



St Joseph's Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers

Teachers have finalised their Book Pack contents for 2017. Please note: **EACH STUDENT IS REQUIRED TO PURCHASE A STUDENT BOOK PACK.**

The 'Student Book Pack' will be issued at a cost of: **Kinder to Year 2 - \$34.50, Year 3 - \$28.00, Year 4 - \$20.50, Year 5 - \$16.50, Year 6 - \$22.00**. In addition there will be a second Book Pack charge payable by the end of Term 1, 2017 to cover other costs such as online subscriptions, the annual Glasshouse Performance (\$20.00) and two bus fares to the Church (\$3.20). We felt it may be easier for families to budget for school costs if we offer the option of two payments. You may prefer to pay the entire amount in one transaction; you may prefer to pay it off over the Term. The variance in cost is due to the type of online subscription/s chosen by the teachers to enhance learning in their grade.

Additional Book Pack charge	Kindergarten to Year 2	\$57.00	(Total Cost: \$91.50)
Additional Book Pack charge	Year 3	\$33.00	(Total Cost: \$61.00)
Additional Book Pack charge	Year 4	\$33.00	(Total Cost: \$53.50)
Additional Book Pack charge	Year 5	\$54.50	(Total Cost: \$71.00)
Additional Book Pack charge	Year 6	\$56.00	(Total Cost: \$78.00)

Book packs will be available for purchase and collection from the school office during the times specified below. Payment can be made either prior to, or upon collection by cash, cheque, EFTPOS or BPay.

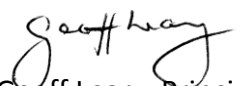


- **2016** Monday 5th December to Friday 16th December, between 8:30am-3:00pm
- **2017** Monday 23rd to Wednesday 25th January between 9:00am and 3:00pm and Friday 27th January between noon and 3:00pm.

Book Packs will not be sold during school holidays except during the above times.

Children in **Kindergarten and Year 1 will not** require their own pencil case or any other stationery. Students in Years 2 to 6 are asked to buy some extra stationery items and require their own pencil case. A list of specific grade requirements needed (in addition to the book pack) is listed over the page, and will need to be purchased elsewhere, if you do not already have them at home. Just a reminder that 'Liquid Paper' is not used at school – Year 6 may use 'Correction Tape'. Geometry sets are no longer required in Years 5 and 6 as we have purchased these as class sets. **All children** will require headphones, labeled and stored in a large zip lock bag; and a library bag (a large pillow case will suffice).

With every best wish


Geoff Leary, Principal

Back Packs and Library Bags:

St Joseph's has a supply of school back packs with the school logo, and waterproof library bags, which are available to purchase from the school office as an extra to your child's class book pack at a cost of \$40 for the back pack, and \$7 for the library bag. These styles of back packs and library bags are not compulsory, but can be purchased if you wish.



ADDITIONAL ITEMS REQUIRED FOR INDIVIDUAL GRADES

*Please ensure that **all items** are clearly labelled with your child's name!*

KINDERGARTEN

- paint shirt with sleeves (an oversized shirt is fine, or a 'paint smock' can be purchased at Spotlight)
- library bag
- headphones, labelled in a plastic bag

YEAR 1

- paint shirt with sleeves (an oversized shirt is fine, or a 'paint smock' can be purchased at Spotlight)
- library bag
- headphones, labelled in a plastic bag

YEAR 2

- library bag
- headphones, labelled in a plastic bag
- pencil case
- a set of twister crayons (no textas)

YEAR 3

- library bag
- headphones, labelled in a plastic bag
- a set of coloured pencils or crayons
- a set of textas
- erasers
- ruler

YEAR 4

- library bag
- headphones, labelled in a plastic bag
- pencil case
- a set of coloured pencils or crayons
- a set of textas
- 3 lead pencils
- 2 red pens
- 3 blue pens
- glue sticks
- erasers
- sharpener with storage container
- a ruler
- scissors
- yellow and green highlighters

YEAR 5

- library bag
- headphones, labelled in a plastic bag
- pencil case
- a set of coloured pencils
- 3 lead pencils
- 4 red pens
- 4 blue pens
- glue sticks
- erasers
- sharpener with storage container
- a ruler
- scissors
- 4 different coloured highlighters

YEAR 6

- library bag
- headphones, labelled in a plastic bag
- pencil case
- a set of coloured pencils
- 4 lead pencils
- 2 red pens
- 2 blue pens
- glue sticks
- erasers
- sharpener with storage container
- a ruler
- scissors
- yellow and green highlighters
- protractor (a full geometry set is not required)
- correction tape (NOT LIQUID PAPER)