

PREP PARENT PAYMENTS 2026

CURRICULUM CONTRIBUTIONS AND STATIONERY PACK ORDERING

Dear Parent/Carer,

Mirripoa Primary School is looking forward to your child commencing at Mirripoa in 2026. We have a great year of teaching and learning ahead and would like to advise you of Mirripoa's voluntary financial contributions/school fees for 2026, and how to order your child's stationery pack.

The ongoing financial support of our families ensures that our school can offer the best possible educational opportunities and support for our students. We want to thank you for your future support, whether that is through fundraising, volunteering your time, or your financial contributions. This will make a huge difference to our school and the programs we can offer our students.

At our school this support has allowed us to offer a wider offering of subjects and special curriculum experiences, enhanced digital learning opportunities and facilities.

Schools provide students with free instruction to fulfil the standard curriculum requirements, and we assure you that all contributions are voluntary.

For further information on the Department's Parent Payments Policy please see a one-page overview attached.

Mirripoa Primary School recommends you purchase your child's educational items/stationery pack from Winc Education for your child to individually own and use. Instructions for ordering your stationery pack are enclosed. These items are competitively priced and have been chosen specifically to suit the year level requirements.

We ask parents to make a voluntary financial contribution toward the cost of schooling under 2 categories: Curriculum Contributions and Other Contributions. On the following pages you will find a detailed list of where your contributions are distributed.

Step 1: Summary - Stationery Pack:

- Please order your child's stationery pack via the Winc Education website: <https://wincschools.com.au>
Instructions on page 4.
- All orders placed prior to Friday 19 December are guaranteed to be delivered prior to school starting.
- Free home delivery is offered for all orders placed prior to Friday 5 December.
- MPS does not take booklist orders, these are all done via the Winc Education website.
- Please bring your stationery pack to the classroom on the first day of school, Wednesday 28 January 2026.
- There is no need to name any items as this will be done in class.

Step 2: Summary - Financial Contributions/School Fees:

- You can pay your financial contributions via Compass from 1 January 2026.
- Payments can be made in instalments throughout the year or in one lump sum.
- Curriculum Contributions if paid in full are \$242.00 for the entire 2026 school year.
- Donations can also be made to our MPS Building Fund, and any donations made to our Building Fund are tax-deductible.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely,

Darryl Diment

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Principal

Jacqui Chapman

Jacquelyn Chapman
School Council President

Curriculum Contributions - items and activities that students use, or participate in, to access the Curriculum	Amount
Classroom consumables, materials & equipment • Art – paint, crayons, canvas, glitter, clay, coloured paper (\$12) • Inquiry Learning Projects – STEM consumables (\$15) • Mathematics – maths items, class sets, numeracy blocks, counters (\$10) • English – book boxes, take home readers (\$15) • Diary – specific to Mirripoa (\$8) • Classroom specific – goals charts, flash cards, reading journal, book tubs (\$33) • Physical Education – equipment (\$10) • Library – library books (\$10) • Performing Arts – musical equipment (\$10) • Assessments – (\$20)	\$143.00
Online subscriptions • Numbots and Times Tables Rock Stars (\$1) • Decodable Readers Australia (\$7)	\$8.00
ICT devices – provision of devices from the shared classroom sets	\$25
Printing and photocopying of worksheets and learning materials	\$20
Total Curriculum Contributions	\$196.00

Other Contributions - for non-curriculum items and activities	Amount
Sports Associations	\$4
Student wellbeing programs	\$4
First aid equipment	\$5
School grounds maintenance and improvements	\$10
Communication Tools	\$23
Total Other Contributions	\$46.00

TOTAL Financial Contributions (school fees) – for 2026 school year	\$242.00
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Extra-Curricular Items and Activities – provided on a user-pays basis	
Mirripoa Primary School offers a range of optional items and activities that enhance or broaden the schooling experience of students and are above and beyond what the school provides to deliver the Curriculum. The cost of extra-curricular items and activities will be advised throughout the year. Payment of these extra-curricular items and activities doesn't need to be paid now, you will be advised of the actual cost approximately 4 weeks prior to the activity. The below costs are estimated only and are based on the 2025 year cost.	
Activity or item:	Amount
Whole School magazine/ yearbook (estimated)	\$20 approx.
Year 00 – scheduled excursions/activities (estimated) Book Week Performance, Indonesian Show, MoPA	\$44 approx.

