



Senior Campus Year 12 Student Resource Scheme 2025

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Annual Parent Information Letter





Nambour State College

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

This letter contains important information about the 2025 Student Resource Scheme (SRS) including how the scheme operates and the annual participation fee.

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

- Instruction, e.g. teachers
- Facilities, e.g. buildings, amenities, furniture
- Administration, e.g. 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 2025.

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 money 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 20/11/2024.

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.

Your child is a new student to 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 school, we 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.

Your child is a continuing student of the school....

A parent's participation or non-participation in the scheme will continue as per their previously completed Participation Agreement Form. A parent can opt in or out of the scheme in subsequent years by completing another Participation Agreement Form.

If a parent has opted out of the scheme the parent is required to provide the educational resources listed in the SRS for their child by the start of the school year.

Resource Inclusions

All resources included in the SRS are detailed in the attached [SRS Resource List](#) and is also available on the school's website. This is a comprehensive list of all resources included in the scheme and their associated costs. <https://education.qld.gov.au/parents-and-carers/school-information/student-resource-scheme>

Type of Resources provided

Generally, the three types of resources that could be included are:

- Owned - these items are retained by the student and used as required (e.g. stationery, exercise books, student diary).
- Used - these items are used/consumed in class by the student (e.g. Technology materials/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 of time (e.g. textbooks, musical instruments, laptops, graphics calculator, etc.).
 - Hired items must be returned to the school in good condition at the end of the hire period or if the student leaves the school.
 - A repair or replacement cost may be charged to the parent for any hired items that are damaged or not returned.

Costing Methodology

The schools SRS fee is calculated based on a flat fee for a cohort group of students in the Senior school. Please refer to the [SRS Resource list](#) for the associated costings.

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>).

Year level	TRA Rate
Years 7 to 10	\$160
Years 11 to 12	\$348

The SRS Participation Fee

The SRS fee payable for the year, also includes the TRA component which has been deducted to reduce the SRS fee payable.

Cost Breakdown:

Year Level	Cost of SRS	TRA Rate	SRS fee payable
Years 7 to 10	\$420	\$160	\$260
Years 11 to 12	\$608	\$348	\$260

Financial Hardship

Parents experiencing financial hardship who are currently participating or wish to participate in the SRS should contact the finance team to discuss available options in confidence. BSM@namboursc.eq.edu.au.

Payment Arrangement & Method

Several payment options including a single payment for the full year's fee or term instalments are available.

Payments can be made online through QParents/BPOINT/Centrepay or in person with EFTPOS (Credit/Debit Card) or Cash.

- Payment may be made through the QParents portal using a credit card. Payment will be directed from the QParents portal to BPOINT where relevant outstanding invoice information may be selected.
- When paying by BPOINT, please use the Customer Reference Number (CRN) and invoice number printed on the invoice received from the school.
- Centrepay Deductions are available to pay the SRS fees. Use Centrepay to make regular deductions from your Centrelink payment. Centrepay is a voluntary and easy payment option available to Centrelink customers. Please contact our finance team on (07) 5450 4111 or email finance@namboursc.eq.edu.au for assistance to setup your Centrepay deductions. Alternatively, if you wish to lodge the payment yourself, please go to humanservices.gov.au/Centrepay for more information on how to set up your Centrepay deductions.
- Any unpaid invoices, will be managed according to the department's Debt Management Procedure and may result in the student being excluded from the scheme and/or from participating in non-curricular activities until payment is made (<https://ppr.qed.qld.gov.au/pp/debt-management-procedure>).

Contact Us

For all queries regarding the SRS and its inclusions, please contact our finance team on (07) 5450 4111 or by email finance@namboursc.eq.edu.au

