This policy applies to all International students enrolled at Northpine Christian College on a 500 International student visa. All International students enrolled on this visa are subject to the payment of tuition fees.

## **Enrolment Application Fee**

This fee is payable at the submission of the Enrolment Application form.

#### **Tuition Fee**

Tuition fees are reviewed annually and may increase. Tuition fees are derived from the cost of providing the best program suitable for students within our College and include additional charges payable for specific items such as Duke of Edinburgh, Brisbane School of Distance Education, TAFE courses and transport, musical group memberships and tours, subject workbooks, graphics calculators, career assessment and testing, Fast for Word, sports teams (extracurricular), biology camps, technology studies projects, senior jersey, formal celebrations and graduation expenses, class socials, additional Year 10/11 Canberra camp and Year 12 beach camp costs. \*Includes a contribution to primary stationery, excursions, PE/sport activities including swimming. There is a base component for years 6 to 12 level camps, and for the years 10, 11 and 12 additional camp charges are payable. For secondary students the fee includes a contribution to textbook hire, ID card, sports activities, excursions, student diary and base consumables. \*\*This is a contribution to the College annual magazine and end of year school activities

International tuition fees are charged annually and full payment is required prior to students being issued with their Confirmation of Enrolment. One full semester's notice of a student's departure must be given in writing to the Head of School - Secondary or Primary, or one semester's fees will be payable if no notice is given. (Refer to the Refund Policy on our website Northpine Christian College).

In the event that a student is asked to leave the College, all incurred fees and charges will be non-refundable and any outstanding fees and charges will become immediately payable.

Please note that continuing enrolment will depend on payment of tuition fees by the due date annually.

#### **Non-Tuition Fee**

Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) is compulsory and cover must be taken out for the full length of the student's course before the student's Confirmation of Enrolment will be issued. Parents are responsible to arrange their child's health cover. The College will require a copy of the OSHC policy from the student prior to commencement.

Uniforms are to be purchased by the student prior to or on the first day of school. A formal day uniform, sports uniform and hat are required for all year levels. All uniforms must be purchased from the Northpine Uniform Shop. A copy of the current uniform price list can be found on our website. Uniform prices given in the fee schedule are indicative only and it is at the discretion of the student as to how many uniform items they purchase.

Stationery pricing will vary depending on the year level and subject choice. Prices given in the fee schedule are indicative only and subject to fluctuation.

### **Course Fees**

Fees are subject to annual review and may change. Fees quoted are in accordance with the current year's fee schedule, as published on Northpine's website: <a href="http://www.northpine.qld.edu.au/admissions/fee-schedule/">http://www.northpine.qld.edu.au/admissions/fee-schedule/</a>

# **Payment of Fees**

Payment can be made by credit card or direct payment to the College's bank account.

Bank: Westpac Banking Corporation, 260 Queen Street Brisbane, Queensland

Account Name: Northpine Christian College

Branch Number: 034-002 Account Number: 72 9335

Please ensure the student's name appears in the details of the deposit reference.

All fee payments are to be made in Australian dollars only.

### **Sibling Discounts**

Sibling discounts do not apply to International Students fees.

# **Payment of Course Fees and Refunds**

- a. Fees are payable as per this Fees Policy on Northpine's website: <a href="http://www.northpine.qld.">http://www.northpine.qld.</a> edu.au/admissions/fee-schedule/
- b. All fees must be paid in Australian dollars
- c. If the student changes visa status (eg becomes a temporary or permanent resident) he/she will continue to pay full international student's fees for the duration of that calendar year
- d. Any refund of tuition fees or non-tuition fees in the event of visa refusal or College default is prescribed by legislation (Education Services for Overseas Students (ESOS) Act 2000 and Regulations 2001). Refer to the Refund Policy available on the College website or available from the Administration Office.
- e. Any refund of tuition fees or non-tuition fees for student default will be paid as per Northpine Christian College's Refund Policy, which is part of this agreement. This Refund Policy is available on the College's website or from the Administration Office.
- f. Under s.27 of the Education Services for Overseas Students Act 2000, Northpine Christian College can only receive more than 50% of the student's total tuition fees for a course before the student has begun the course, unless the course has a duration of 25 weeks or less, if the person responsible for paying the student's fees chooses to pay Northpine Christian College more than 50% of the total course tuition fees before the course start date.



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