$45.00 per child to help ensure a comfortable learning environment for their children.	\$45.00
Chaplaincy Our school Chaplain supports our approach to Behaviour Management and values education at Ashmore State School. This role is one of support to the students and the entire school community. We ask that our families make a voluntary contribution of \$5.00 per child per year to provide resources for this worthwhile service.	\$5.00

Please complete the 'Student Resource Scheme Participation Form' attached and return to the office as soon as possible. The terms and conditions on the back of the form are generic for all QLD primary and secondary schools.

Payment arrangements are either in a lump sum or by 3 easy instalments. (1ST Term \$30, 2nd Term \$20 and 3rd Term \$20)

YOU ARE ABLE TO PAY THE FULL AMOUNT OR THE FIRST OF THE THREE PAYMENTS ON ENROLMENT OF YOUR CHILD. IF YOU HAVE NOT PAID IN FULL, YOU WILL BE INVOICED FOR THE REMAINING TWO PAYMENTS

Thank you in anticipation of your contribution towards this valuable scheme. If you have any queries regarding the scheme or if you are experiencing genuine financial hardship please do not hesitate to contact the Deputy Principals or Business Services Manager.

Yours sincerely,



Karen Brown
Principal

If you **do not wish to participate** in the scheme you will still need to return the form to indicate your intention not to participate and it will then be your responsibility to purchase all the resources provided by the scheme.