



Morawa District High School

CONTRIBUTIONS & CHARGES YEAR 7

An Independent Public School

Information for Parents/Guardians—2024 Contributions and Charges

The Government provides a comprehensive education for all students throughout Western Australia and Government funding of schools accounts for a significant part of the State budget. Government funding is provided to schools for the operating costs associated with the education of students, including the provision of salaries for teaching and administrative staff, school buildings and facilities and certain materials.

The financial support of every family plays a major part in providing extra resources that extend the school's capacity to broaden and extend the learning experience for all students. The quality of the school's programs is maximized when each family makes its contribution and assists in supplementing funds gained from both State and Commonwealth Governments.

Under the Student Centred Funding model, funding is allocated to schools based on the learning needs of students and school characteristics. It delivers funding for each student enrolled and additional funding for students needing extra support, rather than delivering funding for school types and education programs

In accordance with requirements of the **School Education Act 1999** and **School Education Regulations 2000** the Morawa DHS School Board has reviewed and endorsed the schedule of the Contributions, Charges and Personal Items Lists for 2024.

Contributions

The contributions requested are used towards the cost of materials, services and resources directly used or consumed by students in the educational program. The school can request a contribution of up to \$235.00 per student in Years 7-10. Contributions collected at Morawa DHS contribute to:

- Photocopying for class work, printed and electronic materials
- Classroom resources, science consumables, text books and reading books
- Physical Education and Art equipment
- Consumables for Technology and Enterprise

Morawa DHS asks \$235 for students in Years 7-10 for the school year.

This contribution is voluntary. It is expected that those who can afford to will make the contribution.

Charges

Where students elect to participate in extra cost optional components, compulsory charges apply. Charges apply to high cost options (called extra cost optional components) in Years 7-10 that are alternative to parts of the program covered by the contribution. Students can opt to select these.

Extra cost options are specific activities, services or facilities that schools offer for students to use or take part in. Excursions such as camps, the school photographs and school social activities are examples. Students opt to take part in these activities or use the services or facilities. The charge associated with the provision of these activities, services or facilities covers the cost of providing the service or running the activity. The school relies on payment for the activity to occur.

Personal items

Parents are also responsible for the provision of a student's personal items. The list is detailed and provided to parents with the school contributions and charges list.

Your child's Personal Items list is on the back of this information sheet.

- Morawa DHS offers a range of payment options to assist parents.
- Morawa DHS will accommodate periodic payments from parents.
- Payments to the school can be made via direct deposit, cash/cheque payable to the school or by EFTPOS at the school office.

Please contact the Manager Corporate Services, Mrs Linda Jenkins or Mrs Jayme Tapscott for more information regarding any of the above options. Overleaf you will find information showing the maximum amount of requests as detailed above that the school would expect from parents for your child for the 2024 school year.

2024 Voluntary Contribution Request Year 7

Subject/Cost Component	Itemised Costs \$	Total Cost \$
Visual Art		25.00
Design & Technology		25.00
English		20.00
Health Education		12.00
Home Economics (Food Specialisations Semester 1/ Textiles Semester 2)		25.00
Mathematics		20.00
Music		20.00
Physical Education		12.00
Science		20.00
Humanities & Social Sciences (HASS)		20.00
Digital Technologies		14.00
Careers & Pathways		10.00
LOTE – French		12.00
Form/Pastoral Care		
Total Contribution Requested		\$235.00
Additional Voluntary Requests		
Library Fund	10.00	
Information Technology Fund	5.00	
Total Additional Costs	15.00	
Other Optional Costs		
Instrumental & Ensemble Music (paid to band committee)	110.00	
Total Payable		250.00
P&C Association membership per family	10.00	
TOTAL		\$260.00

Please note that the level of Charges and Voluntary Contributions requested has been approved by the Morawa DHS School Board.

Morawa DHS is offering families a 10% early discount on payments made in full by Friday 3 March (week 5) 2024.

*The Secondary Assistance Scheme (SAS) and ABSTUDY School Fees Allowance s available to holders of a Health Care Card, Veterans Affairs Card and Pensioner Concession card. For more information, please call into the school with your concession card to discuss and complete the relevant paperwork. **SAS and ABSTUDY Supplement Allowance applications close Thursday 6 April 2024.** For those families eligible for ABSTUDY School Fees Allowance, please contact Centrelink direct.*

For more details, please phone the Manager Corporate Services, Mrs Linda Jenkins or Mrs Jayme Tapscott, during school hours on 99712500.

2024 YEAR 7 CHARGES

CHARGES (or extra Cost Options) are items such as camps/incursions/excursions, etc. and are an estimated maximum cost. Items listed as a Charge must be paid for to enable your child to attend i.e.: Country Week.

This guide is provided to assist you in your budgeting for the year. Payments will be requested during the year when costs and student participation are confirmed.

Below is a table showing the maximum requests for activities and items that parents/guardians may need to fund for their child/children for 2024.