Yours sincerely,

Anthony Green
Principal



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2025 Year 12 Subject Fees

QTY/ Subject	Details		User Pay Fee
Year 12	Year 12 Student Resource Fee		
	Student Resource Fee (hyperlink)	SRS	260.00
	Instrumental Music (includes (music & workshops) (hyperlink))	User Pay	50.00
	Instrumental Music Hire (fee to hire school instrument) (hyperlink)	User Pay	80.00
	Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Program (hyperlink)	BYO	-
	ICT Hire Program (hyperlink)	User Pay	200.00
Year 12	Year 12 Incursion/Excursion Fees		
12AGP	Agricultural Practices	User Pay	30.00
12AQP	Aquatic Practice - Sea Life Excursion	User Pay	40.00
12AQP	Aquatic Practice – DPI Industry Visits	User Pay	30.00
12AQP	Aquatic Practices – Fish Tank & Fitout	User Pay	70.00
12BIO	Biology	User Pay	30.00
12BUS	Business	User Pay	40.00
12CHM	Chemistry	User Pay	30.00
12DES	Design	User Pay	20.00
12DRP	Drama in Practice	User Pay	110.00
12ECS	Early Childhood	User Pay	20.00
12ENG	English Unit 4: Macbeth - Shake & Stir Live performance	User Pay	15.00
12ENE	English Unit 4: Macbeth - Shake & Stir Live performance	User Pay	15.00
12LIT	English Unit 4: Macbeth - Shake & Stir Live performance	User Pay	15.00
12ENG	English Unit 4: King Lear Masterclass - Shake & Stir Live performance	User Pay	22.00
12ENE	English Unit 4: King Lear Masterclass - Shake & Stir Live performance	User Pay	22.00
12LIT	English Unit 4: King Lear Masterclass - Shake & Stir Live performance	User Pay	22.00
12FTM	Film & TV	User Pay	40.00
12FNU	Food & Nutrition	User Pay	40.00
12GEG	Geography - Konomie Island Environmental Education Centre Camp	User Pay	150.00
12HEA	Health	User Pay	40.00
12ISK	Industrial Technology Skills	User Pay	80.00
12MUS	Music	User Pay	60.00
12PHY	Physics	User Pay	30.00
12PED	Physical Education	User Pay	30.00
12SCP	Science in Practice	User Pay	190.00
12REC	Sport & Recreation	User Pay	100.00
12ART	Visual Art	User Pay	130.00
12VBU	VET Certificate III Business + Certificate II Tourism – External RTO	User Pay	265.00
12CCP	VET Certificate I Construction + Certificate Construction Pathways – External RTO/VETiS Funded	User Pay	-
12VCJ	VET Certificate IV in Justice Studies – Pay \$750 directly to Unity College	User Pay	-
12VDC	VET Certificate III in Dance **	User Pay	137.00
12VEN	VET Certificate II in Engineering Pathways – External RTO/VETiS Funded	User Pay	-
12VFT	VET Certificate III in Fitness - External RTO College Resources & First Aid Certificate	User Pay	265.00 100.00

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12VFP	VET Certificate II in Furniture Making Pathways	User Pay	100.00
12VHC	VET Certificate II in Hospitality **	User Pay	130.00
12VMU	VET Certificate III in Music **	User Pay	150.00
12VAA	VET Certificate III in Visual Art **	User Pay	130.00
12VET	Students Enrolled in a VET Course & NSC is the RTO – Access to Cloud Assess Online Platform **	User Pay	50.00

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2025 Year 12 SRS Resource List

