

School Fees & Charges 2027

Local Students

Schedule of fees

- The table below shows the fees applicable for the 2027 academic year.

Year Level	Fees Per Annum	Fees Per Term	Composite Fees Per Annum	Composite Fees Per Term
3 YO Kindergarten three days	\$17,436	\$4,359	\$576	\$144
3 YO Kindergarten five days	\$21,784	\$5,446	\$716	\$179
Pre-Prep four days	\$19,056	\$4,764	\$656	\$164
Pre-Prep five days	\$22,900	\$5,725	\$716	\$179
Prep	\$19,852	\$4,963	\$936	\$234
Year 1	\$24,152	\$6,038	\$1,244	\$311
Year 2	\$24,152	\$6,038	\$1,356	\$339
Year 3	\$26,280	\$6,570	\$1,796	\$449
Year 4	\$26,280	\$6,570	\$2,384	\$596
Year 5	\$26,912	\$6,728	\$2,452	\$613
Year 6	\$28,476	\$7,119	\$3,752	\$938
Year 7	\$29,852	\$7,463	\$2,844	\$711
Year 8	\$31,096	\$7,774	\$2,820	\$705
Year 9	\$33,672	\$8,418	\$2,370	\$593
Year 10	\$33,672	\$8,418	\$1,740	\$435
Year 11	\$35,404	\$8,851	\$1,740	\$435
Year 12 (3 terms)	\$35,577	\$11,859	\$1,755	\$585

Tuition Fee

- The tuition fee includes all charges associated with the academic, co-curricular and pastoral programmes offered by the School. The tuition fee has been calculated after the School has taken into consideration the Federal and State Government funding.
- A proportion of the primary and secondary tuition fees may be used to support the operation of the School's Early Learning Centre.

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Composite Fee

4. The 2027 the composite fee includes cost of camps. School camps are a compulsory element of the curriculum and invoiced with the account in term 1. The School arranges and pays for all expenses in advance for all students to attend their respective camps. Therefore, there are no refunds of camp fees for students who do not attend camp, except in the case of exceptional circumstances such as illness (medical certificate required).
5. This charge also supports the provision of class set materials and eLearning facilities, excursions, incursions, Junior School stationery items, Year 7 Music Program.

Sibling Discount

6. Families with multiple children at the School receive sibling discounts when the children are enrolled at the school at the same time. The following sibling discounts apply:
 - a) 12.5% discount for the second child, and
 - b) 30% discount for the third and subsequent children.The highest discount applies to the fees of the child attending the lowest year level at the School.

Payments in advance

7. Payment of the full year's account in advance attracts a 5% discount on the tuition fee, provided the School receives the payment **by 30 November 2026**.
8. If payment of tuition fees only is made, the additional composite, music, camp fees etc. are payable each term by the due date stated on the account. Additional term fees cannot be held as unpaid until the end of the school year.

Scholarships

9. The School may offer academic, general excellence and music scholarships to eligible students. The scholarships offered are shown as a credit on the fee statement and are a reduction of the tuition fee charges only.
10. Scholarships are offered on the basis that the student's fees are paid on time and in full, each term. In the event that a scholarship student's fees remain outstanding, the School may withhold further scholarship benefits.
11. Except in unusual circumstances, if a student in receipt of a scholarship is withdrawn from Yarra Valley Grammar before the end of Year 12 to attend another school, the value of the scholarship already received will be repaid in full to Yarra Valley Grammar.

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Music charges

12. The following charges apply to students undertaking music lessons:

Program	Annual Fee	Semester Fee
Individual Lesson (30 mins)	\$1,984	\$992
Individual Lesson (45 mins)	\$2,976	\$1,488
Individual Lesson (60 mins)	\$4,000	\$2,000
Group Lesson (30 mins)	\$1,312	\$656
Music Theory (15 mins)	\$500	\$250
Music Theory (AMEB 30 mins)	\$992	\$496
Instrument Hire	\$500	\$250

13. Lessons are charged one semester in advance (term 1 and 3 accounts). Once charged, students are committed to complete the semester (2 terms). The agreement to take **music lessons may be terminated by giving notice to the Performing Arts Administrator by the 21 May 2027, to avoid another semester of lessons being scheduled. No refunds can be given.**
14. Except in the case of protracted illness or pre-arranged absence of the student (when the teacher has been notified 5 weeks in advance) no refund of fees will be given for lessons missed.

Elective Subjects

15. VCE Outdoor Education and Food Technology elective subjects are charged separately to cover the semester cost of materials and consumables for the subjects as follows:

Subject	Year 10	Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4
Food Technology	\$450	\$300	\$300	\$350	\$350
VCE Outdoor Education	-	\$810	\$810	\$830	\$830

Interstate or Overseas Tours

16. All School tuition fees must be fully paid and up to date for a student to apply to join any interstate or overseas School tours.

