



## 2019 Student Resource Scheme Student Stationery, Equipment and Digital Requirements

At The Gap State School there are two components in the provision of student stationery and equipment:

1. Items to be purchased by parents (either purchased new or carried over from the previous year);
2. Student Resource Scheme for consumables, textbooks and digital resources.

### 1. Purchases by parents required for each student in 2019

Parents are required to provide the following personal items. Please ensure these items are clearly named and brought to school on the first day of Term 1, 2019. It is each parent's individual personal responsibility to provide these items.

<i>Personal items required and not included in the Student Resource Scheme:</i>	
2019 Year Level	
Prep	Years 1 – 6
Waterproof library bag Swimming bag and Swim cap Sun safe swim shirt / Rashie	Chair bag – available at uniform shop Waterproof library bag Swim bag / Swim cap / Sun safe swim shirt

### 2. Student Resource Scheme 2019

For 2019 our school is continuing with the Student Resource Scheme (SRS) for consumables and textbooks and digital resources. The scheme is supported and approved by the school's Parents and Citizens Association (P&C), is managed by the school and operates in accordance with section 51 of the Education (General Provisions) Act 2006.

#### Student Resource Scheme – Consumables, textbooks and digital resources.

Our 2019 Student Resource Scheme Fees are provided for your information.

Student Resource Scheme fees for 2019 are:

Prep	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
\$100	\$160	\$160	\$185	\$185	\$180	\$180

The scheme is voluntary and you are under no obligation to join. However, please be aware that books, materials and consumables required under this scheme are *not funded by school grants*. Therefore if you do not wish to join the scheme you will be responsible for providing your child with the items that would otherwise have been provided by the scheme.

All textbooks and consumables will be purchased by the school and delivered directly to the classroom at the beginning of the 2019 school year. Classroom teachers will distribute and manage the textbooks and consumables for students in their class.

Parents are required to complete the *Participation Agreement Form* (attached) for 2019, indicating their intention to participate in the scheme and listing each participating child in the spaces provided. Please return the form to the school office by **Friday, 23 November 2018**.

#### Payments

Invoices for payment of each child's resources will be emailed to you. Please note that you will receive an invoice for the full amount. Payment can be made either in full or by 3 instalments, as indicated on the *Participation Agreement Form*. **Payment is due by 30 November 2018**.

*Payment by instalments* – if you choose to make payment by instalments, when completing the *Participation Agreement Form*,

please note that 'Term 1' relates to the initial deposit required. **The initial deposit must be received by the school no later than 30 November 2018 and is a minimum 1/3 of the amount for each child.** The remaining 2 instalments must be paid during Term 1 and Term 2, 2019. Please contact the school office if you would like to negotiate a payment plan.

If you choose **not** to participate in the scheme, you are still required to complete and return the *Participation Agreement Form*, ticking NO at the top and complete your child's details.

Parents not wishing to participate in the scheme are asked to contact the office and a list of materials required for your child's year level will be emailed to you.

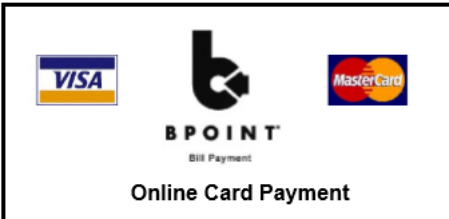
**YEAR 1 – 6 Voluntary Contribution Scheme – ICT (Information Communication and Technology)**

We are continuing to ask parents to support our ICT program through a Voluntary Contribution Scheme for ICT. Throughout 2019, our plan is to purchase more computers, iPads, software programs and coding resources. Our suggested contribution is:

One child	Two children	*Every child after
\$100	\$175*	+ \$50

The Gap State School does not have a 'bring your own device' program. Our P&C endorses the ICT Voluntary Contribution Scheme to enhance our school's ICT resources based on this suggested sliding scale of contributions for families.

As donations are voluntary, we ask that payment be made using the following instructions:



**BPOINT**  
Bill Payment

**Online Card Payment**

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**CRN: 130200016534**

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**Online Card Payment**      **Invoice No: 48904**

This invoice can be paid by card via BPOINT

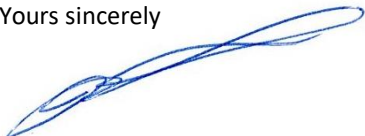
<https://www.bpoint.com.au/payments/dete>

- The [web address above](https://www.bpoint.com.au/payments/dete) provides a direct hyperlink to BPOINT. The CRN, Invoice and 'TGSS Voluntary ICT' will pre-populate into the BPOINT payment screen for the The Gap State School Voluntary ICT Scheme.
- For phone payment using credit/debit card, please phone BPOINT 1300 631 073 quoting the above CRN and invoice number.
- In person at The Gap State School office via EFTPOS or cash.

Other expenses for the year are based on a user pays system, invoiced on a term-by-term basis. This includes Prep consumables (\$100), incursions and excursions, instrumental and choral music programs, swimming lessons, school camps, Year 4 - 6 interschool sport and special events participation.

Our school's Student Resource Scheme is convenient and cost saving for parents. It also allows our school to have consistent resources for all students in each year level. I encourage all families to take advantage of this scheme.

Yours sincerely



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Principal