





Dear Parents, Guardians and Caregivers,

Please find within this booklet information regarding Moama Anglican Grammar's 2024 School Fee Schedule.

This year, after careful consideration of the current economic climate, along with balancing the need to accommodate annual salary and superannuation increases, and increasing operational costs, the Board has made the decision that fees will increase for 2024 as outlined on page 4 of the booklet.

It is essential that our School continues to maintain a high standard of buildings and infrastructure to support student learning experiences and as such the capital levy has also had a modest increase, after no increase for 2023.

Our payment and direct debit options will continue as usual to provide flexibility for families. Payment options can be discussed with our School Business Manager Mrs Suzanna Barry, if assistance is needed. Please do not hesitate to direct any questions to her at sbarry@moamagrammar.nsw.edu.au.

This year we have continued to develop and maintain the school grounds and have refurbished several classrooms. Our Information Technology upgrades continue on a cyclical basis. Earlier this year a substantial upgrade occurred with the installation of new switches and Wi-Fi access points, enhancing data security, and improving connectivity for students.

The Board reviewed the Strategic Plan at the end of 2022 and has commenced a comprehensive 5-year review of the current Masterplan to progress planning for, and prioritisation of, future capital developments.

Since commencing my role as Principal, I have spent considerable time authentically engaging members of our school community. Throughout this time, I have listened, observed, reflected, questioned, and systematically reviewed the current strengths of our school and in the process, identified opportunities for future growth and investment.

Part of my vision for the continuous development of student experience within our school is making Moama Anglican Grammar a 'school of choice.' What I mean by 'choice' is an explicit emphasis on providing diverse pathway choices for our students to tailor aspects of their learning program throughout their journey in our school to their personal passions, aspirations, and interests.

I am very much looking forward to sharing some exciting developments during Term 4 which highlight how we will be amplifying 'choice' for our students in 2024.

Scott Downward
Principal

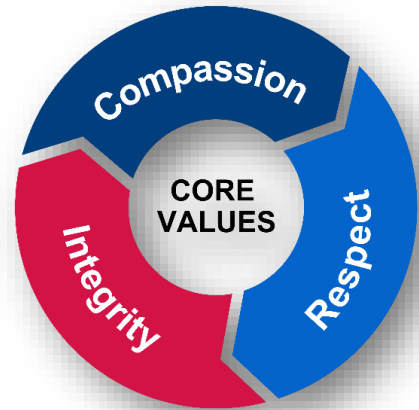
Our Mission

To provide a safe and inspiring educational environment that equips students with the skills and confidence to help create their future.

Our Values

To promote Christian beliefs and values, we strive to be a community of:

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| Compassion | loving our neighbours as ourselves; being people who show kindness, who care and are willing to help others. |
| Respect | valuing others and their unique contribution to our life. |
| Integrity | living consistently with who we are called to be; doing the right thing even if no one is watching, being true to our beliefs and values. |



Our Strategic Plan

The Strategic Plan is one of the School's key guiding documents, and provides a framework for the Board and management. The Plan was developed in 2019 and implementation commenced in 2020. The Plan was reviewed in 2022.

The plan identifies three focus areas that are shaping the School's direction from 2020-2024. Staff have an integral role in the implementation of the plan.

Creating and strengthening connections:

- We will strengthen the sense of being with students, families and staff.
- We will create and strengthen relationships with key industries and community groups in Echuca Moama.
- We will connect with our past students and families.
- We will strengthen connections between all year levels.
- We will strengthen our connection with the Anglican Church in our community.

Positioning Moama Anglican Grammar for the future:

- We will review our master plan to ensure that infrastructure is of a high standard and facilities are scalable in line with regional population and enrolment patterns.
- We will plan for the future in response to predicted demographic changes, industry and competitor environment and the wider education sector.
- We will position Moama Anglican Grammar to be your school of choice for young people and families in the central Murray region of NSW and Victoria.

Equipping our students for the future:

- We will ensure students have access to the best learning tools, platforms and high impact, evidence-based strategies.
- We will ensure continuous growth and development of staff.
- We will further develop staff skills and professionalism with a holistic approach to development to improve student academic outcomes.
- We will further develop processes to proactively attract and retain high quality staff.

