

Rathdowney State Primary School

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Dear Parents

STUDENT RESOURCE SCHEME 2025

In 2025 Rathdowney State School will continue operating a Student Resource Scheme. A student resource scheme enables a parent to enter into a written agreement with the school that, in return for payment of a specified annual participation fee, provides for the participating student's temporary use of prescribed textbooks and other resources and/or for the purchase by the parent of consumables and materials for the student's use.

This scheme is supported by the P&C and participation in the scheme is voluntary, and no obligation is placed on a parent to participate. The Student Resource Scheme amount for 2025 \$150.00 per Student. Parents are asked to return the form indicating whether they will be participating or not. If you decide not to participate a full list of requirements is available from the office.

The Student Resource Scheme covers:

- all workbooks and exercise and project books required by the students and handed out individually,
- classroom sets of other stationery items i.e. pens, pencils, colouring pencils, textas, rubbers, scissors, pencil sharpeners, dvd/cd's, USB stick for each student Yr 3 and above. These items remain the property of the school.
- classroom sets of encyclopaedias, dictionaries, and atlases etc, which remain school property.

The Student Resource Scheme will be collected through the school and the school will provide a receipt. As such the school can receive discounts on textbooks and stationery, which the school will pass on to students.

Participating in the student resource scheme ensures that each student has everything they require from the first day of Term One and is provided with exercise books and stationery on an ongoing basis. Parents are not required to buy items such as junior dictionaries, which are quite expensive and may be relevant for only one or two years. For anyone choosing not to participate in the student resource scheme the booklists will be available on request at the office. You will also be able to get a list of the suppliers that we use to purchase the text books from as well.

If you indicate that you will be participating in the scheme and discover some difficulty in paying, please discuss the matter with the Principal or administration officer. As in previous years, it will be possible to make part payments either through Centrelink fortnightly payments or by arrangement with the school, but we encourage full payment when school starts, as that is when our purchases will be made. Invoices will be produced at the start of term 1.

Yours sincerely

Wesley Kroll Principal