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FEES AND CHARGES 2026

APPLICATION FEE

An Application Fee of \$200 (including GST) must accompany all applications for admission. This fee covers administration costs and is non-refundable.

ENDOWMENT FEE

A non-refundable Endowment Fee (the "Fee") is payable upon the receipt of a written offer of a place at the School.

The purpose of this Fee is to assist with the ongoing provision of capital infrastructure.

ENDOWMENT FEE	
First Child	\$9,300
Second Child	\$6,975
Third and subsequent Child	\$4,650

The Fee as described above is payable in full by new enrollees in Pre-primary to Year 9. The Fee applicable to boys entering Year 10 is \$6,975, Year 11 is one-quarter of the Fee \$2,325. There is no charge for new enrolments into Year 12.

For financial members of the OHA, a 10% discount is offered on the first child who is a son or grandson of an Old Haleian.

TUITION AND BOARDING FEES

The Board of Governors has approved the annual tuition and boarding fees for 2026. Although this is an annual fee, the Board has endorsed three payment options to assist families.

Parents/guardians are required to nominate a method of payment prior to the commencement of each school year, and accounts will be issued accordingly.

PAYMENT OPTIONS	
Option 1	One payment in advance to be paid by 1 February. (a 1.75% discount is offered)
Option 2	Three equal payments by 1 February, 1 May and 1 August. NB. This is the default option, if no other option is selected.
Option 3	Ten (10) equal instalments to be paid at the commencement of each month from 1 February. NB. This option is only available using our direct debit system. (a 0.5% administration charge applies to Option 3).

PAYMENT METHODS	
BPAY	BPAY Biller Code 949792 Reference: customer reference number (CRN)
Direct Debit	Debiting your nominated credit card or bank account by completing a Direct Debit Authority form .
Credit card	A credit card fee of 0.75% will apply to Mastercard and Visa and 1.0% for American Express. This represents a reimbursement of the current costs applied to our account by our bankers. Should our bankers increase this fee, then the increased fee will be on-charged to parents using this form of payment.

PARENTS' AND FRIENDS' ASSOCIATION

An annual membership fee of \$100 per family is charged on the Term 1 account on behalf of the Parents' and Friends' Association.

IT RESOURCES AND DEVICES

The IT Levy supports the provision of the student device, school networks, and technical infrastructure. It provides students with in-classroom devices in Years 2 and 3, and individual devices in Years 4-12, which are secure and compliant with the School's specifications as part of the academic program.

The IT Levy is applied to the Annual Fee Account. This fee is reviewed annually.

LEVY	
Pre-primary	No charge
Years 1 to 3	\$350
Years 4 to 6	\$600
Years 7 to 9	\$980
Years 10 to 12	\$1,080

The program includes the device, accidental damage insurance (excess of \$100 payable) and technical management. Should an accidental damage claim be rejected by the insurer, the full cost of the repair will be charged to fee accounts.


In the event that the student's device is lost, a charge equal to the current market value of the device will apply.

The device remains the property of the School and is required to be returned to the School upon request or prior to a student finishing at the School.

CONCESSION FOR BROTHERS

There is a reduction of 5% in the fees of the second and subsequent brother(s) in the School at the same time. No concession will apply to the eldest brother in the School.

The following fees and charges apply to the 2026 school year:

	ANNUAL FEE		THREE INSTALMENT PLAN		PAYMENT PLAN FEE 10 MONTH PLAN	
	TUITION	BOARDING	TUITION	BOARDING	TUITION	BOARDING
PRE-PRIMARY	\$20,850	–	\$6,950	–	\$2,085	–
YEARS 1–2	\$23,970	–	\$7,990	–	\$2,397	–
YEARS 3–4	\$26,790	–	\$8,930	–	\$2,679	–
YEARS 5–6	\$29,670	–	\$9,890	–	\$2,967	–
YEARS 7–8	\$34,320	\$31,710	\$11,440	\$10,570	\$3,432	\$3,171
YEARS 9–12	\$34,470	\$31,710	\$11,490	\$10,570	\$3,447	\$3,171

The Boarding Fee includes laundry, but does not include medical fees or medicines supplied, which are charged separately. A small charge will also be made should a boarding student require transport and accompaniment to a medical appointment.

Commonwealth and State Per Capita Grant funding are paid directly to the School and have been considered when setting fees.

A student's enrolment may be reconsidered if the elected instalments have not been paid or acceptable arrangements made with the School. The School reserves the right to terminate a student's enrolment at any time for what is deemed by the Headmaster to be unsatisfactory progress or unacceptable behaviour. In such cases, no refunds of fees will be made.

EXTRA SUBJECTS AND ACTIVITIES

Fees for extra subjects and activities undertaken beyond the normal curriculum will be charged to the students' account. This includes musical instrument tuition. Notice of withdrawal from an extra subject or activity must be given prior to the commencement of a term or the equivalent fee may be charged. Details of extra subjects and activities available and their costs may be obtained from Administration

EXCURSIONS AND TOURS

It is the School's policy that a student will not be permitted to nominate for, or participate in, an overseas, interstate or intrastate school co-curricular excursion or tour if there is an outstanding balance on their fee account.

Parents are able to pay for school fees, events and excursions via the Parent Portal.

OUTDOOR EDUCATION

All boys in Years 4 to 9 are required to attend an Outdoor Education camp during the year. The camps are of varying lengths of time and at different venues and will cost approximately \$128 per day.

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

Notice in writing at least one (1) full term in advance must be given prior to the removal of a student by parents. In default of such notice, one-quarter of the Annual Fee will be payable.

Boarders are expected to remain as boarders for the full year. Applications for boarders to become day boys during the year will only be considered in exceptional circumstances. Such requests must be in writing and, should less than one full term's notice be given, a fee equivalent to one-quarter of the annual fee may be charged.

PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS

Fees outstanding fourteen (14) days after the applicable payment option will attract a fee of \$200 for late payment unless alternative payment arrangements have been made with the Director of Finance and Governance. No payment reminders will be sent. Any concessions may also be forfeited.

Unpaid accounts may be referred to a debt collection agency, and associated costs will be added to the account.

A student may not commence a new school term if the preceding instalment remains unpaid for 14 days before the next school term commences.

The School has a direct debit system available for parents to pay the accounts. A **Direct Debit Authority form**, must be completed in advance should you wish to take up this payment option.

Arrangements can also be made to pay future years' fees in advance. Should you wish to consider this option, then please discuss with the Director of Finance and Governance.

By signing the Notice of Acceptance and Conditions of Enrolment forms, parents/guardians have agreed to be jointly and severally liable for all fees, interest, penalties and other payments. Any request to vary this agreement must be made in writing and is at the School's discretion.

GST

If Hale School is required to pay GST, this component will be charged to the account.

INSURANCE

It is strongly recommended that parents check their health and general insurance policies to ensure adequate medical, personal property and liability insurance cover as the School cannot accept responsibility for medical expenses (including ambulance) arising from an accident or illness, loss or damage to personal effects and property, or liability incurred by students for bodily injury.

VARIATION OF CONDITIONS

This schedule is effective from 1 January 2026. The School reserves the right to vary its business conditions from time to time.

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