

Beaumont Hills Public School

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FEE EXPLANATION 2023

Dear Parent/Caregivers,

The school account includes the following:

- Creative Arts Contribution K 6 This levy covers materials used for visual arts, music, drama and dance. This year funds raised through this levy will contribute to the purchase of new instruments as well as our annual purchase of supplies for visual arts programs and end of year school productions.
- **Technology Contribution K 6** applies to all students K-6. This voluntary contribution will be used to purchase additional computers to provide greater access to technology for all students in classrooms. Over the last few years the school community's support of this contribution has allowed for the establishment of a network of approximately 300 computers, the purchase of over 100 iPads, interactive TVs and a total wireless upgrade to support the necessary infrastructure required for this volume of technology.
- Stationery Contribution K 6 includes exercise books, photocopying paper and other classroom requirements.

The above contributions are voluntary school contributions

- Mathseeds (K) and Mathletics (1-6) Homework is a web-based learning program which integrates home and school learning via the internet. Learn anytime anywhere.
- School Magazine 3 6 is a reading resource which is issued monthly to all students in Years 3-6.
- **Reading Eggs K 6** is a web-based learning program which integrates home and school learning via the internet. Learn anytime anywhere.
- Text Books Kindy, Years 1-2 & Year 3-4.
- **Book Covers K 6** includes long lasting plastic covers in a variety of fun designs for each of the student workbooks so parents no longer need to cover them with contact.
- The Get Happier School Project Year 1 booklet is a social and emotional learning framework developed by Ivan Honey and Associates. The project is implemented across the school to support all students in the development of the five social and emotional competencies; self-awareness, self-management, social awareness, relationship skills and responsible decision making.
- **Extra-Curricular** such as carnivals, excursions, incursions, PSSA sport, Sports in Schools and any other activities provided outside the regular school curriculum will be shown on term accounts throughout the year.

Families will be emailed the Term Account and the Excursion and Activity notes via Sentral at the beginning of the term. These accounts outline programs, excursions and resources being accessed by your child/children and prompt payment is appreciated. Term Account and the Excursion and Activity notes will also be available to download on the website. All PERMISSION is now to be granted via the Sentral Parent Portal. All payments will continue to be made via the 'POP Parent Online Payment portal' (link on the website), cash or cheque at the School Administration Office. NO credit card facilities available at the office. When paying via POP the student registration number and reference number are **not** required only the student name and date of birth.

Back to school vouchers can be used to pay for some or all of your account. Please be aware, that if an item costs \$45.00 and you have a \$50.00 voucher, change cannot be given.

You will need to come into the office to redeem the voucher.

If you do not have access to the Sentral portal, please email the school for an individual family key.

We realise some families may experience personal circumstances that could impact on their ability to make payment of this account. If this is the case, please do not hesitate to contact the School Administration Manager, Julie Selwood or myself. Please be assured that all enquiries are confidential.