



Senior Campus Year 11 Student Resource Scheme 2026

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

This letter contains important information about **Nambour State College**

2026 Student Resource Scheme including how the scheme operates and the annual participation fee.

The Queensland Government supports students' education by providing funding for:

- Instruction, eg. teachers
- Facilities, eg. buildings, amenities, furniture
- Administration, eg. staffing and resources to administer the operations of the school.

Funding does not extend to individual student resources such as textbooks, computer or musical equipment for personal use, and many items used/consumed by the student in the classroom. Supply of these items is the responsibility of parents.

To provide parents with a cost-effective alternative to purchasing textbooks and/or resources elsewhere, Nambour State College will again operate an SRS for 2026.

The scheme ensures that students have the resources required for them to engage with the curriculum for their education and saves parents time and money in sourcing the prescribed materials elsewhere. Savings are gained through the school's bulk purchasing practices and hiring arrangements. The scheme is not used to raise funds for other purposes, and revenue collected through the scheme is applied only to the resources and operation of the scheme.

The scheme's operation, resource inclusions and participation fees were approved by the school's P&C Association at the meeting held on 26/11/2025.

SRS Participation

The objective of the scheme is to provide a convenient and cost-effective way for students to access the educational resources necessary to enhance their learning experience at school. The Department encourages parents to participate in the scheme. Participation in the SRS is optional, and no obligation is placed on a parent to participate. Participation is for the duration of your child's enrolment at the school.

Parents are required to complete and return the SRS Participation Agreement Form when joining the scheme for the first time. If no participation form is received by the student's first day of school, the school will take the view that the parent has chosen to opt out of the SRS. The parent is then required to provide the educational resources listed in the SRS for their child by the start of the school year. A parent can opt in or out of the scheme in subsequent years by completing another Participation Agreement Form.

Resource Inclusions

All resources included in the SRS are detailed in the attached [SRS Resource list](#). This list is also available on the school's website. This is a comprehensive list of all resources included in the scheme and their associated costs.

Type of Resources Provided

The three types of resources that could be included are:

- **Owned** – these items are retained by the student and used as required (eg. stationery, exercise books, student diary).
- **Used** – these items are used/consumed in class by the student (eg. 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 (eg. textbooks, musical instruments and technology).

Costing Methodology

The Student Resource Scheme (SRS) fee is calculated as a flat fee for all students in the Senior School. This fee covers the cost of resources included in the scheme, as detailed in the attached SRS Resource List.

The SRS Participation Fee

The SRS fee payable for the year also includes the TRA component deducted to reduce the SRS fee payable.

Cost Breakdown:

| Cost of SRS General | User Pays | User Pays | User Pays | User Pays | User Pays | User Pays | Sub Total | Less Textbook Resource | SRS Payable |
|---------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|---|
| \$217 + | Subject 1 + | Subject 2 + | Subject 3 + | Subject 4 + | Subject 5 + | Subject 6 + | = Total Cost of SRS plus 6 Subjects | - \$357 | = Total Cost Payable for Year 11 SRS General & Subject Fees of SRS plus 6 Subject |

The Textbook and Resource Allowance

The Department of Education provides a Textbook and Resource Allowance (TRA) to assist parents with the cost of textbooks and other education resources for eligible Years 7 to 12 students. For those students who are eligible to receive the TRA, the TRA will be applied to reduce the cost of participation in the SRS. Information on the TRA can be found on the department's website (<https://education.qld.gov.au/about-us/budgets-funding-grants/grants/parents-and-students/textbook-resource-allowance>).

Payment Arrangement

To ensure the smooth operation of the Student Resource Scheme, it is important that all fees are paid in full by the due dates. Parents are expected to adhere to the agreed payment arrangement

- either as a single payment by Week 2 of Term 1
- or via instalments due by Week 10 of each term.

Failure to maintain payments as scheduled may result in:

- The student being excluded from the scheme (resources will need to be provided by the parent).
- Restrictions on participation in non-curricular activities until outstanding amounts are cleared.

All unpaid invoices will be managed in accordance with the Department's Debt Management Procedure.

