

CLONCURRY STATE SCHOOL P-12

Student Resource Scheme



Years 9 Student Resource Scheme - 2026

INTRODUCTION

Cloncurry State School P-12 operates a Student Resource Scheme (SRS) that is supported by the school community and endorsed by our P and C Association. The SRS provides consistent learning resources to all students to enhance student educational outcomes. Participation in SRS offers Parents/Carers a cost-effective alternative to purchasing resources elsewhere, through reduced prices gained from the school's bulk purchasing and hiring arrangements. The SRS incorporates curriculum resources, texts, consumables and access to one-to-one technology including an iPad program (Year 7 to 9) and laptop program (Year 10 to 12) with technical support, software, and insurance. All revenue collected through the SRS is applied directly to the operation and provision of student resources. The SRS does not raise funds for any other purpose.

SRS PARTICIPATION FORM

It is a requirement of the Department of Education that the Participation Agreement Form is completed. This should be done whether you wish to join or opt out of the scheme, as indicated by ticking either the "Yes" or "No" box on the form.

Please note that no resources will be issued to students in 2026 without the completion of this form.

Parents/Carers are now able to participate in the SRS for the duration of their student's enrolment at our school, saving the need to complete the Participation Agreement Form each year. You can opt out of the SRS in any year by advising our Administration Office before the invoice due date. **Please be aware that if you choose to opt out of the SRS, the Parent/Carer is responsible for purchasing and providing all resources covered by the SRS each year for their child whilst they are a student at Cloncurry State School P-12.** The attached document outlines the required resources for each year level and/or secondary school subject. Indicative retail prices are also included to assist Parents/Carers in making an informed choice, should they be considering not participating' in the SRS. Please also note, that personal devices (laptops, smart phones, tablets etc) are not permitted to access the Cloncurry State School P-12 network.

STUDENT RESOURCE SCHEME CHARGES FOR YEARS 9, 2026

\$150 together with your consent that the Government Textbook and Resource Allowance of \$160.00 (see page 2 for eligibility criteria), be paid directly to the school for the provision of resources.

SRS payments MUST be made before students can access the resources and technology listed on page 4.

PAYMENT PLANS

To minimise the impact of the SRS costs, Parents/Carers can arrange a payment plan so that payments can be spread across the year. If you would like to discuss this option, or have any questions about the Student Resource Scheme, please phone the school on 47 428 333 to speak with the Business Services Manager – Mrs Martel.

We look forward to your participation in this scheme, and value the opportunity to provide this service to parents and students.

Kind Regards,

Kylie Barrett
Principal

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How do I participate in the Scheme?

Parents/carers wishing to take advantage of the services outlined and agreeing to the conditions therein should select 'YES – I wish to participate in the Student Resource Scheme' on the Student Resource Scheme Participation Agreement form. Payment of the participation fee implies acceptance of the SRS including the Terms and Conditions. Parents/Carers are only required to complete the Student Resource Scheme Participation Agreement form once for the duration of their student's enrolment.

How do I pay?

An invoice will be emailed to you. Payment can be made using the below methods.

PAYMENT METHOD		
☐ Q Parent / BPOINT*	☐ EFTPOS (Credit/Debit Card)	☐ Cash or Cheque
☐ School Bank Account	BSB: 084 - 614 ACCOUNT: 1023 - 6929	
*Online through QParents / BPOINT or see your school's website. 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 your CRN, please contact the school.		

Centrepay Deductions are available to pay the 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 <https://www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/set-up-centrepay-deductions> for more information on how to set up your Centrepay deductions or contact 1800 044 063 for assistance.

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Non-Participation

Parents/Carers who do not wish to participate in the scheme should complete and tick the non-participation on the Student Resource Scheme Participation Agreement form. A list of the textbooks to purchase and resource costs is provided on the *Non- Participation in The Student Resource Scheme* for specific year levels.

Textbook and Resource Allowance (TRA) Government Contribution

The Department of Education provides assistance to Parents/Carers of secondary school age students attending state and approved non-state schools to contribute towards the cost of textbooks and learning resources. This assistance is provided to the school once a year in the form of a Textbook and Resources Allowance (TRA). The school retains this allowance to offset the costs to Parents/Carers.