Charter Buses

17. The School has a contract with Ventura Bus Lines Pty Ltd to operate [charter bus routes](#). Fares for the charter bus services are as follows:

Frequency	Full Pass	One-way Pass
Annual Pass	\$1,304	\$652
Term Pass	\$376	\$188
Single Trip - one way	\$12	

Annual pass includes \$200 discount. A full pass includes 5-10 trips per week and a one-way pass includes 1-5 trips per week.

18. Accounts will be billed automatically each year/term unless advised by email to the Transport Officer by the next terms billing period (see term billing dates below).
19. An annual or term pass can be purchased in advance for regular use of the bus to and from the School. A one-way pass can be purchased for regular use of either a morning service or afternoon service.
20. Casual use of the bus service is calculated and billed in arrears at the end of the term.
21. **An annual and term pass can be cancelled, amended or swapped within the first two weeks of the term or a full term's fare will be charged to the account. Unused fares are not refundable.**
22. Student ID cards are used to swipe on and off the buses. Please contact the Transport Officer for any enquiries regarding the charter buses.
23. Year 12 passes are charged for a period of 3 Terms only (Term 1 – 3) annual passes are pro-rata.

Yarra Foundation Building Fund

24. The Yarra Foundation brings together current and past parents and students who volunteer their time to raise funds to help provide exceptional facilities and learning environments for all students. Its vision is to secure Yarra Valley Grammar's long-term future by fostering a strong culture of philanthropy, honouring the legacy of those who built the school and encouraging continued generosity to support future generations.
25. A voluntary contribution of \$200 per term to the Yarra Foundation Building Fund is included on account statements **but is not charged to accounts**. Families may choose to support the work of the Foundation by making this donation, which helps us invest in the future of our students and school.
26. The voluntary term gift to the Building Fund is fully tax-deductible under the provisions of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997

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Payment of Accounts

27. Invoices for school fees will be sent to the email addresses nominated by the parents. Parents are responsible for advising the School of any changes to the nominated email address in writing to the Accounts Receivable Officer or the respective secretary in the Junior, Middle or Senior School Office. Personal details can also be updated via the School's Community Portal.

Payment terms

28. By signing the Family Enrolment Form, parents agree to be jointly and severally liable for all fees and other payments. Any request to vary this agreement must be made in writing.
29. As a condition of entry all fees must be paid by the due date or by formal payment arrangement agreed with the Finance Office, otherwise students risk their enrolment being cancelled.
30. Parents experiencing difficulties in paying their account should contact the Corporate Services Manager to discuss their situation and make alternative payment arrangements before the due date for payment.
31. Unpaid accounts may be referred to a debt collection agency and any associated costs, such as collection charges and legal fees, will be added to the account.

Payment options

Annual Tuition and Composite charges are due and payable in accordance with one of the following options:

- Quarterly instalments (default method)
- Ten monthly instalments (Feb – Nov)
- Payment in advance

These options are detailed below:

A. Quarterly instalments

Annual Tuition fees and charges are charged in four instalments per year.

This is the default arrangement for fees and unless you enter into Option B or C your charges will be billed in this way.

The quarterly instalments in 2027 will be issued on the following dates:

Term	Invoice Issued	Due Date
1, 2027	08/12/2026	11/01/2027
2, 2027	02/03/2027	02/04/2027
3, 2027	18/05/2027	18/06/2027
4, 2027	24/08/2027	24/09/2027

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Term 1 2028 fees will be emailed in the week of 6 December 2027 with a due date of 10 January 2028

B. Ten monthly instalments

Parents/Guardians can elect to pay annual tuition fees and charges via a ten monthly instalment plan from February to November by weekly, fortnight or monthly payments. Payments will be processed on the following days/dates:

- Weekly: Friday (commencing 5 February 2027)
- Fortnight: every second Friday (commencing 5 February 2027)
- Monthly: either the 1st, 16th or 28th of the month (families may select the preferred date)

Please complete the payment arrangement form via the link in the 2027 Fees Information email and submit by 18 December 2026.

C. Payment in Advance

Parents/Guardians can elect to pay Annual Tuition fees and charges in advance to attract a 5% discount on tuition fees only. **Payment is due by 30 November 2026, to retain the discount.** If payment of tuition fees only, is made, the additional composite, music, camp fees etc. are payable each term by the due date stated on the account. Additional term fees cannot be held as unpaid until the end of the school year.

Please complete the payment arrangement form via the link in the 2027 Fees Information email and submit by 20 November 2026.

D. Edstart

Edstart is available to families who would like more flexibility with school fee payments. Edstart allows families to spread fees into weekly, fortnightly, or monthly payments over 12 months.