(<https://ppr.qed.qld.gov.au/pp/debt-management-procedure>).

Payment Method

Our preferred payment options are QParents, BPOINT, BPAY, or Centrelink.

- QParents Portal: Payments can be made securely using a credit card through the QParents portal. The portal will direct you to BPOINT, where you can select the relevant outstanding invoice for payment.
- BPOINT: When paying directly via BPOINT, please ensure you use the Customer Reference Number (CRN) and invoice number printed on the invoice provided by the school.
- BPAY: BPAY payments can be made using your bank's online or phone banking service. Please use the Biller Code and Reference Number provided on your school invoice.

Financial Hardship Support

We understand that some families may experience financial difficulties. Parents who are currently participating in the SRS or wish to join but are facing hardship are encouraged to contact the school to discuss available options in confidence. The Principal is also available to meet with families to discuss individual circumstances and provide support where possible.

Contact Us

For all queries regarding the SRS and its inclusions, please contact our finance team on **(07) 5450 4103** or by email finance@namboursc.eq.edu.au

Please complete the SRS Fee Payment Arrangement Form and the Participation Agreement Form and return to the school office by Friday 6th February 2026. Alternatively, the forms can be scanned and emailed to finance@namboursc.eq.edu.au.

Yours sincerely,



Michele Kirkland
Principal



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Year 11 SRS - General & Subject Fees

You will be required to purchase the following for your child if you choose **NOT** to participate in the SRS.

| Subject | Student Resource Fees - General | Type of Resource | Acquisition cost | Value to Parent |
|---|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| General Items | Administration of Scheme | Used | \$40 | \$45 |
| General Items | Adobe Creative Cloud Subscription | Hired | \$265 | \$12 |
| General items | ClickView Subscription | Hired | \$10 | \$10 |
| General Items | Compass Diary | Used | \$18 | \$10 |
| General Items | Nambour Skills & Culture (NSC) | Used | \$500 | \$100 |
| General Items | STEM | Used | \$500 | \$20 |
| General items | Student Printing Credit | SRS | \$20 | \$20 |
| Subject | Student Resource Fees - General | Type of Resource | Acquisition cost | Value to Parent |
| Arts - Film & TV | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| Arts - Film & TV | Use of Cameras | Hire | \$500 | \$10 |
| Arts - Music | Guitar picks, tuners & strings | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| Arts - Music | Instrument Use, Clean & Repair | Hire | \$2,500 | \$10 |
| Arts - Music | Sheet Music | Hire | \$25 | \$5 |
| English | Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| English | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$5 | \$10 |
| English | Unit 1: TED Talks | Hire | \$20 | \$0 |
| English | Unit 2: Play Study e.g. THE CRUCIBLE | Hire | \$20 | \$5 |
| English | Unit 4: Macbeth Shake & Stir Live Performance | Used | \$50 | \$35 |
| English - Essential English | Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables | Used | \$5 | \$10 |
| English - Essential English | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| English - Essential English | Unit 1: Workplace Language | Hire | \$20 | \$0 |
| English - Essential English | Unit 2: Play study e.g. JASPER JONES and Film Study (ClickView) | Hire | \$20 | \$5 |
| English - Essential English | Unit 4: Macbeth Shake & Stir Live Performance | Used | \$50 | \$35 |
| English - Literature | Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables | Used | \$5 | \$10 |
| English - Literature | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| English - Literature | Unit 1: Film Study (Clickview) and Play Study e.g. STREETCAR NAMED DESIRE | Hire | \$20 | \$0 |
| English - Literature | Unit 2: Gothic Fiction e.g. FRANKENSTEIN, DRACULA | Hire | \$20 | \$5 |
| English - Literature | Unit 3: TED Talks | Hire | \$20 | \$0 |
| English - Literature | Unit 4: Film Study (ClickView) | Hire | \$20 | \$0 |
| English - Literature | Unit 4: Macbeth Shake & Stir Live Performance | Used | \$50 | \$35 |
| HPE - Early Childhood | Craft supplies consumables | Used | \$20 | \$20 |
| HPE - Early Childhood | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| HPE - Early Childhood | textiles consumables | Used | \$30 | \$30 |
| HPE - Early Childhood, Food & Nutrition | Nelson Exploring Early Childhood 2nd Edition | Hire | \$75 | \$25 |
| HPE - Health | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$20 | \$20 |
| HPE - Physical Education | Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| HPE - Physical Education | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| HPE - Physical Education | Assorted sports & athletics equipment | Used | \$120 | \$40 |
| HPE - Sport & Recreation | Badminton Hall | Hired | \$20 | \$20 |
| HPE - Sport & Recreation | Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| HPE - Sport & Recreation | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| HPE - Sport & Recreation | Fitness/ coaching/industry resources and facility | Hired | \$30 | \$30 |
| HPE - Sport & Recreation | Assorted sports & athletics equipment | Used | \$120 | \$40 |

