

Lowther Hall

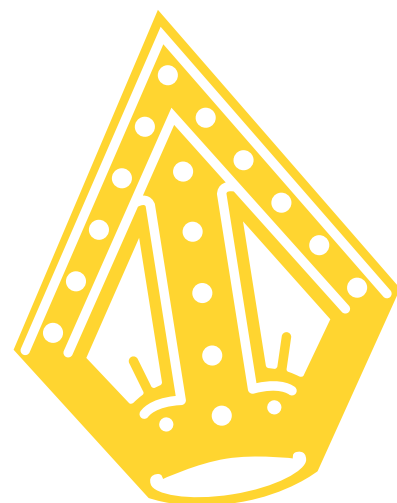
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2026

Fees & Charges

**Fee Schedule &
Business Terms & Conditions**



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2026 Schedule of Fees & Charges

Junior School

Year Level	Tuition Fee	Composite Fee	Full Year Fee	Full Year Fee Paid In Advance
Kindergarten	\$18,300	\$5,000	\$23,300	\$22,840
Preparatory	\$18,800	\$5,800	\$24,600	\$24,130
Year 1	\$19,600	\$6,300	\$25,900	\$25,410
Year 2	\$20,700	\$6,500	\$27,200	\$26,680
Year 3	\$21,700	\$6,900	\$28,600	\$28,060
Year 4	\$22,700	\$7,300	\$30,000	\$29,430
Year 5	\$23,700	\$7,700	\$31,400	\$30,810
Year 6	\$24,800	\$8,100	\$32,900	\$32,280

Senior School

Year Level	Tuition Fee	Composite Fee	Full Year Fee	Full Year Fee Paid In Advance
Year 7	\$25,700	\$8,500	\$34,200	\$33,560
Year 8	\$26,700	\$8,800	\$35,500	\$34,830
Year 9	\$27,700	\$9,300	\$37,000	\$36,310
Year 10	\$28,900	\$9,500	\$38,400	\$37,680
Year 11	\$29,900	\$9,900	\$39,800	\$39,050
Year 12	\$31,200	\$9,900	\$41,100	\$40,320

*Please note these Terms and Conditions are subject to change, and School Fees are reviewed annually.

Payment Terms and Due Dates for 2026

Payment Terms	Details	Payment Due Date
Annual*	Annual fee payable prior to commencement of Term 4 2025. *2.5% discount applied to tuition fee component.	6 October 2025
Term	Four equal instalments payable in advance.	Term 1 2026: 6 October 2025 Term 2 2026: 27 January 2026 Term 3 2026: 20 April 2026 Term 4 2026: 13 July 2026
Edstart Plus Flexible Options	Weekly, fortnightly, monthly options available.	As arranged.

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Fee Structure

The fee has two components: **Tuition Fees and Composite Fees**. The School may, at its sole discretion, increase its fees and charges as the Fee schedule is subject to change annually.

■ Tuition Fee

Tuition Fees covers staff salaries and staff related costs.

■ Composite Fee

The Composite Fee covers all other costs, including but not limited to:

- Information technology costs including internet access, printing/photocopying and maintenance of school owned devices.
- Utility services such as electricity and telecommunications.
- Educational costs including curriculum materials, camps, excursions and other compulsory programs.

Fees do not include the cost of textbooks, personal electronic devices, iPad Apps, computer software, stationery, school photographs, public transport, optional excursions or camps (except for Kindergarten to Year 1 students where books and stationery are included in the Composite Fee).

Kindergarten

A proportion of fees collected may be applied to the running of the School's Kindergarten.

School Building Fund Contribution

The Lowther Hall Building Fund assists in funding the School's ongoing building improvement program. All students benefit from voluntary contributions to the Lowther Hall Building Fund.

The Lowther Hall Building Fund contribution is a voluntary amount of \$700 or more per family per year and is tax deductible. For 2026 the Building Fund contributions will go towards transforming the Design Technology & Visual Arts spaces to enhance creativity, collaboration and innovation.

Discount on Fees

- Discounts including [scholarships](#) apply only to the Tuition component of School Fees. The Composite Fee is not subject to discount.
- General information in relation to [scholarships](#) is set out in the enrolment tab, under the [scholarships](#) section on the website.
- A 10% reduction on the Tuition Fees applies for second and subsequent sisters attending the School concurrently and is applied to the younger student's/s' Tuition Fees.
- Payment for a full year's tuition and composite prior to commencement of Term 4 2025 is subject to a 2.5% discount on the tuition fee components.
- For Families with siblings enrolled at the School who opt to pay Fees for the Full Year in advance, please note that the Sister discount is applied first and the Annual discount is then applied to the Net Tuition Fee.
- In the event that a family wishes to withdraw a student for a term or multiple terms (for example, due to a parent's secondment overseas) the family can apply to the Principal in writing to hold the student's place. A Holding Fee of 50% of the Tuition Fee is the standard charge.

- Fees and charges will not be apportioned on a pro rata basis in any circumstances except for a student who returns to complete Year 12 on a "Year 13" arrangement.