This guide is provided to assist you in your budgeting for the next school year. Payments will be requested during the year when costs are confirmed for items such as excursions organised by the class teacher or school.

Morawa DHS is happy to accommodate periodical payments of Contributions and Charges. Payments to the school can be made by cash, EFTPOS, cheque or direct deposit to BSB 306-024 ACC: 4176384

ITEM	OTHER OPTIONAL COSTS/CHARGES (MAXIMUM THAT CAN BE REQUESTED FOR EACH ITEM)
Incursions	\$50.00
Excursions	\$60.00
School Magazine	\$40.00
Leadership Camp	\$300.00
Secondary Reward Camp	\$100.00
School Ball	\$40.00
Country Week	\$600.00
Year 7 Camp	\$500.00
Cultural & Self Development Camps	\$300.00
School Camps (Curriculum) including: Science English, Art, HASS, and Careers	\$500.00
Band Activities/Camps	\$400.00
Interstate/Intrastate trip (bi-annually) 2025	\$2500.00

SCHOOL UNIFORM: Uniform items can be purchased from the Morawa DHS P&C Uniform shop. Please contact the Front Office for uniform shop opening hours or for more information. Payments to the uniform shop can be made in cash, cheque, EFTPOS or direct deposit to BSB 306-024 ACC: 0102563

Please note: Morawa DHS is a “SunSmart school” & follow the “No hat, No play” policy. It is recommended that your child has a broad-brimmed hat for school.

SCHOOL CANTEEN: The Morawa DHS P & C Canteen is open every **Wednesday & Thursday**. *(Please note it is closed on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays)*. Students can order from a range of healthy options for recess and lunch. Lunch orders must be handed to the canteen by 8.30am in the lunch bags provided and be accompanied by cash to cover the cost of the order. Alternatively, costs can be paid by **Direct deposit to BSB:306-024 ACC: 417 6601**

NOTE: We are a **PEANUT AWARE** school.

PERSONAL ITEMS LIST—YEAR 7

SUBJECT		ITEM
ENGLISH	2	Exercise books A4 128 page (to be kept in classroom) – pre-ruled
	1	White A4 2-ring lever arch file
MATHEMATICS	2	Exercise books A4 96 page
	1	Protractor- semi circle
	1	Scientific Calculator (SX-II MATRIX A or similar recommended)
	1	A4 Lever arch file
PHYSICAL EDUCATION		Hat, sunscreen, bathers & towel (Compulsory) Faction shirt for Inter-house swimming & athletics Shorts / track pants, shirt, joggers/sandshoes for PE classes
HEALTH EDUCATION	1	Exercise book A4 96 page
	1	A4 lever arch file
SCIENCE NB: ENCLOSED SHOES ARE REQUIRED BY OCCUPATION HEALTH & SAFETY REGULATIONS	2	Exercise books A4 48 page
	1	A4 Lever Arch File
	1	A4 PVC Document Wallet with Velcro fastener
HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES	4	Exercise books A4 48 page – pre-ruled
	1	A4 document wallet, PVC with Velcro fastener
	1	A4 Lever arch file
DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES	1	A4 display folder
VISUAL ART	1	Visual Art display folder A3- 24 plastic sleeves
	2	Black Artliners fine 0.4
	1	Pencil case (prefer A4 size PVC with nylon mesh. Clear, water resistant)
	2	Pencils 6B (to be left in Art Room)
	2	Pencils 4B (to be left in Art room)
	2	Pencils 2B (to be left in Art room)
	1	Eraser (to be left in Art room)
MUSIC	1	Exercise book A4 96 page (lined)
MUSIC – GUITAR ENSEMBLE	1	A4 Display folder
	4	Guitar picks
HOME ECONOMICS FOOD SPECIALISATIONS	1	A4 plastic clear document wallet with button
	1	Exercise book A4 48 page
DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY NB: ENCLOSED SHOES AND SAFETY GLASSES ARE REQUIRED BY OCCUPATION HEALTH & SAFETY REGULATIONS	1	Safety glasses (essential for personal use)
	3	HB pencils
INSTRUMENTAL & ENSEMBLE	1	A4 display folder—Black (<i>Instrumental & Ensemble students only</i>) Valve oil available from Mrs Walter \$12.00
CAREERS & PATHWAYS	1	A4 display folder
	1	Exercise book A4 96 page
LOTE - FRENCH	1	A4 Document wallet
	1	Exercise book A4 96 page
GENERAL STATIONERY	1 box	Pens – blue/black
	10	Pencils - HB
	1 pack	Coloured pencils or Textas
	1 pack	Highlighters
	1	Pencil case
	1	Ruler 30cm (no metal rulers)
	2	Eraser
	1	Pencil sharpener
	4	Glue stick – UHU or Bostik recommended
	1	Student diary
	2	Spare exercise books A4 48 page punched
	1	USB drive – for use in all subjects 8GB +
	1	Headphones or Earphones (over-ear recommended)
	1	Scissors
1	A4 Document wallet (for homework)	
1	School bag	