

A. 2025 Year 11 VCE Curriculum Contributions - items and activities that students use, or participate in, to access the Curriculum	Amount PER STUDENT
Accounting	\$ 10.00
Applied Computing	\$ 10.00
Biology	\$ 60.00
Business Management	\$ 15.00
Chemistry	\$ 45.00
Chinese Language Culture & Society	N/A
Economics	\$ 35.00
English	\$ 10.00
EAL (English as an Additional Language)	\$ 10.00
English Language	\$ 10.00
English Literature	\$ 15.00
Food Studies	\$150.00
Health & Human Development	\$ 35.00
Legal Studies	\$ 15.00
Mathematics – Foundation	\$ 10.00
Mathematics – General	\$ 10.00
Mathematics – Methods	\$ 15.00
Music	\$ 35.00
Physical Education <i>Please note: CSEF and/or SSB can be used for this</i>	\$ 25.00
Physics	\$ 30.00
Psychology	\$ 10.00
Sociology	\$ 10.00
Visual Communication & Design	\$ 45.00

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VM – Business Management	\$ 45.00
VM – Food Studies	\$150.00
VM – Health & Human Development	\$ 35.00
VM – Literacy/Numeracy/PDS/WRS (\$85.00)	\$225.00
VM – Excursions/Incursions/Activities (\$140.00) <i>Please note: CSEF and/or SSB can be used for this</i>	

\*Please Note: There may be additional charges for excursions/incursions throughout the year.

B. Other Contributions - for non-curriculum items and activities	Amount PER STUDENT
General contribution to support school programs including breakfast club, lunchtime programs, homework support, production, Student ID Cards and more	\$ 30.00
School Sports Victoria affiliation and sports equipment	\$ 15.00
Student wellbeing contribution to support re-engagement & wellbeing programs, ensuring the College is able to support all students as needed	\$ 25.00
First aid resources and equipment	\$ 10.00
Library contribution to support library resources, ensuring the College has books for all students reading abilities and interests	\$ 15.00
ICT software and system support	\$ 40.00

### Educational items for students to own

The booklist for Year 11 can be downloaded from Compass Notifications and/or our website.

C. Extra-Curricular Items and Activities - provided on a user-pays basis as additional to the core curriculum	Amount PER STUDENT
Instrumental Music (Terms 1 – 3 only) NB: please pay <u>only</u> if your child has been offered a place *Y12 students do not attend music lessons during Term 4	\$200.00 per term per student
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### **Financial Support for Families**

Alkira Secondary College understands that some families may experience financial difficulty and offers a range of support options, including:

- the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund
- State Schools Relief (SSR)
- Payment plans
- Referral to local welfare agencies for support

For a confidential discussion about accessing these services, or if you would like to discuss alternative payment arrangements, contact:

Robyn Bell, Business Manager Ph: 03 5991 3500 | Email: [Alkira.sc@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:Alkira.sc@education.vic.gov.au)

### **Payment methods**

Alkira Secondary College accepts various payment methods to ensure convenience, including:

- Compass
- Bpay
- Direct Debit
- Centrelink
- Payment at the front office

### **Refunds**

Parent requests for refunds are subject to the discretion of School Council and made on a case-by-case basis. Refunds will be provided where the school deems it is reasonable and fair to do so, taking into consideration whether a cost has been incurred, the Department's Parent Payment Policy and Guidance, Financial Help for Families Policy, and any other relevant information. Refunds are not provided for voluntary contributions.