Eligibility criteria for the Textbook and Resource Allowance

The following students are eligible:

- Students attending approved schools in Years 7 to 12
- Students in ungraded secondary school programs and who are at least 13 years of age on 1 January
- Students who are at least 13 years of age on 1 January and attending state special schools and non-state special schools holding funding approval (15 years for senior secondary rate)
- Students undertaking courses in Australian Agricultural College campuses in Queensland equating to and in lieu of Years 11 to 12.

The following students are NOT eligible:

- Students enrolled as full fee-paying overseas students (FFOS)
- Students enrolled in a Centre for Continuing Secondary Education (CCSE)
- Students undertaking part time distance education from a non-state school accredited for distance education
- Students enrolled AFTER the first Friday in August.

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Non-Payment of Fees

Fees apply to all students, and it is essential that they are paid so that resources can be provided to students for their learning programs. Cloncurry State School P-12 ensures that student learning is well resourced and to a high standard. This cannot happen without your support. Students with outstanding fees may be ineligible to participate in non-curriculum school activities and will not be able to use iPads/laptops, so please set up a payment plan if required.

Costing Methodology

The schools SRS fee is calculated based on a flat fee for a cohort group of students (e.g. a year level). Please refer to the SRS Resource list for the associated costings.

Example Costs of Non-Participation

Item	Student A - Example (DAT, Extension PE)	Student B - Example (Food Technologies, Visual Art)
Textbooks	\$172	\$172
Technology	\$463 plus cost of iPad	\$463 plus cost of iPad
Resources & Consumables	\$409	\$513
Total	\$ 1044 plus cost of iPad	\$1148 plus cost of iPad

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NON-PARTICIPATION IN THE STUDENT RESOURCE SCHEME – YEAR 9

If a student **does not** join the Student Resource Scheme, they will need to:

1. Purchase or obtain the textbooks with approximate costs shown in **Column A**; and
2. Pay the costs in **Column B** for the resources required for specific subjects studied

YEAR 9 SUBJECT	TEXTBOOKS/RESOURCES TO BE PURCHASED BY STUDENTS NOT PARTICIPATING IN THE STUDENT RESOURCE SCHEME	A Cost of Textbooks	B Subject Charges for Resources
ALL STUDENTS	Student diary Printing credit		\$15.00 \$20.00
	Student online programs and texts including but not limited to: ClickView (1 year access) MathsOnline (1 year access) Adobe Creative Cloud (1 year access) iPad– cost of new device (e.g. Apple iPad 11-inch A16 128GB Wi-Fi) iPad – standard case		\$7.00 \$20.00 \$360.00 \$587.00 \$28.00
ENGLISH	<i>The Maze Runner</i> — James Dashner <i>Twelve Angry Men</i> – Reginald Rose Worksheets	\$19.99 \$13.00	\$15.00
HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION	Worksheets		\$15.00
HISTORY / GEOGRAPHY	Worksheets		\$15.00
MATHEMATICS	Oxford MyMaths 9 HP HP10s+ Scientific Calculator Worksheets	\$69.95	\$23.95 \$15.00
SCIENCE	Oxford Science 9 Laboratory coat Various store-bought chemicals / consumables Worksheets	\$68.95	\$25.00 \$40.00 \$15.00
PASTORAL CARE	Worksheets		\$15.00
ELECTIVE SUBJECTS			
DESIGN & TECHNOLOGIES (DAT)	OnGuard Safety Training Project consumables (\$40 per term) *Teacher to provide list of equipment and resources required		\$24.20 \$160.00
FOOD TECHNOLOGIES	Ingredients and consumables (\$40 per term) *Teacher to provide list of equipment and resources required		\$160.00
EXTENSION PE	Consumables *Teacher to provide list		\$10.00
VISUAL ART	Art materials required for drawing, painting, and printmaking (1 artwork per term). *Teacher to provide list of equipment and resources required.		\$120.00
	Visual diary Worksheets		\$4.00 \$15.00
SHORT COURSES			
CAREERS SHORT COURSE	Worksheets		\$15.00