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| Subject | Student Resource Fees – by Subject | Type of Resource | Acquisition cost | Value to Parent |
|------------------------------|--|------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Humanities - Ancient History | History Curriculum Course Materials | Use | \$10 | \$10 |
| Humanities - Ancient History | History Curriculum Handouts | | \$10 | \$10 |
| Humanities - Ancient History | History Skills Subscription | Used | \$200 | \$1 |
| Humanities - Ancient History | Text - Cambridge - SNR Ancient History for QLD - Unit 1 - 4 | Hired | \$69 | \$48 |
| Humanities - Business | Business Curriculum Course Materials | Hire | \$5 | \$5 |
| Humanities - Business | Business Curriculum Excursion | Use | \$30 | \$15 |
| Humanities - Business | Business Curriculum Handouts | Use | \$5 | \$10 |
| Humanities - Business | Business Curriculum Incursions | Use | \$30 | \$15 |
| Humanities - Business | Text - Nelson - Business for QCE Unit 1&2 - Second Edition | Hired | \$75 | \$26 |
| Humanities - Geography | Geography Curriculum Course Materials | Hire | \$5 | \$5 |
| Humanities - Geography | Geography Curriculum handouts | Use | \$10 | \$10 |
| Humanities - Geography | Jacaranda Senior Geography 2 & Jacaranda Atlas for AC 9th Edition | Hired | \$175 | \$60 |
| Humanities - Legal Studies | Legal Curriculum Course Materials | | \$10 | \$10 |
| Humanities - Legal Studies | Legal Curriculum Handouts | | \$10 | \$10 |
| Humanities - Legal Studies | Text - Investigating Legal Studies for QLD Third Edition | Hired | \$95 | \$32 |
| LOTE - Japanese | Japanese Curriculum Course Materials | Used | \$10 | \$15 |
| LOTE - Japanese | Japanese Curriculum Handouts | Used | \$10 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - Essentials | Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - Essentials | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - Essentials | Maths Manipulatives – Blocks, Dice, Protractors, Trundle & Measuring Tapes | Hire | \$257 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - Essentials | Mathspace subscription | Used | \$3,700 | \$22 |
| Mathematics - General | Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - General | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - General | Maths Manipulatives – Blocks, Dice, Protractors, Trundle & Measuring Tapes | Hire | \$257 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - General | Mathspace subscription | Used | \$3,700 | \$22 |
| Mathematics - Methods | Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - Methods | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - Methods | Graphics Calculator Hire | Hired | \$230 | \$10 |
| Mathematics - Methods | Maths Manipulatives – Blocks, Dice, Protractors, Trundle & Measuring Tapes | Hire | \$257 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - Methods | Mathspace subscription | Used | \$3,700 | \$22 |
| Mathematics - Specialist | Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - Specialist | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - Specialist | Graphics Calculator Hire | Hired | \$230 | \$10 |
| Mathematics - Specialist | Maths Manipulatives – Blocks, Dice, Protractors, Trundle & Measuring Tapes | Hire | \$257 | \$5 |
| Mathematics - Specialist | Mathspace subscription | Used | \$3,700 | \$22 |
| Science - Agricultural | Collaborative learning & activity consumables | Used | \$30 | \$30 |
| Science - Agricultural | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$10 | \$10 |
| Science - Agricultural | Nelsons Dynamic Agriculture Years 11-12 | Hire | \$100 | \$20 |
| Science - Aquatic Practices | Fishing Rods | Owned | \$130 | \$130 |
| Science - Biology | Biozone - student Book | Owned | \$40 | \$40 |
| Science - Biology | Camp - North Shore (Bus, accommodation, food, SCEC) | Hire | \$300 | \$300 |
| Science - Biology | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$10 | \$10 |
| Science - Biology | Oxford Biology for Queensland Units 1&2 | Hire | \$75 | \$26 |
| Science - Biology | Protective equipment eg safety glasses, earmuffs & apron | Hire | \$70 | \$15 |
| Science - Biology | Science investigation resources (consumables) | Used | \$10 | \$10 |
| Science - Chemistry | Biozone - student Book - Chem Explained | Used | \$40 | \$40 |
| Science - Chemistry | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$10 | \$10 |
| Science - Chemistry | Oxford Chemistry for Queensland Units 1&2 | Hire | \$75 | \$26 |
| Science - Chemistry | Protective equipment eg safety glasses, earmuffs & apron | Hire | \$70 | \$15 |
| Science - Chemistry | Science investigation resources (consumables) | Used | \$15 | \$15 |

