



WAROONA

DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

Dear Parents/Guardians

This is to provide you with financial information about the contributions and charges that will apply at Waroona District High School in 2025.

For secondary students the total amount of Voluntary Contributions parents and carers are being asked to pay has been contained to **\$235.00** per student. The secondary costing is the same amount which can be claimed through the Secondary Assistance Scheme for those parents/guardians who are eligible.

If your child chooses to do an additional specialised extra cost program in Years 7 – 10, these charges are **compulsory and must be paid**.

2025 SECONDARY ASSISTANCE SCHEME – PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The Western Australian Department of Education provides an allowance to assist eligible families with secondary schooling costs. To be eligible for the allowance the parent/guardian must hold a Centrelink Health Care Card, Pensioner Concession Card or Veterans' Affairs card which lists the student as a dependant.

The allowance consists of two components:

\$235 Educational Program Allowance which is paid directly to the school. Any compulsory charges will be an additional cost to the parent/guardian, as this is not covered by the Secondary Assistance Scheme.

\$300 Clothing Allowance is paid directly to the parent/guardian for uniform expenses. Please bring in Bank Account details e.g. BSB and Bank Account Number.

Parents/guardians in receipt of the ABSTUDY School Allowance from the Department of Human Resources (Centrelink) are not eligible for the Secondary Assistance Scheme. However, they can apply for the ABSTUDY Supplement Allowance. Forms are available for completion in the Administration Office. To be eligible for the allowance the parent/guardian must hold a Centrelink or Veterans' Affairs card which lists the student as a dependant and present this when completing the form.

Applications for these allowances for students enrolled in Years 7 – 10, must be completed by the parent or guardian in **Term 1 prior to the closing date of Friday 11 April 2025**. Applications cannot be processed after this date.

SECONDARY ASSISTANCE CAN BE CLAIMED AT THE ADMINISTRATION OFFICE BETWEEN 8.00AM AND 3.30PM DAILY FROM WEDNESDAY, 5 February 2025.

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Payment Options

A Direct Deposit option is available, our account details are:-

Account Name: Waroona District High School
Account BSB: 086 164
Account Number: 92106 4439
Reference: Please quote the student surname/year/School Charges

Credit card payments can be made over the phone or alternatively, EFTPOS and cash can be processed at the Administration Office between 8.00am and 3.30pm Monday-Friday.

Payment Plans

Payment plans are available and may be setup with the school at any time. These payments can be made by Direct Deposit, credit card, EFTPOS and cash. Please contact the Manager Corporate Services if you would like to discuss a payment arrangement on 9782 7000.

Refund of Contributions and Charges

If a student transfers to another school prior to the end of the school year, the unused portion of their contributions and charges can be transferred to the new school on request.

Voluntary Contributions and Charges

As a Public School we rely on payment of Contributions and Charges to continue to provide your child with the best learning opportunities possible.

CONTRIBUTIONS Secondary (Years 7 to 10)

The Arts	\$20.00
English	\$35.00
Mathematics	\$30.00
Society and Environment - HASS	\$25.00
Science	\$30.00
Technology and Enterprise	\$55.00
Physical Education	\$20.00
Total for Voluntary Contributions and Charges	\$215.00
Voluntary Approved Requests	
Library Fund	\$5.00
Photocopying	\$10.00
Student Services	\$5.00
Total for Voluntary Approved Requests	\$20.00
TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE	\$235.00

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SECONDARY CHARGES

The term charges refer to the provision of extra cost optional activities which are part of an education program which contributions do not cover. All of the following are optional and if no payment is received, an educational activity with a similar outcome will be provided to that student.

Extra Cost Options

Recreation Centre Hire for special events	up to \$ 50.00 per student
Swimming Carnival & Trials	up to \$ 15.00 per student
TAFE Trade Taster/Trade Courses	up to \$300.00 per student
Year Book	up to \$ 30.00 per student
Bush Rangers Shirts	up to \$ 40.00 per student
Bush Rangers Camps	up to \$200.00 per student
Certificate Auspicing	up to \$220.00 per student
Visual Art Excursion	up to \$ 20.00 per student

We stress that the following charges are set at the maximum amount. These charges are payable when the activity takes place.

Year 7 to 10 Country Week up to \$600.00 per student

The actual cost may be less depending on subsidy by fundraising

Year 7 to 10 STEM Camp up to \$200.00 per student

Year 7 to 10 Physical Education Activity

There is usually 1 activity per year group up to \$ 40.00 per student

Excursions

Year 10 Careers Activities – 2 trips per year up to \$ 55.00 per student

Cultural Activities

There are usually 4-5 Cultural Activities each year. up to \$ 50.00 per student

Examples of Cultural Activities are events such as visiting Theatre Groups, Chaplain related activities, Musical Performances, Artists etc.

Interschool Sports

This fee will cover the cost of the bus hire. up to \$ 50.00 per student

Student Council Activities

There are various activities such as Free Dress Days and Sausage Sizzles that are run during the year. Other activities may run during the year. up to \$ 50.00 per student

Year 10 Graduation

Graduation T-Shirts or Jackets are offered to students up to \$ 100.00 per student

School Dance

The School Dance is open to all Year 7-10 students up to \$ 30.00 per student

The cost of clothing is the parents' responsibility

Other activities

Up to one extra activity per term, e.g. end of term incentive will occur at a maximum of cost of \$20.00 per activity. up to \$ 20.00 per student

Additional costs items such as camps, incursions and excursion may be incurred. Additional Design and Technology costs may be incurred for special, personal choice, projects.

Whole School fundraising

up to \$50.00 per student

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JB Hi-Fi BYOD Online provides families with access to a wide range of education-specific laptops, tablets, accessories and insurance, at an affordable price.

Products differ from those available in retail stores, as they are education specific and selected for their compatibility to school's ICT infrastructure and curriculum, as well as meeting the student's needs at home.

The BYOD portal provides a simple step-by-step process that allows you to purchase your devices, accessories, extended warranty and insurance all from the one place.

-  Enhanced performance and connectivity
-  Robust devices
-  Dedicated online portal
-  JB Hi-Fi store or school pick up
-  Education specific products, not available in retail stores
-  Finance options
-  Warranties and insurance
-  A wide range of accessories
-  Extended battery life
-  Discounted pricing

HOW TO ORDER

1. Go to jbeducation.com.au/byod
2. Enter your school code **WDHSBYOD24**
3. Once logged in, select the relevant student programme.
4. Select your preferred JB Hi-Fi store for pick up, or pick up from your school (where possible).
5. Follow the prompts to choose your device, insurance cover and device accessories.
6. Enter your personal details.
7. Select a payment method and complete your order.
8. If you have any questions, please contact us at jbeducation.com.au/byod or call **1300 730 548**.



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Secondary Assistance Scheme

Years 7 to 12 you may be eligible for up to:

\$535

towards school expenses

If you hold a:

- Centrelink Health Care Card
- Centrelink Pensioner Concession Card
- Veterans' Affairs Pensioner Concession Card.

Applications close 11 April 2025

**Ask School Reception
for more information.**

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