



Camp Hill

State Infants & Primary School

Independent Public School

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Together We Achieve

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Dear School Families

Re: **Voluntary Financial Contribution (VFC)**

At Camp Hill State Infants and Primary School (CHSIPS) we aim to provide a quality and highly engaging education for all children. The Queensland Department of Education (DoE) pays the cost of providing core instruction, administration and facilities for students.

The Principal may request the parent of a student to consider making a voluntary financial contribution to enhance both the educational service and resources available for student learning, recreation and comfort.

Our Parents and Citizens Association endorse our Voluntary Financial Contribution (VFC) annually. The purpose of the VFC is to provide parents with the opportunity to support our school in providing additional enrichment programs and facilities on campus. The program in 2023 will support a range of programs that include:

- **Information Communication Technology** is pivotal to the learning opportunities for our students. Technological awareness, opportunities to develop skills and knowledge as well as gaining an understanding of the impact of ICT on their educational and personal lives is critical for our students. Camp Hill aims to provide all students with learning opportunities delivered by informed staff, using the most current technological devices.
In 2023 the school will also provide information awareness programs on cyberbullying and cyber-safety.
- **Differentiation of learning** is essential in all teaching programs. At Camp Hill we have a range of innovative and engaging strategies and support equipment to cater for the identified individual learning needs of our students. This can include (but is not limited to): voice activated iPads; apps to scaffold learning; additional 1:1 support for students across all year levels and in a range of learning areas; homework/project additional support and support in identified aspects such as personal organisation. All of these are additional to core school operations, enriching the learning opportunities for Camp Hill students.

Courtesy

Commitment

Consideration

Cooperation

I have attached a flyer from DET that provides additional information on the voluntary financial contribution program. Please take the time to read this detailed explanation.

In 2023 the school has Camp Hill P&C approval to seek a recommended voluntary financial contribution of:

- **\$60 per student or \$100 per family**

We have agreed to maintain this recommended level of contributions, while we are very aware that they are extremely low in comparison to other local State Schools.

Payments can be made electronically via BPOINT, direct debit or deposited directly at a Commonwealth Bank.

Payment details:

Bank Commonwealth Bank Carindale

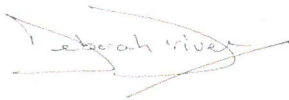
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Please support us to continue with our exciting and innovative educational programs so that we can offer EVERY Camp Hill student a rich learning program.

Kind regards



Deborah Driver
Principal



Dr Matt Young
School Council Chair



Maria O'Neill
President P&C