

Cairnlea Park Primary School	200	Page 1:1
Policy Manual	211 Parent Payment	Date: March 2016

Rationale:

Parent payments can be requested for certain aspects of school operations.
These are:

- essential education items such as stationery, text books and computer software
- optional extras such as camps, excursions and incursions.

Aims:

- to support the learning of all students in the school
- to allow students to participate in extra curricula activities
- to provide parents with the opportunity to financially support the development of school facilities and resources.

Implementation:

- The school's Parent Payment Policy will be fully compliant with the DEECD's Parent Payments in Victorian School's Policy
http://www.eduweb.vic.gov.au/edulibrary/public/schacc/Parent_payments_policy_2008-pol-v1.00.pdf
- It will ensure that:
 - a minimum of six weeks' notice for any financial contribution is given
 - that all activities and purchases are accurately costed
 - that non-payment of any costs incurred does not prevent the advancement to the next year level of any student
 - that details of parent payment or non-payment is confidential

Evaluation:

- The Parent Payment policy is to be reviewed in line with any changes to the DEECD policy as part of the Program Evaluation process.

This policy was last ratified by school council in March 2016