Application Fee

A non-refundable Application Fee of \$100 (includes GST) per student is payable on application for admission to the School.

Enrolment Fee

On acceptance by a Responsible Person (or the Responsible Persons) of an offer of enrolment for a place at the School, a non-refundable Enrolment Fee of \$2,000 per student is payable to secure enrolment (the Enrolment Fee).

Payment Methods

The following payment methods are accepted by the School:

- The School provides debit and credit payment facilities through the Business Office. MasterCard, Visa and American Express cards are accepted. Please note Diners Club is not accepted. Credit card payments will incur a surcharge of 1%.
- BPay facility.
- Edstart Plus - Edstart Plus Account (see Edstart Plus section for details).
- Cheques should be made payable to Lowther Hall AGS and are accepted at the School's main reception office or via mail addressed to: **Accounts Payable, Lowther Hall AGS, PO Box 2081, ESSENDON WEST VIC 3040.**

In the event of an unsuccessful direct debit from a nominated bank or credit card account, the Business Office will make contact to arrange an alternative payment.

An administration fee of \$10 (including GST) will be applied to each failed direct debit attempt.



■ Flexible Payment Options

The School has partnered with Edstart Plus which provides Fee Management Services to provide families with more flexibility to pay tuition fees in periodic instalments which suit their personal circumstances.

Edstart Plus allows the payment of School fees in weekly, fortnightly, or monthly instalments. Edstart Plus is free for families to use. Please note, in providing information about Edstart Plus, the School does not provide any recommendations, brokering or advice services. The School does not receive referral fees or commissions from Edstart Plus.

Families who wish to pay their fees through an instalment plan must create an Edstart Plus account.

Please note the Edstart Plus partnership with the School is not the Edstart Pay or Edstart Extend service that has previously been available as required to families. Instead, Edstart Plus is provided at no additional cost to families and does not affect a family credit rating as it is not a credit product.

For more information and to setup your account please visit www.edstart.com.au/lowtherhall or please contact Edstart Plus on **1300 139 445**.

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Private Lessons & Other Co-curricular Activities

Private lessons are available in speech, drama and music. Separate terms and conditions apply to these lessons and are available on request. Some optional co-curricular activities, such as rowing, overseas trips and overseas exchanges, incur additional charges and are billed separately. Materials associated with private music lessons, private speech and drama lessons, as well as some elective subjects, sport and co-curricular activities may attract a separate charge. Enrolment for private lessons and other co-curricular or optional activities will not be accepted or maintained for any student if the School account for that student's family is in arrears.

Non-Payment of Fees

The School relies upon the Responsible Person/s to pay on or by the due date for payment. Any deviation from this compliance requires valuable resources to be allocated to debt collection rather than facilitating education services. If required, the School will take measures to recover fees, charges and the costs of recovering such debt.

The following conditions apply in relation to default in payment:

- Outstanding amounts will accrue interest at the rate fixed under Section 2 of the Penalty Interest Rates Act 1983 (Vic).
- Students will not be permitted to undertake optional co-curricular activities whilst the School account is in arrears.
- The School reserves the right to suspend enrolment if accounts remain in arrears.
- Students may not commence a new school year while accounts are in arrears.
- In cases where it is considered by the Principal that a Responsible Person/s has a history of substantial non-compliance with the School's terms of payment, the School may impose special conditions upon the continuing enrolment of the student/s of that/those Responsible Person/s for the payment of any outstanding accounts and future fees and charges including, but not limited to, requiring payment of all school fees and charges for the full year in advance before the commencement of the next school year.

- If a student is withdrawn at the insistence of the School then the Responsible Person/s are responsible for full payment of the School account and are liable for all fees and charges up to and including the date of notice of the student's enrolment cancellation.
- No reductions in school fees are available for absences unless previously agreed to by the Principal in writing. The Holding fee will apply.
- Any enforcement expenses (including legal fees) incurred by the School in the collection process for outstanding accounts will be passed on to and be payable by the Responsible Person/s.

Notice of Withdrawal

Two terms' notice in writing must be given by the signatories to the Enrolment Contract when a student is removed from the School, or one term's Fees are payable in lieu.

Insurance

The School carries insurance cover for school activities including camps, excursions, travel and accidents that may occur on school premises. However, we recommend that parents take out their own private medical insurance for their daughter, as well as ambulance cover, as not all circumstances may be covered (for example pre-existing illnesses).

Acceptance of Business Terms & Conditions

The person/s signing the Enrolment contract [the Responsible Person/s] are liable (and jointly and severally liable if more than one) for all fees and charges payable to the School. This agreement applies regardless of any changes in the relationship between co-signatories, any child support arrangements or any private agreement with a third party regarding payment of fees.

In the absence of an agreement in writing with the School to the contrary and signed by all Responsible Persons, invoicing will remain to the Responsible Person/s.

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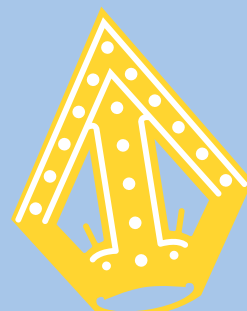
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from Kindergarten to Year 12
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