



YEAR 8 2024 - Parent Payments

Year 8	Curriculum Contributions	Other Contributions	\$410.00
	\$355.00	\$55.00	

Curriculum Contributions

These include contributions for curriculum items and activities which the school deems necessary for students to learn the Curriculum and for non-curriculum items that relate to the schools' functions and objectives. These include:

Student ID Card	\$10.00
Student planner	\$20.00
Classroom Consumables, materials & equipment	\$150.00
Peripherals and ICT	\$30.00
Printing & Photocopying of worksheets and learning materials	\$60.00
Whole School Events	\$40.00
School Magazine/Yearbook	\$10.00
Locker Hire/Maintenance	\$15.00
English Booklet – Provided by English Teacher for every child in Years 7 – 12	\$10.00
Maths Booklets – Provided by Maths Teacher for every child in Years 7 – 9	\$10.00

Other Contributions

Contributions are gratefully received, and support both current and future Upper Yarra Secondary College students.

Building and Grounds Fund A contribution to support renovations, upgrades, and maintenance of school infrastructure	\$30.00
Student Welfare Fund A contribution to support students in need to purchase books/uniform etc and will be reviewed/handled by the Student Welfare Team	\$25.00

Extracurricular Items and Activities

Upper Yarra Secondary College offers a range of items and activities that enhance or broaden the schooling experience of students and are above and beyond what the school provides in order to deliver the Curriculum. The below will be optional and can be paid before attending event/purchasing. Charges (TBA) will be added to Compass Portal in 2024.

- **Optional Year 8 Camp** More information is provided in 2024. *Camps, Sports, and Excursion Funding (CSEF)* is available to eligible concession card holders and can be used towards this camp. Please collect and return the form to the UYSC Office with a copy of your Health Care Card.
- **Optional Year 8 Instrumental Music Hire** Approximately \$50 for the year. Consent and payment authorisation forms are provided early in Term 1.
- **Optional Year 8 Interschool Sports Program** Approximately \$10 per Sport/Event
- **Other Optional Year 8 Camps and Excursions to be scheduled**

Financial Support for Families

Upper Yarra Secondary College understands that some families may experience financial difficulty and offers a range of support options, including:

- the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund
- Flexible Payment Arrangements (by set amounts as advised in Compass or alternative arrangements as arranged with the Business Manager)
- All Families will be given plenty of time to arrange payment plans

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

Alicia Spencer (*Business Manager*) or **Scott Tully** (*Principal*)

Ph: 03 5967 1877 | Email: Alicia.spencer@education.vic.gov.au

Refunds for Families

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 Payment Policy and Guidance, Financial Help for Families Policy and any other relevant information.

