Post-Compulsory Education Charges Year 11

Information for Parents/Guardians - 2026 Charges

Government funding provides for the core educational needs of students in Western Australian public schools, including staffing, facilities, and basic resources. Schools receive funding based on student enrolments and individual learning needs.

Year 11 are classified as Post-Compulsory Education under the School Education Act 1999 and the School Education Regulations 2000. As such, all course charges for students enrolled in these years are deemed compulsory.

While there is no legislated maximum charge for post-compulsory education, the school remains committed to keeping costs as reasonable as possible, without compromising the quality of educational programs and resources provided.

In accordance with requirements of the School Education Act 1999 and School Education Regulations 2000, the Kambalda West District High School (DHS) School Council has reviewed and endorsed the schedule of the Charges and Personal Items Lists for 2026.

| 2026 Post Compulsory Education Charges Year 11 | |
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| | \$ |
| G1ENG - English General Unit 1 | 75.00 |
| G1FST - Food Science and Technology | 120.00 |
| G1HBY - Human Biology General 1 | 75.00 |
| G1MAE - Mathematics Essential General 1 | 75.00 |
| G1PES - Physical Education Studies General | 75.00 |
| G1PSY – Psychology General 1 | 75.00 |
| ADWPL - Workplace Learning | 50.00 |
| Total | \$ |

In Years 11 charges are to be **paid in full by the end of Term 1, 2026.** A 50% minimum payment is to be paid to the school by Thursday 26 February, 2026.

If you are experiencing financial difficulty or require a payment plan, please contact the school as early as possible to make suitable arrangements.

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2026 Charges and Extra Cost Optional Charges for School-Based Activities

The table below outlines the maximum estimated costs for Extra Cost Optional Charges for school-based activities that parents/guardians may be asked to contribute towards across the school in 2026.

This guide is provided to support your budgeting for the upcoming school year. Please note that payments will only be requested during the year once costs are confirmed.

| ITEM | OPTIONAL COSTS/CHARGES (Maximum that can be requested for each item) |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Incursions | \$60.00 |
| Excursions | \$60.00 |
| Sports Excursions | \$100.00 |
| Year 6 Camp | \$650.00 |
| Secondary School Camps (per camp) | \$650.00 |
| Year 11/12 Ball | \$100.00 |
| Year 11/12 Senior Shirt | \$100.00 |
| Humphreys Dance | \$70.00 |
| Student Smart Rider Cards | \$20.00 |
| Bus trips to Kalgoorlie | \$40.00 |

Other Optional Costs:

Additional optional expenses, such as Scholastic Book Club purchases, assembly costumes, and fundraising contributions, will be communicated and requested as needed throughout the year.

Year 11 Personal Items List (Booklist)

Personal items

Parents and caregivers are responsible for supplying their child's personal items for the school year. A detailed list of required items is provided below.

For 2026, our preferred supplier is Office National Kalgoorlie. Please note using the preferred supplier is entirely optional. Families are welcome to purchase items from any retailer of their choice. Any rebates or benefits received through the preferred supplier will be directed towards supporting school camps.

There is no obligation or expectation for families to purchase through the preferred supplier.

We ask that all personal items be sent to school with your child on the first day of term. Spare items will be stored in the classroom and distributed as needed. Families will be notified when items need to be replenished during the year.

Additional Items required per student:

- 1 x hat
- 1 x ear buds

| QUANTITY | ITEM |
|----------|--|
| 2 | Celco eraser PVC free large White |
| 2 | Celco ruler unpolished wood 300mm |
| 1 | Faber-Castell connector pens assorted pack 12 |
| 5 | Initiative Ballpoint pens medium Red each |
| 5 | Initiative Ballpoint pens medium Black each |
| 8 | Initiative Ballpoint pens medium Blue each |
| 2 | Initiative Highlighter Chisel assorted wallet 4 |
| 1 | Initiative Whiteboard markers bullet 2mm assorted wallet 4 |
| 1 | Maped Essentials scissors 170mm Black |
| 1 | Maped Shaker pencil sharpener 2-hole |
| 5 | Marbig Doculope wallet button closure A4 blue |
| 2 | Marbig Glue stick 36g |
| 1 | Marbig Name Pencil Case large 325 x 165mm assorted colour |
| 1 | Sharpe El-531th Scientific calculator White/Black |
| 1 | Shintaro Rotating USB drive 2.0 16 GB |
| 10 | Spirax 108 Exercise book 8mm ruled 70gsm A4 96 page |
| 2 | Spirax 130 Graph book 10mm grid A4 48 page |
| 1 | Staedtler 557 Noris club math set 10 piece |
| 12 | Staedtler Graphite 130 52 pencil HB |
| 1 | Stadtler Luna coloured pencils Hexagonal pack 12 |

The Secondary Assistance Scheme (SAS) and ABSTUDY School Fees Allowance are available to holders of a Health Care Card, Veterans Affairs Card and Pensioner Concession card. For more information, please call into the school with your concession card to discuss and complete the relevant paperwork. SAS and ABSTUDY Supplement Allowance applications close at the end of Term One, 2026. For those families eligible for ABSTUDY School Fees Allowance, please contact Centrelink direct.

Kambalda West DHS offers a range of payment options to assist parents and will accommodate periodic payments from families.

Payments to the school can be made via direct deposit, cash payable to the school or by EFTPOS at the school office.

School Uniform

School polos, hoodies and faction shirts can be purchased from the Kambalda West DHS front office during school hours.

School Canteen

The canteen is currently closed, but we are aiming to reopen it in 2026. To make this possible, we are seeking to establish a full Parents & Citizens (P&C) Association. If you are interested in volunteering to join the committee, please get in touch with us.

For more details on any of the above, please phone the office during school hours on 9027 2950.