

# Isabella State School 2024 Student Resource Scheme

# A note from the School Principal

There are many costs associated with providing the quality educational opportunities all students deserve. In 2024 Isabella State School will once again be offering parents a **Student Resource Scheme (SRS)**. The SRS is organised by the school; operates under the policy and guidelines of the Department of Education and Training (DET); is approved annually and endorsed by the P&C Association.

SRS

(Prices vary for each year level). See page 1

Details of what is included in SRS is attached in the SRS documentation (page 1). **This is a requirement for all students.** 

Participation in the Student Resource scheme (SRS) is optional. However, before you make your decision, please read the Terms and Conditions on page 2. <u>Payment options are also available.</u>

Please complete the final pages (5 and 6) to formalise your participation in the scheme and to advise of your payment intentions. Should you be experiencing financial difficulties please contact the Business Manager or Principal to discuss your payment options.

I look forward to your support in ensuring your child starts school prepared and resourced for a wonderful year ahead at Isabella SS.

Regards

Karryn Brunetto Principal

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### **Purpose of the Student Resource Scheme**

In accordance with the Education (General Provisions) Act 2006, the cost of providing instruction, administration and facilities for the education of students enrolled at State schools, who are Australian citizens or permanent residents, or children of Australian citizens or permanent residents, is met by the State.

Parents/carers are directly responsible for providing textbooks and other personal resources for their children while attending school. In recognition that these costs can be high, our School operates a Student Resource Scheme (SRS) that enables a parent/carer to enter into an agreement with the School that, for a specified annual participation fee,

provides resources and/or the purchase of many consumables and materials for the student.

The scheme is not used to raise funds for any other purpose than to provide resources for your child. Participation fees are directly applied to fund the services delivered by the scheme.

The Student Resource Scheme includes textbooks and/or educational resources that, in the absence of the scheme, would normally be purchased by the parent for the student to use at school. The scheme also includes printed material such as workbooks and worksheets, produced by the school in lieu of prescribed textbooks and online subscriptions.

#### Benefits of the Scheme

- > Students have the required resources for their education when they commence school.
- > The benefits from the savings that the school can secure through bulk purchases and discounts are passed on to families.
- > The scheme saves parents/carers time and money in sourcing appropriate textbooks, stationery resources, Enrichment resources and other materials supplied under the scheme.

## Student Resource Scheme (SRS) - Terms and Conditions

Participation in the scheme is voluntary. A parent's/carer's decision to participate is based on consideration of the value afforded by the scheme. If a parent chooses to participate in the scheme and completes the Participation Agreement Form, a fee will be due and payable. Participation is for the duration of your child's enrolment at the school. A parent can opt in or out of the scheme in subsequent years by completing another Participation Agreement. (available from the office).

On lodgement of the completed Participation Agreement Form, the School will provide the items to the student for use.

Payment of the participation fee by the parent is a requirement for continued participation in the scheme. Any unpaid invoices, will be managed according to the department's Debt Management Procedure and may result in the student being excluded from the scheme and/or from participating in non-curricular activities (e.g. camps, graduation celebrations) until payment is made

https://ppr.qed.qld.gov.au/pp/debt-management-procedure

A parent/carer who does not wish to join the scheme is responsible for providing the student with the items that would otherwise have been provided to the student by the scheme to enable them to engage with the curriculum, this includes online subscriptions: see Terms and Conditions on the back page of the SRS Participation Agreement form, Paragraph 15

If you choose to opt out of the SRS you are still required to complete and return the Participation Agreement form.

#### The Student Resource Scheme does not include:

- voluntary financial contributions to supplement the instruction, administration and facilities for the education of the student at school
- student internet access during class time
- resources funded by the state through grant funding to provide a core educational service
- optional school activities such as excursions, camps, performances, Enrichment, Year 6 Shirt and Graduation.

# **Type of Resources Provided**

Generally, the three types of resources that could be included are:

- > **Owned** these items are retained by the student and used as required (e.g. stationery, exercise books, student diary).
- > **Used** these items are used/consumed in class by the student (e.g. industry technology/cooking/art supplies).
  - ⇒ work/items produced from these resources will remain the property of the student.
- ➤ **Hired** these items are hired to the student for their personal use for a specific period of time (e.g. textbooks, musical instruments, laptops).
  - ⇒ Hired items must be returned to the school in good condition at the end of the hire period or if the student leaves the school.
  - ⇒ A repair or replacement cost may be charged to the parent for any hired items that are damaged or not returned.