Year 01 – scheduled excursions/activities (estimated) Extended Day, Book Week Performance, Fairy Park excursion, Earth Crusaders, Indonesian Show	\$66 approx.
Year 02 – scheduled excursions/activities (estimated) Extended Day, Book Week Performance, Indonesian Show	\$30 approx.
Year 03 – scheduled excursions/activities (estimated) Camp, Book Week Performance, Indonesian Show	\$368 approx.
Year 04 – scheduled excursions/activities (estimated) Camp, African Drumming, VR Incursion, Book Week Performance, Indonesian Show	\$472 approx.
Year 05 – scheduled excursions/activities (estimated) Camp, Mad Science, Interschool Sport, About Real Life, Book Week Performance, Indonesian Show Optional Year 6 Uniform – \$100 approx.	\$417 approx.
Year 06 – scheduled excursions/activities (estimated) Camp, Mad Science, Interschool Sport, About Real Life, Book Week Performance, Indonesian Show, Year 6 Celebration Day	\$497 approx.

Tax Deductible Building Fund Contributions

Mirriposa Primary School has a building fund for all donations to go towards building a better learning environment for our students. Your donation will be used to further improve our learning environment.
All donations to the Building Fund are eligible for an income tax deduction and a tax receipt will be provided.
Donations can be made at any time throughout the year.

Building fund. A tax-deductible contribution to support renovations, upgrades, and maintenance of school infrastructure – any amount can be donated.	\$20 – per family suggested
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Financial Support for Families

Mirriposa Primary School understands that some families may experience financial difficulty and offers a range of support options, including:

- the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund
- State Schools Relief (SSR)
- Payment plans for Extra-Curricular Items and Activities

For a confidential discussion about accessing these services, or if you would like to discuss alternative payment arrangement contact:
Ingrid Polwarth

Ph: 03 5264 2000 | Email: mirriposa.ps@education.vic.gov.au

Payment methods

For the 2026 school year, Mirriposa Primary School School Council has approved the Curriculum Contributions, Other Contributions, and any Building Fund Contributions to be collected by our secure online parent portal Compass.

Payments can also be made at any time directly to the school.

Mirriposa Primary School accepts the following payment methods:

- Bpay
- EFTPOS
- Payments via Compass

Refunds

Parent requests for refunds are subject to the discretion of the school and made on a case by case basis. Refunds will be provided where the school deems it is reasonable and fair to do so, taking into consideration whether a cost has been incurred, the Department's Parent Payments Policy and Guidance, Financial Help for Families Policy, and any other relevant information.

Individual Stationery Pack / Educational Items

HOW TO ORDER

Educational items for your student to own

Below is a list of items and resources that Mirripoa Primary School recommends that you purchase through Winc Education for your child/ren to individually own and use throughout the school year.

The items including quantities have been carefully selected to suit each year level.

Please bring all items to school on the first day of 2026 and we ask that items are not named or labelled as this will be done during class time to suit each grade.

Free delivery: for orders placed on or before 5th December 2025

\$12.95 delivery: for orders placed after 5th December 2025

Orders under \$60 will incur a delivery fee

Orders placed by 19th December 2025 will be guaranteed for delivery prior to the commencement of term 1 2026

Orders are delivered via Australia Post's eParcel service. As soon as your order is dispatched an email will be sent to let you know the Australia Post tracking ID number. Your order can be tracked at auspost.com.au

Note: PO Box addresses are not accepted by Australia Post.

Please order online at: <https://www.wincschools.com.au>

Mirripoa Primary School Access Code: **6LZ4X**

1. Search for your school, Mirripoa Primary School, Mount Duneed, VIC and enter your school access key **6LZ4X** if required. Then Go.
2. Complete the student's details and select Prep.
3. Review your requirements list and make changes if required.