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| Science - Physics | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$10 | \$10 |
| Science - Physics | Oxford Physics for Queensland Units 1&2 | Hire | \$75 | \$26 |
| Science - Physics | Protective equipment eg safety glasses, earmuffs & apron | Hire | \$70 | \$15 |
| Science - Physics | Science investigation resources (consumables) | Used | \$5 | \$5 |
| Science - Psychology | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Used | \$15 | \$15 |
| Science - Psychology | Oxford Psychology for Queensland Units 1&2 | Hire | \$75 | \$26 |
| Science - Psychology | Protective equipment eg safety glasses, earmuffs & apron | Hire | \$5 | \$5 |
| Science - Psychology | Science investigation resources (consumables) | Used | \$10 | \$10 |
| Technology - Industrial Technology Skills | Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts | Use | \$25 | \$25 |
| Technology - Industrial Technology Skills | Hardware, laser printing, finishings, glue, timber, metal consumables | Used | \$110 | \$110 |
| Technology - Industrial Technology Skills | Protective equipment eg safety glasses, ear muffs & apron | Use | \$15 | \$15 |
| Technology - Information Communication & Technologies | Consumables - Drones, printing, resources | Used | \$40 | \$40 |
| Technology - Information Communication & Technologies | Consumables - Robotics cables and clips | Used | \$20 | \$5 |
| VET- Certificate II Conservation & Ecosystem Management | Course Materials | Used | \$4,145 | \$40 |
| VET- Certificate II Furnishing Pathways | Course Materials | Used | \$2,040 | \$110 |
| VET- Certificate II Hospitality | Course Materials | Used | \$3,070 | \$130 |
| VET- Certificate II Tourism & III Business | Course Materials | Used | \$1,050 | \$345 |
| VET- Certificate III in Dance | Chorography workshops | Used | \$4,000 | \$70 |
| VET- Certificate III in Dance | Costuming | Hired | \$250 | \$70 |
| VET- Certificate III in Dance | Portable speakers | Used | \$200 | \$5 |
| VET- Certificate III Fitness (including First Aid Certificate) | Course Materials | Used | \$2,145 | \$365 |
| VET- Certificate III in Music | Guitar picks, tuners & strings | Used | \$3,070 | \$5 |
| VET- Certificate III in Music | Industry workshop | Used | \$200 | \$10 |
| VET- Certificate III in Music | Sheet Music | Hire | \$20 | \$5 |
| VET - Certificate III in Visual Arts | Consumable paint, canvas, visual diary, sculpture, ceramics, printing, framing and printmaking | Used | \$2,245 | \$150 |
| Vocational Education & Training | Cloud Assess Online Access | Used | \$50 | \$50 |
| | TOTAL SRS FOR ALL YEAR 11 REQUIREMENTS | | \$46,298 | \$3,481 |
| ** This is an indication of what must be provided if you choose not to participate in the Student Resource Scheme (SRS) | | | | |