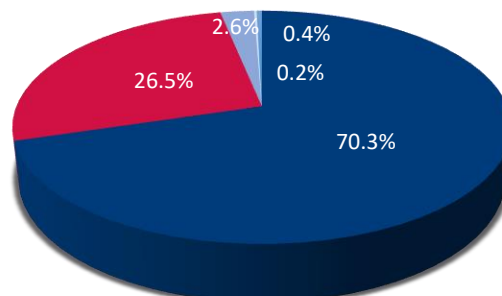
Tuition Fee Structure 2024

Moama Anglican Grammar aims to set fees at a level that provides access to quality education in a safe and inspiring environment to as many families as possible.

To achieve this, we balance affordable education with the cost of providing quality facilities, staff and resources.

The 2024 fee schedule considers salaries, education costs, business costs (e.g. insurance), IT, facilities and maintenance costs for existing building and equipment across the whole of the School.

Where does our school income come from?



■ Government Funding ■ Tuition Fee ■ Capital Levy ■ Fundraising ■ Other

Schedule of Tuition Fees and Levy

Fees	Tuition	Cap/Maint Levy	Total	Per term	Per Month	Per Fortnight	Per week
K – 2	4,405	580	4,985	1,246	415.45	191.75	95.90
3 & 4	4,760	580	5,340	1,335	445.00	205.40	102.70
5 & 6	5,790	580	6,370	1,593	530.85	245.00	122.50
7 & 8	6,695	580	7,275	1,819	606.25	279.80	139.90
9 & 10	7,650	580	8,230	2,058	685.85	316.55	158.30
11	8,240	580	8,820	2,520	840.00	387.70	193.85
12	8,240	580	8,820	2,520	630.00	290.80	145.40

Note: Year 11 and 12 fees are calculated based on 7 terms over 2 years.

Weekly – term breakdown of fees are approximate calculations.

Sibling discounts

The School provides a reduction in tuition fees if parents have more than one child enrolled at Moama Anglican Grammar in the same year. Sibling discounts are allocated to each student based on the below figures.

Siblings attending (Kinder-Year 12)	Discount
1 st child	-
2 nd child	15%
3 rd child	25%
4 th child	30%

This discount is for Tuition Fees only.

Alumni Levy

An Alumni charge of \$110 is levied with the Term 2 fees for each Year 7 student or for each new student entering the Secondary School. This non-refundable charge represents a once only contribution to the School's Alumni Program.

Included in the Tuition Fees 2024

The Annual Tuition Fee provides for a full range of academic services available at the school. The fee includes expenses associated with compulsory activities such as annual year level camps, most local excursions and incursions, student accident insurance, class-based music and singing lessons (and instrument provision), debating and public speaking competitions.

Information technology costs such as internet access, a printing allowance and technology resources are also included in the tuition fees. Students in K-1 access class sets of iPads, and Chrome Books for Years 2-6. Moama Anglican Grammar provides a comprehensive bring-your-own-device (BYOD) program for all students in years 7-12. The BYOD program ensures that students are able to seamlessly integrate their own learning devices with the school's wireless network and utilise School provided software 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, from any internet connection within Australia. This also includes access to their network storage, learning materials and SEQTA portal from outside of the School. To ensure access to quality learning materials, Moama Anglican Grammar supplies all BYOD devices with licences to the Microsoft 365 suite, Google drive storage, and Adobe Creative Cloud. Students can utilise this software from their BYOD device both at School and while at home.

Please note that if a camp is cancelled due to external factors, and not replaced with an alternate activity, a credit will be applied to school fees.

Early Payment Discounts

An early payment discount of 3% (2% for credit card - master/visa) applies to full year tuition fees paid by 31 October the year prior to enrolment.

Any outstanding balance must be paid for the discount to apply. The discount is only applicable for families paying standard tuition fees.

Fee Payment Methods and Due dates

School fee accounts are emailed to parents each term. Fees are charged quarterly in advance and may be paid weekly, fortnightly, monthly or annually (see table above for breakdown).

School fee payment methods:

- Direct debit via credit card
- Direct debit via bank account
- EFTPOS
- Cash or Cheque

Dishonour payment fees are billed to the family.

Capital levy charges

The Capital and Maintenance Levy is a compulsory annual charge of \$580 per student. It is used to fund the school's building and maintenance program. Donations to the Building Fund in excess of this levy are tax deductible.

Additional Charges

Specialised excursions, private music tuition, text books and online learning platforms are charged on a cost recovery basis.

A stationery levy of \$120 per student is payable for Years K – 4.

An additional charge for the supply of e-text and online learning provisions will be sent with Term 2 fees for Year 5-12 students.

Subject specific camps such as Service trips, PASS (Physical Activity and Sports Studies) etc are also additional charges if your child chooses to participate in these activities.