[View Requirements List ▶](#)

Please note: the items and quantity chosen is specific to your child's year level

4. Proceed to checkout. [Go straight to checkout ▶](#)

Please note: For home deliveries only, if you have more than one student at the same school, please repeat the above steps.

5. Once ordered, an order confirmation will be sent to your email address.

Have a question?

For assistance with your order, returns and refunds and delivery information, or for a general enquiry, please visit: <https://www.wincschools.com.au/helpcentre>

To view the Winc full terms and conditions, please visit [wincschools.com.au/termsandconditions](https://www.wincschools.com.au/termsandconditions)

Payment methods accepted:



PayPal



zip

VISA



mastercard

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education

YEAR PREP – EDUCATIONAL ITEMS TO OWN – RECOMMENDED ITEMS

Please order online at: <https://www.wincschools.com.au>

Mirripoa Primary School Access Code: **6LZ4X**

Winc Megaspaces Scrapbook 335x245mm 100gsm Plain 64 Pages 335x245mm 100gsm Plain 64 Pages	4
Writer Premium Exercise Book A4 25mm Solid Ruled 48 Pages	1
Writer Premium Story Book Ground/grass/sky 24mm Dotted Thirds 100gsm 64 Page	2
Teter Mek A4 Visual Art Diary Spiral 110gsm Black Cover 120 Pages	1
Faber-Castell Junior Triangular Graphite Lead 2B Pencil Each	4
Faber-Castell Triangular Coloured Pencils Pack 24	1
Faber Castell Jumbo Triangular Markers Assorted Pack 12	1
Crayola Twistable Crayons Pack 12	1
Expo Dry Erase Whiteboard Marker Fine 1.4mm Black	5
Bostik Blu Glue Stik 35g	5
Winc Pencil Sharpener Metal Double Hole	1
Winc Handy Pouch Plastic Pencil Case Mesh Zip A3 450 x 325mm Clear	1
Winc Manilla Document Wallet 30mm Gusset Foolscap Red Each	1
Winc Document Wallet Polypropylene Button A4 Clear	1
Learning Can Be Fun Write n Wipe Paper Saver Sleeves	1
Creative Kids A4 Magnetic Double-sided Whiteboard Tablet Ground Grass Sky	1
Ec Chair Bag Canvas Blue	1
Staedtler Lumocolor Mini Whiteboard Wiper 70 x 40 x 15mm	1
Post-it Notes 76 x 76mm Yellow 100 Sheets Each	1
Winc Facial Tissues 2 Ply 200 Sheets Each	1
Little Learners Home Reading Foundation	1
Little Learners Love Literacy Stage 1 Workbook For NSW	1
Little Learners Love Literacy Stage 2 Workbook For NSW	1
TOTAL:	\$121.97

PARENT PAYMENTS POLICY

ONE PAGE OVERVIEW



FREE INSTRUCTION

- Schools provide students with free instruction and ensure students have free access to all items, activities and services that are used by the school to fulfil the requirements of the Curriculum. This includes the Victorian Curriculum F-10, the Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE) including the VCE Vocational Major and the Victorian Pathways Certificate.
- Schools may invite parents to make a financial contribution to support the school.



PARENT PAYMENT REQUESTS

Schools can request contributions from parents under three categories:

Curriculum Contributions

Voluntary financial contributions for curriculum items and activities which the school deems necessary for students to learn the Curriculum.

Other Contributions

Voluntary financial contributions for non-curriculum items and activities that relate to the school's functions and objectives.

Extra-Curricular Items and Activities

Items and activities that enhance or broaden the schooling experience of students and are above and beyond what the school provides for free to deliver the Curriculum. These are provided on a user-pays basis.

- Schools may also invite parents to supply or purchase educational items to use and own (e.g. textbooks, stationery, digital devices).



FINANCIAL HELP FOR FAMILIES

- Schools put in place financial hardship arrangements to support families who cannot pay for items or activities so that their child doesn't miss out.
- Schools have a nominated parent payment contact person(s) that parents can have a confidential discussion with regarding financial hardship arrangements.



SCHOOL PROCESSES

- Schools must obtain school council approval for their parent payment arrangements and publish all requests and communications for each year level on their school website for transparency.