STUDENT RESOURCE SCHEME INFORMATION 2016
SENIOR SECONDARY STUDENTS - YEAR 10, 11, 12

There are three components of the Student Resource Scheme:
1. What parents and carers are required to provide
2. What the school provides when parents/carers agree to participate in the Student Resource Hire Scheme
3. What the school provides when your child undertakes an elective subject that has an applicable subject fee

WHAT THE SCHEME PROVIDES
By paying the parent contribution fee your child will receive a range of materials including:
- Student homework planner/diary
- Student reference materials ie textbooks audio/visual resources, software access, student ID card
- Reproduced class workbooks and worksheets which complement and/or substitute for textbooks
- Student Locker

STUDENT RESOURCE SCHEME PARTICIPATION FEE for 2016 is $175.00

WHAT THE SCHEME DOES NOT PROVIDE
The scheme does not provide ‘consumables’ as outlined on the student stationery list.
The scheme does not cover the cost of excursions.

HOW DO I PARTICIPATE IN THE SCHEME
Should you choose to participate in the Student Resource Scheme you MUST complete the Student Resource Scheme Participation Agreement Form ticking YES in the Participation section of the form and return the form to the Student Resource Scheme office. A deposit of $100.00 is payable for new enrolments and is held while your student is enrolled at Stanthorpe State High School. The deposit is refundable on return of all resources on loan, providing the resources are returned in reasonable condition.

PAYMENT OF STUDENT RESOURCE SCHEME FEES
Student Resource Scheme fees are payable at the Student Resource Scheme office. Payments can be made by cash, EFTPOS (credit/debit card) or cheque. BPay and Direct Debit is available - proof of this type of payment is required before any resources will be issued to students.

Payment Plan
- Instalment payment plans are available by negotiation with the school’s accounts department
- Centrelink Deduction can be arranged through the Student Resource Scheme office.

Please contact the Student Resource Scheme office to make arrangements to participate in a payment plan.

SUBJECT FEES
If a subject fee is applicable to an elective subject this remains payable regardless of whether you are participating in the Student Resource Scheme or not as this fee is the cost of providing the elective subject.

WHAT IF I DO NOT PAY THE SCHEME PARTICIPATION FEE
Should you choose not to participate in the Student Resource Scheme, you MUST complete the Student Resource Scheme Participation Agreement Form, ticking NO in the Participation section of the form and return the form to the Student Resource Scheme office.
You will be required to pay a fee for any school produced items as indicated AND provide all textbooks and associated items included in the Student Resource Scheme list on the attachment in the Student Resource Scheme section.

Please see over for additional information
CARE OF BOOKS AND EQUIPMENT

Students are responsible for the care of all books and equipment issued to them. Parents/Carers are responsible for the cost of replacing books which are lost, stolen or damaged to an extent judged to be beyond that of normal usage.

NO WRITING PERMITTED IN BOOKS

Students may, at times, be directed by teachers to write in their textbooks. In this case the student is to use a lead pencil only which must be erased before returning books.

COSTS NOT COVERED BY SCHEME

The scheme does not cover the cost of

- Excursions,
- Pens, pencils, writing and computer paper and other stationery.
- Materials used for items made in Home Economics, Manual Arts and Art to be taken home.
- Workbooks for Commerce, TAFE, QCWT, Distance Education courses.
- Extra art diaries.

LOCKER HIRE:

Lockers will be offered to students as follows:

1. During issuing week lockers will be issued to all students in Year 10,11,12
2. For students to take up the offer of a locker full payment of current year fees, payment of any outstanding fees, locker hire fee and a completed Locker Agreement Form must have been received.

END OF YEAR

All resources issued to students are to be returned in good order to the Student Resource Scheme Office before the end of the students school year, namely the last day the student is required to attend school for the year.

The last day will differ for different year levels as the year end is staggered eg. Grade 12 finish Mid-November, therefore their resources are due to be returned on or before their last day. This allows staff time to prepare resources for the commencement of the next school year.

Students who fail to return borrowed resources by the end of their current year will be charged $25 per item late fee.

PLEASE NOTE:

It is the responsibility of the student to ensure that all resources issued in their name are returned to the Student Resource Scheme office. If your student has chosen to leave any resources with a teacher for any reason it is still the responsibility of the student to return these resources.

If you experience difficulty locating any resources on the list that is sent out please notify staff at the Student Resource Scheme office immediately, we are happy to assist you.