Find out more at <https://edstart.com.au/yvg>

Note: In providing information about Edstart, the School does not provide any recommendations, brokering or advice services. The School does not receive referral fees, commissions or other remuneration from Edstart and it does not accept any responsibility for their service delivery.

Payment Methods

Payment by BPAY



Billers Code: 95109
Ref:

Ref: Account ID as shown on your account

Payment is made via your participating financial institution

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**PayID**

PayID:44004584552

Reference: Please use your Account Code/ID number

Payment by Credit Card

The school accepts payment by EFTPOS, VISA, MasterCard & AMEX, UnionPay (UnionPay can only be processed in the accounts office, not online)

Payment by credit card can be made:

1. Online at: <https://www.yvg.vic.edu.au/online-payments>
2. Via the Parent portal
3. At the Accounts Office (credit card and EFTPOS)

Payment by electronic funds transfer

Account Name: Yarra Valley Grammar

BSB: 083 004

Acct: 66-456-6082

Please use your account ID on your statement as your reference number so the School can identify your payment.

Payment by cash

Please note that from **1 January 2028** cash payments will no longer be accepted for school fees.

Withdrawal of students

32. Parents must provide one full term's notice in writing before removing a student from the School. Where such notice is not provided, one term's fees will be charged per student withdrawn.
33. No proportion of the current term's fees will be reimbursed if a student leaves the School part-way through the term.

Family background information

34. The School collects various family background information that is required to fulfil legal obligations under the *Australian Education Act 2013* and the Victorian Schools Funding Agreement. Parents and guardians are responsible for the ongoing currency and accuracy of student and family information that is held by the School including residential addresses, parent occupation details, any student visa and medical details.
35. Parents or guardians may update the family and student information via Consent2Go, Community Portal or in writing to the respective secretary in the Junior, Middle or Senior School Office.

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Insurance

36. The School maintains student accident insurance cover which includes a level of protection for students worldwide 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, against accidental bodily injury, subject to certain exclusions. The School strongly recommends that parents assess this cover in light of their own insurance requirements. A Schedule of Events and Compensation is available on request from the Finance Office to enable review of the benefits available.
37. If a child is injured during the year and a parent needs to make a claim on the student insurance policy, they should contact the Corporate Services Manager on 9262 7700.

Rebates and Subsidies

Childcare Subsidy - ELC only

As the ELC is certified with the Family Assistance Office (FAO) as a provider of registered childcare and not of approved childcare there is no entitlement available for parents to access the Childcare Subsidy.

Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF)

This fund helps with paying for eligible students to attend school camps, sports and excursions. Parents should visit the [Department website](#) to determine eligibility prior to contacting the School's Finance Department. Rebate only applies to holders of valid Health Care Concession cards.

A copy of your valid health care card is to be emailed to the accounts office for processing.

General Enquiries

All general fee and payment enquiries including payment arrangements, payment of fees in advance and extensions of payment terms should be directed to the Finance Department on accounts@yvg.vic.edu.au or 9262-7704

Financial hardship enquiries are to be directed to the Corporate Services Manager on jane.macneil@yvg.vic.edu.au

Fees are subject to annual review. Parents will be notified of the new School Year fees in September.

Parents are responsible for payment for breakage or damage to school property caused by their student.

Separated Families

As part of our communication process for split families, copies of account statements and related correspondence will be provided to both parties, unless current Court Orders state otherwise.

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Please note that Primary Contact Name is recorded as the main recipient on the account and will receive the original correspondence. A copy will also be sent to Secondary Contact Name to ensure both parties remain informed of account activity.

Extended Approved Absences (leave of absence)

Where a student is absent from the school for one term or more (to a maximum of two years) and a place is to be kept pending their return, a full terms notice is required in writing to the relevant Head of School for approval.

Where schoolwork is to be provided to the student over the absence period, a holding fee of 50% of the annual/terms tuition fees is charged per annum/term.

Where no schoolwork is to be provided a holding fee of 25% per term will be charged. The holding fee is not refundable and is not credited against future tuition fees.

VET Subjects

Students who undertake vocational subjects or subjects by distance education may be charged the materials fee component by the course provider via your school account.

International/National Tours

A student will not be permitted to participate in overseas or national tours where tuition fees or miscellaneous charges are outstanding or previously accepted monthly arrangement payment plans are not being adhered to by the family.

Information for parents – Court Orders

Yarra Valley Grammar recognises that family disputes may occur, which may result in parenting orders being made by a court.

Yarra Valley Grammar is committed to promoting the safety and wellbeing of all children and young people, regardless of their family living situation.

Parents should advise the school immediately if there are any changes in family circumstances which may impact on their child by contacting the finance and relevant school offices.

If court orders are in place, parents should provide a sealed copy of the court orders to the school as soon as possible.

Related Links / Information

[Conditions of Enrolment](#)

[Privacy Policy](#)

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