This letter includes important information about the fees and inclusions for the SRS (Student Resource Scheme). If you have previously opted into the Student Resources Scheme (SRS) your participation is assumed for the remainder of your child's enrolment, unless you inform the school otherwise by completing a new participation agreement form. If you are a new parent to the school, this information will assist you in making a decision as to whether you wish to participate in the Student Resources Scheme (SRS).



### What is provided by the Queensland Government?

The Queensland Government supports children's education by providing funding for instruction (teachers), facilities (school grounds and buildings, internet), and administration (staff to run the school). Funding for schools does not extend to individual student resources such as textbooks, equipment for personal use, and many items used by the student in the classroom.

The Student Resources Scheme (SRS) helps parents to source these resources. The school can purchase resources at lower rates due to its bulk buying power. Participating in the Student Resources Scheme (SRS) offers a convenient way for parents to source the items that their child needs for school, and ensures that all students have access to the same standard of resources.

### Type of Resources provided

Generally, the three types of resources that could be included are:

- **Owned** these items are retained by the student and used as required (e.g. stationery, exercise books, student diary).
- Used these items are used/consumed in class by the student (e.g. industry technology/cooking/art supplies).
  - work/items produced from these resources will remain the property of the student.
- **Hired** these items are hired to the student for their personal use for a specific period of time (e.g. textbooks, musical instruments, laptops).
  - Hired items must be returned to the school in good condition at the end of the hire period or if the student leaves the school.
  - A repair or replacement cost may be charged to the parent for any hired items that are damaged or not returned.

## The Fee: Student Resources Scheme (SRS) Fee

If you are not satisfied that the Student Resources Scheme (SRS) fee represents good value for money based on the inclusions below, you may choose not to participate in the Student Resources Scheme (SRS). If that is the case, please complete a new Participation Agreement Form, indicating that you no longer wish to participate.

If you choose not to participate you will be required to provide items from the year level lists for your child/children throughout the school year as directed by the classroom teacher. The year level lists are not exhaustive and additional items may be required.

# Cost of the Prep Student Resources Scheme (SRS)

**\$180.00** due **06/02/2026.** If you have opted to pay the Student Resources Scheme (SRS) by term instalments you will receive an invoice for the full amount and term instalments of \$60 will be due on the following dates: 6/02/26, 01/05/26 and 24/07/26.

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# **The Prep Student Resource Scheme Inclusions**

Examples of what your contribution of \$180.00 per year, will provide your child with (but not limited to):

- Class sets of workbooks, worksheets, reference materials and teacher prepared booklets
- · Class sets of writing and drawing materials; chalk, stationery, project materials, whiteboards
- Materials where the instruction is extended through providing practical learning experiences involving consumables such as; cooking ingredients, art and science materials and supplies
- Art materials such as paint, clay, music, equipment and other specialist supplies
- ICT software and apps.
- Online Wushka Decodable subscription
- Student reference materials such as books and software
- Participation in two school presentations
- Classroom consumables
- \* Prep Booklist the booklist is provided through participation in the Student Resources Scheme (SRS) in Prep Year only, parents are asked to supply students with the required booklist items for Years 1 to 6.

# Student Resource Scheme (SRS) Breakdown Prep

	ITEMS	COST
English (Literacy)	<ul><li>Reference materials and resources</li><li>Online Decodable reader subscription</li></ul>	• \$20.00 • \$15.00
Mathematics (Numeracy)	Reference materials and resources	• \$10.00
Technology	<ul><li>Software and apps</li><li>Emerging Technologies (robotics)</li></ul>	• \$4.00 • \$6.00
Science	Reference materials and equipment	• \$10.00
Health & Physical Education	Reference materials and equipment	• \$10.00
The Arts	Music, music equipment, costumes, props, art consumables	• \$10.00
Miscellaneous consumables for all subject areas	Classroom and course consumables	• \$80.00
School Presentations	<ul><li>Author Visit</li><li>NAIDOC Visit</li></ul>	• \$10.00 • \$10.00
Prep Book Pack Items	<ul> <li>Book pack to be provided to class teacher on day 1 if not participating in scheme.</li> <li>Items purchased in bulk by the teacher throughout the year as needed.</li> </ul> Total Value in excess of	• \$237.85 \$ 422.85

### **BOOK LIST ITEMS**

These are to be purchased by individual parents/carers prior to the first day of school in 2026. Booklists can be found on the school website:

# https://kuluinss.eq.edu.au/enrolments/booklists



### **Financial Hardship**

Parents experiencing financial hardship who are currently participating or wish to participate in the Student Resources Scheme (SRS) should contact the school to discuss available options in confidence.

### **Payment Arrangement**

Several payment options including a single payment for the full year's fee or term instalments are available. An instalment plan can also be negotiated with the school.

Any unpaid invoices, will be managed according to the department's Debt Management Procedure and may result in the student being excluded from the scheme and/or from participating in non-curricular activities until payment is made (http://ppr.det.qld.gov.au/corp/finance/accounts/Procedure%20Attachments/debt-management/debt-management.pdf).

### **Payment Method**

Student Resources Scheme (SRS) payments can be made by QParent/BPOINT, BPAY, Centrepay or payment to the school bank account

BSB: 064-420 ACCOUNT: 00904741.

- Payment may be made through the QParents portal using a credit card. Payment will be directed from the QParents portal to BPOINT where relevant outstanding invoice information may be selected.
- When paying by BPOINT, please use the Customer Reference Number (CRN) and invoice number printed on the invoice received from the school. If unsure of the CRN, please contact the school.
- Centrepay Deductions are available to pay the Student Resources Scheme (SRS) fees. Use Centrepay to make
  regular deductions from your Centrelink payment. Centrepay is a voluntary and easy payment option available to
  Centrelink customers. Go to <a href="https://humanservices.gov.au/centrepay">humanservices.gov.au/centrepay</a> for more information on how to set up your
  Centrepay deductions.

### **Contact us**

For any Student Resources Scheme (SRS) gueries please contact the office: admin@kuluinss.eg.edu.au 5477 3777