



Senior Campus Year 12 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 12 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'e. - Kirkland', written in a cursive style.

Michele Kirkland
Principal

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Year 12 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	\$40
Subject	Student Resource Fees – by Subject	Type of Resource	Acquisition cost	Value to Parent
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
Arts - Visual Art	Consumable paint, canvas, visual diary, sculpture, ceramics, printing, framing and printmaking	Used	\$300	\$150
English	Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables	Used	\$5	\$5
English	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	\$5	\$5
English	Unit 3: Novel Study e.g. THE MARTIAN	Used	\$20	\$5
English	Unit 4: Macbeth Shake & Stir Live Performance	Used	\$50	\$35
English	Unit 4: Play Study e.g. OTHELLO	Hire	\$20	\$5
English - Essential English	Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables	Used	\$5	\$5
English - Essential English	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	\$5	\$5
English - Essential English	Unit 3: TED Talks	Hire	\$20	\$5
English - Essential English	Unit 4: 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	\$5
English - Literature	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	\$5	\$5
English - Literature	Unit 3: Novel Study e.g. THE MARTIAN	Hire	\$20	\$5
English - Literature	Unit 4: Macbeth Shake & Stir Live Performance	Used	\$50	\$35
English - Literature	Unit 4: Play Study e.g. OTHELLO	Hire	\$20	\$5
HPE - Early Childhood	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	\$5	\$5
HPE - Early Childhood	Nelson Exploring Early Childhood 2nd Edition	Hire	\$75	\$25
HPE - Early Childhood	textiles consumables	Used	\$20	\$20
HPE - Early Childhood	Textiles project as per class schedule	Used	\$30	\$30
HPE - Health & Physical Education	Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables	Used	\$5	\$5
HPE - Health & Physical Education	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	\$5	\$5
HPE - Health & Physical Education	Sport Specific equipment	Used	\$120	\$40
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	Excursion	Hired	\$20	\$20
HPE - Sport & Recreation	Fitness/ coaching/industry resources and facility	Hired	\$30	\$30
HPE - Sport & Recreation	Assorted sports & athletics equipment	Used	\$120	\$40
Humanities - Ancient History	History Curriculum Course Materials	Hire	\$5	\$5
Humanities - Ancient History	History Curriculum Handouts	Use	\$10	\$10
Humanities - Ancient History	History Skills Online Subscription	Use	\$200	\$1

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Subject	Student Resource Fees – by Subject	Type of Resource	Acquisition cost	Value to Parent
Humanities - Ancient History	Text - Cambridge - SNR Ancient History for QLD - Unit 1 - 4 - First Edition	Hired	\$71	\$23
Humanities - Business	Business Curriculum Excursion	Use	\$30	\$15
Humanities - Business	Business Curriculum Handouts	Use	\$5	\$5
Humanities - Business	Business Curriculum Incursions	Use	\$30	\$15
Humanities - Business	Business Curriculum Resources for Market Activity	Hire	\$5	\$5
Humanities - Business	Text - Nelson - Business for QCE Unit 3&4 - Second Edition	Hired	\$75	\$26
Humanities - Geography	Geography Curriculum Camp	Used	\$300	\$150
Humanities - Geography	Geography Curriculum Course Materials	Hire	\$5	\$5
Humanities - Geography	Geography Curriculum Handouts	Use	\$5	\$5
Humanities - Geography	Text - Jacaranda - SNR Geography for QLD - Unit 3&4 - Second Edition	Hired	\$75	\$48
Humanities - Legal Studies	Legal Curriculum Course Materials	Used	\$10	\$10
Humanities - Legal Studies	Legal Curriculum Handouts	Used	\$10	\$10
Humanities - Legal Studies	Text - Investigating Legal Studies for QLD Third Edition	Hired	\$95	\$32
LOTE - Japanese	Japanese Curriculum Course Materials	Hire	\$5	\$15
LOTE - Japanese	Japanese Curriculum Handouts	Use	\$5	\$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 & multimodal activity consumables	Used	\$5	\$30
Science - Agricultural	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	\$5	\$10
Science - Agricultural	Nelsons Dynamic Agriculture Years 11-12	Hire	\$100	\$20
Science - Aquatic Practices	Bus Hire - excursion DPI, boat licenses, fishing	Hire	\$3,000	\$75
Science - Aquatic Practices	Experimental learning & multimodal activity consumables	Used	\$10	\$10
Science - Aquatic Practices	Fish Tanks - glass, silicone, gravel, fish, etc	owned	\$120	\$60
Science - Aquatic Practices	Printing, reference material to complement and/or substitute for textbooks	Used	\$15	\$15
Science - Aquatic Practices	Protective equipment eg safety glasses, earmuffs & apron	Hire	\$70	\$10
Science - Aquatic Practices	Sea Life Entry	Hire	\$70	\$50
Science - Biology	Biozone - student Book	owned	\$40	\$40
Science - Biology	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	\$10	\$10
Science - Biology	Oxford Biology for Queensland Units 3&4	Hire	\$75	\$26
Science - Biology	Protective & equipment eg safety glasses, earmuffs & apron	Hire	\$70	\$15
Science - Biology	Science investigation resources (consumables)	Used	\$10	\$10

