



BRISBANE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

## 2023 SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES FOR FULL FEE-PAYING OVERSEAS STUDENTS

For overseas students, the Board of Trustees has endeavoured to set fees which will cover, as far as possible, all tuition expenses except textbooks and uniforms. The Tuition Fee for overseas students is higher for Australian students because the School receives Federal and State Government grants in respect of Australian students. There are also additional administration costs for overseas students, and it is compulsory for overseas students to contribute to Overseas Student Health Cover.

Fees are set for the current year only and are subject to change over the life of the course.

### Application Fee

A non-refundable \$550 application fee is required and does not guarantee a place at the School.

### Tuition Fees

Years 5 to 6	Annual Fee	\$33,460
Years 7 to 12	Annual Fee	\$41,260
Technology Levy (5,7 to 12)	Annual Fee	\$1,310
Confirmation Fee		\$2,850 (payable once only)

### Non-Tuition Fees

Boarding		
Years 5 to 6	Annual Fee	\$23,840
Years 7 to 12	Annual Fee	\$29,780
Service Fee*	Annual Fee	\$ 800

\*Years 11 and 12 students are required to pay a yearly fee to the Queensland Studies Authority (QSA). The School collects this fee and forwards it to the QSA.

### Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC)

As required by the Department of Immigration and Border Protection (DIBP), OSHC must be arranged for the entire duration of a student's visa prior to the student visa being issued. The School does not arrange OSHC for students. Parents are free to choose their own medical insurance authority. One such authority you may consider is Medibank Private. The 2023 Medibank Private OSHC fees for Essentials Single Cover are, subject to change:

1 Year	\$591	4 Years	\$2,773
2 Years	\$1,208	5 Years	\$3,515
3 Years	\$1,807		

### Uniforms / Textbooks / Stationery

School uniforms, textbooks and stationery may be purchased from the Grammar Shop. While requirements and pricing vary each year, it is estimated that, at current pricing, a minimum outlay for uniforms, textbooks and stationery for the school year will be \$1000 – \$1200.

### Payment of Fees

If your son's application for enrolment is successful a Written Agreement will be issued. Included in this Agreement are the School's conditions of enrolment which include payment of the following fees:

- A non-refundable Application Fee of \$500
- A non-refundable Confirmation Fee of \$2,850  
*This fee is not deducted from Tuition Fees. The Confirmation Fee is non-refundable except in cases of visa refusal where the fee will form part of the calculation for any refund owed. Refer to the 'student visa refusal' section of the BGS international refund policy.*
- An advance payment of 50% of the Tuition Fees, 75% of the Boarding Fees and 100% of the Technology Levy for the first upcoming school year, with each subsequent year are payable annually by 15 February of that year.

Full details of the required payments and other conditions of enrolment are provided in the Written Agreement. The School provides a range of options for payment including cheque, credit card (Visa, MasterCard or American Express) or via the internet using BPay or the School's online payment portal. These options will be fully explained on your fee statement.

**Note regarding unpaid fees: In accordance with the Written Agreement, the School reserves the right to cancel or suspend an enrolment if fees are not paid as and when they fall due, unless other prior arrangements have been agreed in writing.**

## Fee Payment Terms and Conditions Specific to Full-Fee Paying Overseas Students

- Individuals who are party to a Student Enrolment Agreement with the School accept full financial responsibility and are jointly and severally liable for the student's tuition fees and any other costs associated with the student's enrolment at the School. This means that each individual who signs the Student Enrolment Agreement accepts financial responsibility and is personally liable for the full amount owed to the School. Where more than one individual signs the Student Enrolment Agreement accepting financial responsibility (for example, where both parents sign) the School may at its absolute discretion elect to pursue any signatory for the full amount owed.

Where the School is provided with a Court Order which provides for an alternate arrangement (as between the parents) for payment of the student's tuition fees and any other costs associated with the student's enrolment at the School, the School may act on the Court Order at its absolute discretion, to the extent permitted by law and will act in accordance with the Court Order as required by law.

- Fees must be paid in full by 15th February each year.
- Receipts are not issued for payment of fee accounts. They are available online from MyGrammar.
- Where fees are not paid by the due date, they will be considered overdue and will be subject to an Overdue Account Fee.

Should the fee payment be dishonoured, a Dishonour Fee will apply. If the dishonour is not rectified within a week, the full amount will be considered overdue and (5) below will apply. The normal debt collection process will also commence. Please refer to the table below for Other Fees.

Other Fees		
Category	Fee Type	Charge
Overdue	First month overdue	\$50
	Each subsequent month overdue	\$200
Dishonour	Per dishonour	\$10

- Overdue accounts will result in a review of the student's continuing enrolment. The School may, at its absolute discretion, terminate/suspend a student's enrolment where any tuition fees and charges levied by the School, including any fees and charges required to be paid prior to the student's commencement at the School, are overdue and remain unpaid. The rights and remedies of the School in this regard will not be prejudiced or affected by any extensions or other arrangements previously granted to the parents.
- A student will not be permitted to attend cocurricular or sporting excursions, tours or camps unless all amounts owing to the School (including the costs associated with the excursion, tour or camp) have been paid in full by the date(s) any such amounts are required to be paid.
- Legal costs incurred in the collection of outstanding fees and charges will be recoverable in addition to Overdue Account Fees. Any legal costs and any Overdue Account Fees will be recorded as separate items in fee account statements.**