### **Payment Options**

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SRS invoices will be issued in 2024. You can pay now as a credit on your account OR

Make payment within the first week of commencing school in 2024

PAYING IN PERSON: Payment by Credit Card, Debit Card, Cash, Cheque or Money Order

- > Payment can be made at the School Office, Monday to Friday between the hours of 8:15am and 3:15pm
- > EFTPOS facilities are available (Amex is not accepted)

#### **PAYING BY CENTRELINK CENTREPAY:**

- Centrepay Deductions are available to pay the SRS fees. Use Centrepay to make regular deductions from your Centrelink payment. Centrepay is a voluntary and easy payment option available to Centrelink customers. Go to <a href="https://www.nument.com/humanservices.gov.au/centrepay">https://www.nument.com/humanservices.gov.au/centrepay</a> for more information on how to set up your Centrepay deductions.
  - ⇒ The school office can set up your Centrepay deductions. Please contact us for further details 40408777.
  - ⇒ Isabella State School's Centrelink Reference Number CRN 555 100 120J

# **SRS 2024 PRICE LIST**

(Student Resource Scheme)

YEAR LEVEL	Goods or Services Provided	Cost through the SRS	Estimated cost purchased <u>outside</u> the Scheme
SRS Prep	Reading Eggs Subscription	\$11.50	\$109.99 (annual subscription)
\$90.00	Mathletics subscription	\$11.50	\$99.00 (annual subscription)
	Decodable Readers Subscription	\$11.00	\$300 (annual subscription)
	1 mini whiteboard	\$6.50	\$6.50
	1 special lined AMH scrapbook	\$6.50	\$6.50
	QLD Targeting Handwriting Prep workbook	13.50	\$13.50
	1 Lime Green Bucket Hat	\$8.00	\$8.00
	Over Ear Headphones	\$12.00	\$12.00
	Teacher Prepared materials and lesson booklets	\$9.50	\$9.50
	TOTAL COST Prep	\$90.00	\$564.99
SRS Year 1	Reading Eggs Subscription	\$11.50	\$109.99 (annual subscription)
\$50.00	Mathletics Subscription	\$11.50	\$99.00 (annual subscription)
	Decodable Readers Subscription	\$11.00	\$300
	Red pencils	\$5.00	\$5.00
	Teacher prepared materials and lesson booklets	\$11.00	\$11.00
	TOTAL COST Year 1	\$50.00	\$524.99
SRS Year 2	Reading Eggs Subscription	\$11.50	\$109.99 (annual subscription)
\$65.00	Mathletics Subscription	\$11.50	\$99.00 (annual subscription)
	Decodable Readers Subscription	\$11.00	\$300 (annual subscription)
	Red pencils	\$5.00	\$5.00
	New mini whiteboard	\$6.50	\$6.50
	Over Ear Headphones	\$12.00	\$12.00
	Teacher prepared materials and lesson booklets	\$7.50	\$7.50
	TOTAL COST Year 2	\$65.00	\$539.99

SRS Year 3	Reading Eggs Subscription	\$11.50	\$109.99 (annual subscription)
\$40.00	Mathletics Subscription	\$11.50	\$99.00 (annual subscription)
	Red pencils	\$5.00	\$5.00
	Teacher prepared materials and lesson booklets	\$12.00	\$12.00
	TOTAL COST Year 3	\$40.00	\$225.99
SRS Year 4	Mathletics Subscription	\$11.50	\$99.00 (annual subscription)
\$45.00	New mini whiteboard	\$6.50	\$6.50
	Red Pencils	\$5.00	\$5.00
	Over Ear Headphones	\$12.00	12.00
	Teacher-prepared materials and lesson booklets	\$10.00	\$10.00
	TOTAL COST Year 4	\$45.00	\$132.50
SRS Year 5	TOTAL COST Year 4  Mathletics Subscription	\$45.00 \$11.50	\$132.50 \$99.00 (annual subscription)
<b>SRS Year 5</b> \$30.00		,	
	Mathletics Subscription	\$11.50	\$99.00 (annual subscription)
	Mathletics Subscription  Red Pencils  Teacher-prepared materials and	\$11.50 \$5.00	\$99.00 (annual subscription) \$5.00
	Mathletics Subscription  Red Pencils  Teacher-prepared materials and lesson booklets	\$11.50 \$5.00 \$13.50	\$99.00 (annual subscription) \$5.00 \$13.50
\$30.00	Mathletics Subscription  Red Pencils  Teacher-prepared materials and lesson booklets  TOTAL COST Year 5	\$11.50 \$5.00 \$13.50 \$30.00	\$99.00 (annual subscription) \$5.00 \$13.50 \$117.50
\$30.00 SRS Year 6	Mathletics Subscription  Red Pencils  Teacher-prepared materials and lesson booklets  TOTAL COST Year 5  Mathletics Subscription	\$11.50 \$5.00 \$13.50 \$30.00 \$11.50	\$99.00 (annual subscription) \$5.00 \$13.50 \$117.50 \$99.00 (annual subscription)

# SRS Category – Instrumental Music (Optional for years 3 – 6)

(Only for students who have enrolled in the Instrumental Program)

Instrumental Music Subject Fee:	\$50
Instrumental Music Instrument Hire	\$50
Instrumental Music Shirt	\$32
(New students to the music program)	