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Science - Chemistry	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	\$10	\$10
Science - Chemistry	Oxford Chemistry for Queensland Units 3&4	Used	\$75	\$26
Science - Chemistry	Protective & equipment eg safety glasses, earmuffs & apron	Hire	\$70	\$15
Science - Physics	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	\$10	\$10
Science - Physics	Oxford Physics for Queensland Units 3&4	Used	\$75	\$26
Science - Physics	Protective & equipment eg safety glasses, earmuffs & electronics	Hire	\$90	\$15
Science - Psychology	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	\$10	\$10
Science - Psychology	Oxford Psychology for Queensland Units 3&4	Hire	\$75	\$26
Science - Psychology	Protective & equipment eg safety glasses,	Hire	\$70	\$10
Science - Psychology	Science investigation resources (consumables)	Used	\$10	\$10
Technology - Digital	Consumables - Drones, printing, resources	Used	\$40	\$40
Technology - Digital	Consumables - Robotics cables and clips	Used	\$20	\$5
Technology - Food & Nutrition	Cambridge Hospitality 4th Edition	Hire	\$75	\$25
Technology - Food & Nutrition	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	\$41	\$41
Technology - Industrial Construction	Hardware, Laser Printing & Finishing Consumables to make Multi Use Table & Perpetual Calendar	Use	\$100	\$100
Technology - Industrial Construction	Hardware, laser printing, finishings, glue, timber, consumables	Used	\$110	\$110
Technology - Industrial Construction	Protective equipment eg safety glasses, earmuffs & apron	Use	\$5	\$5
Technology - Industrial Construction	School produced worksheets to make Multi Use Table	Use	\$3	\$5
VET - Certificate II Furniture Making		Used	\$0	\$0
VET - Certificate II Hospitality	Ingredients as per class schedule	Hire	\$65	\$65
VET - Certificate III in Music	Guitar picks, tuners & strings	Used	\$5	\$5
VET - Certificate III in Music	Industry workshop	Used	\$200	\$10
VET - Certificate III in Music	Instrument Use, Clean & Repair	Hire	\$2,500	\$10
VET - Certificate III in Music	Sheet Music	Hire	\$25	\$5
VET - Certificate III in Visual Arts	Consumable paint, canvas, visual diary, sculpture, ceramics, printing, framing and printmaking	Used	\$300	\$130
VET - Certificate II Conservation & Ecosystem Management		Used	\$4,145	\$40
VET - Certificate III in Dance	Chorography workshops	Used	\$300	\$70
VET - Certificate III in Dance	Costuming	Hired	\$300	\$70
VET - Certificate III in Dance	Portable speakers	Used	\$200	\$5
Vocational Education & Training	Cloud Assess Online Access	Used	\$50	\$50
	TOTAL SRS FOR ALL YEAR 12 REQUIREMENTS		\$33,244	\$2,632
** This is an indication of what must be provided if you choose not to participate in the Student Resource Scheme (SRS)				