



Naracoorte North Kindergarten

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Fee Policy 2020

Fees are invoiced for all Children attending the Naracoorte North Kindergarten to assist with the purchase of materials and service expenses. Naracoorte North Kindergarten is administered by the South Australian Government Department for Education (DE). A yearly budget is formed with Educator salaries paid by the DE. However, approximately 75% of all other expenses are carried by fees and fundraising. Therefore, we rely heavily on parental financial support to pay for cleaning, gardening, telephone, consumables such as paint, paper, glue, etc., as well as provide new equipment and improvements.

- Educational Fees are GST free.
- The Governing Council determines fees each year.
- **The Kindergarten Fees are \$393.00 pa irrespective of attendance over the 4 Terms.**
- Pre Entry fees are based on \$5 per session and will be invoiced as attendance commences.
- Accounts will be placed into notice pockets or emailed.
- Twins or siblings attending in the same term can have the 2nd Child's fees reduced by half.
- Fees can be paid by;
 - Cash, cheque or electronically, (details provided on the invoice),
 - Centre-Pay (Centrelink) options are also available - please talk to the Director
- Receipts are issued for all fee payments.

Payment Terms

Kindergarten Fees can be paid:

- In full by week 3 of Term 1,
Or
- at minimum, \$131.00, by week 3 of Terms 1, 2 & 3.
Or
- as a Centrelink deduction, to commence Week 1 of Term 1 with a minimum amount of \$26.20 per fortnight to ensure fees are paid in full by the end of Term 3.

Pre Entry fee is to be paid:

- within 2 weeks of invoice date.

Reminder notices/Text messages will be sent in week 4 & week 6. If not paid by week 8, the Director will contact the parent/caregiver to make arrangements for payments.

Families are encouraged to discuss any financial difficulty confidentially with the Director. A reduction of fees may be agreed to at the discretion of the Director.

This Policy will be reviewed annually.

This policy was endorsed by the Governing Council on:

Chairperson:

Director :

To be reviewed : July 2020



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