VET subjects will each have specific fees associated with them according to specific training needs.

Building Fund All families are encouraged to make a voluntary contribution to the Building Fund to assist the School with essential building maintenance and future building development.	Scholarships The School has a Scholarship Fund to facilitate enrolment at Moama Anglican Grammar. Scholarship opportunities are offered to Students from Year 5-11 and include Academic, General Excellence and Performing Arts. A scholarship can be a life-changing gift, offering students the opportunity of a safe and inspiring education. Scholarship applications generally open in Term 4 and close in Term 1.
These contributions are both tax deductible. www.moamagrammar.nsw.edu.au/foundation/donations-and-bequests/	

Overdue Accounts and Reminders

Reminder notices will be issued by email to all families who have not settled the tuition fee account by the due date.

A student may be prevented from commencing a new term whilst fees from the previous term remain unpaid at the discretion of the School. Extra activities/excursions are not available to students whose fees are in arrears.

Split Families

In relation to the collection of School Fees, Moama Anglican Grammar is under the rules and obligations of Contract Law therefore it should be noted that Child Support Agreements and Family Law Court Orders are agreements between parents/carers and do not impose obligations on schools in relation to invoicing nor do they negate Joint and Several Liability.

Notice of Withdrawal of a Student

The School asks parents to understand that commitments to teachers, salaries and other expenses are planned and made in advance, on the basis of educating a student for a full year. One full term notice in writing is required in the case of a student choosing to withdraw from the School. If less than a term notice is given, a full term fee per student will be charged unless exceptional circumstances apply (for the avoidance of doubt, a full term notice is considered to be notice given before the first day of a term about the following term e.g. a student will not attend from Term 3; notice is given of withdrawal before the first day of Term 2, unless there are extenuating circumstances that the School may consider).

Questions and Queries

The School recognises that circumstances may arise which requires families to seek changes to how fees are to be paid. Such changes are to be discussed and arranged with the Business Manager, and families are encouraged to communicate early and often, through such periods. In the first instance, please contact our Accounts Officer as soon as possible so we can assist. If parents have genuine difficulties in paying fees, due to changed circumstances, we encourage them to discuss the matter confidentially with the Business Manager.

Application and Admission Fees

An Application Fee of \$100 for the first child, \$85 for the second child and \$75 for the third and subsequent children is payable at the time of lodging an application form. Upon acceptance of an imminent place offered for 2024, a \$200 non-refundable Enrolment Acceptance Fee is payable, along with one term's Tuition Fees and Capital Levy.

2024 Enrolments:

An Enrolment Fee of \$1,000 is payable by the date nominated in the formal letter of offer and will confirm acceptance of a place. Of this fee \$200 is a non-refundable Enrolment Acceptance Fee. The remaining \$800 is credited against the Term 2 Tuition Fee in the student's first year of attendance.

No student may commence until all initial charges (Application Fee, Enrolment Fee and one term's Tuition Fee) have been paid, and there are no overdue fees or charges for siblings.

2024 TERM DATES

Term 1

Monday 29 January – Thursday 28 March

Administration Office opens – Monday 8 January

Executive Team commence – Wednesday 17 January

Middle Leaders commence – Friday 19 January

New teachers commence – Monday 22 January

Teaching staff commence – Tuesday 23 January

Australia Day Public Holiday – Friday 26 January

Staff PD – Wednesday 24 and Thursday 25 January

Students in Year 1 to Year 12 commence Wednesday 31 January

Students in Kinder to commence Friday 2 February

Labour Day Public Holiday - Monday 11 March

Thursday 28 March – last day of term: 2:05 pm dismissal

(Easter Public Holidays: Good Friday – 29 March; Easter Monday – 1 April).

Term 2

Monday 15 April – Friday 21 June

Student Free Day (Staff PD) – Monday 15 April

(Anzac Day Public Holiday – Thursday 25 April)

King's Birthday Public Holiday - Monday 10 June

Friday 21 June – last day of term: 3:05 pm dismissal.

Term 3

Monday 15 July – Friday 20 September

Student Free Day (Staff PD) – Monday 15 July

Friday 20 September – last day of term: 2:05 pm dismissal

Term 4

Monday 7 October – Friday 13 December

Student Free Day (Staff PD) – Monday 7 October

Exeat Holiday– Monday 4 November

Melbourne Cup Public Holiday - Tuesday 5 November

Presentation Assembly – Tuesday 10 December

Wednesday 11 December – last day of term for students: 3:05 pm dismissal