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

Subject	Resource	Resource type	Non-SRS Cost Estimate	SRS Value to Parent
<u>Online Subscriptions (in lieu of textbooks)</u>				
ALL	Administration of Scheme	Used	20.00	20.00
ALL	<u>Jacaranda Curriculum Bundle</u>	Used	789.47	125.00
	<i>Senior Ancient History for Qld</i>	22.57		
	<i>Creative Inquiry: Visual Art for Qld Senior Secondary Students (Digital)</i>	59.90		
	<i>Jacaranda Senior Geography for Qld 1 eBookPLUS</i>	89.95		
	<i>Jacaranda Maths Quest 11 General Mathematics Units 1 & 2 for Qld eBookPLUS + study ON</i>	89.95		
	<i>Legal Studies for Qld Units 1 & 2 Volume 1 – Digital</i>	82.50		
	<i>Nelson Science Biology Units 1 & 2 (1 Access Code)</i>	24.95		
	<i>The Biology book Units 1 & 2 Workbook</i>	24.95		
	<i>Physical Education for Qld Units 1 & 2 2E obook assess</i>	59.95		
	<i>New Century Physics for Qld Units 1 & 2 3E obook assess</i>	74.95		
	<i>Psychology for Qld Units 1 & 2 obook assess</i>	74.95		
	<i>The Chemistry Workbook</i>	26.95		
	<i>Nelson Film Television & New Media for QCE (1 Access Code)</i>	82.95		
	<i>Chemistry for Qld Units 1 & 2 book assess</i>	74.95		
ALL	ClickView Subscription	Used	10.45	9.50
ALL	Adobe Creative Cloud subscription	Used	263.88	9.90
	Sub-total		1,083.80	164.40
<u>Curriculum requirements</u>				
12ENG	<u>ENGLISH – English, Literature & Essential English</u>			
	Unit 3: The Great Gatsby	Hire	13.50	4.50
	Unit 3: Heart of Darkness	Hire	31.46	10.49
	Unit 4: Macbeth	Hire	11.69	3.90
	Unit 4: Macbeth Shake & Stir Live Performance	Used	13.50	13.50
	Unit 4: King Lear Master Class	Used	22.00	22.00
	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	5.00	5.00
	Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables	Used	5.00	5.00
12MTH	<u>MATHEMATICS – Essential, General, Methods & Specialist</u>			
	Maths Manipulatives – Blocks, Dice, Protractors, Trundle & Measuring Tape	Hire	256.55	5.00
	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	5.00	5.00
	Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables	Used	5.00	5.00
12AGP	<u>AGRICULTURE</u>			
	Nelsons Dynamic Agriculture Years 11-12	Hire	99.95	33.32
	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	5.00	5.00
	Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables	Used	5.00	5.00
12ECS	<u>APPLIED TECHNOLOGY - Early Childhood Services, Food & Nutrition</u>			
	Nelson Exploring Early Childhood 2nd Edition	Hire	74.95	24.98
	Cambridge Hospitality 4th Edition	Hire	74.95	24.98
	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	5.00	5.00
	Early Childhood – Textiles project as per class schedule	Used	110.00	110.00
	Food & Nutrition – Ingredients as per class schedule	Used	90.00	90.00
12MUS	<u>ARTS - Music</u>			

	Instrument Use, Clean & Repair	Hire	2,500.00	10.00
	Sheet Music	Hire	25.00	5.00
	Guitar picks, tuners & strings	Used	5.00	5.00
12FTM	<u>ARTS - Film & TV</u>			
	Use of Cameras	Hire	500.00	10.00
	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	5.00	5.00
12HPE	<u>HPE – Health & Sport & Recreation</u>			
	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	5.00	5.00
	Collaborative learning & multimodal activity consumables	Used	5.00	5.00
12HUM	<u>HUMANITIES - Business & Geography</u>			
	History Skills Online Subscription	Use	200.00	1.00
	Minecraft Education License	Use	-	-
	Business Curriculum Resources for Market Activity	Hire	5.00	5.00
	Geography Curriculum Measuring Equipment, Games & Group Activities	Hire	5.00	5.00
	History Curriculum Flash Cards, Games & Group Activities	Hire	5.00	5.00
	Japanese Curriculum Flash Cards, Games & Group Activities	Hire	5.00	5.00
	Business Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Use	5.00	5.00
	Geography Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Use	5.00	5.00
	History Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Use	5.00	5.00
	Japanese Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Use	5.00	5.00
12ISK	<u>INTAD - Design& Industrial Technology Skills</u>			
	Nelson Introducing Technology 3 rd Edition	Hire	68.95	22.98
	Protective equipment eg safety glasses, ear muffs & apron	Use	5.00	5.00
	School produced worksheets to make Multi Use Table	Use	2.50	2.50
	Hardware, Laser Printing & Finishing Consumables to make Multi Use Table & Perpetual Calendar	Use	65.00	65.00
12SCI	<u>SCIENCE – Aquatic Practices, Biology, Chemistry, Physics & Science in Practice</u>			
	Protective equipment eg safety glasses, ear muffs & apron	Hire	69.95	23.32
	Curriculum differentiated learning material handouts	Used	10.00	10.00
	Experimental learning & multimodal activity consumables	Used	10.00	10.00
	TOTAL SRS FOR ALL YEAR 12 REQUIREMENTS		5,433.75	766.87

This is an indication of what must be provided if you choose not to participate in the Student Resource Scheme (SRS)