

Finance Information for Parents/Caregivers

Materials and Services Charges

The 2024 approved Materials and Services Charge is \$915 and is due by 12 April 2024 (end of Term 1) unless a payment plan has been entered into prior. The \$100 Premier's Rebate will be applied again in 2024, reducing the school fee balance to \$815 per student. The Materials and Services Charge is fully recoverable for all students who are not approved for School Card. Thank you in advance for paying your child's school fees in a timely manner, which enables the school to provide the highest level of education to our students.

Payment options include:

- Payment can be made to the ASMS Finance Officer by cash or Credit Card in person or by phone (8201 5704)
- An instalment payment plan can be arranged after completing and returning the ASMS Direct Debit Request (DDR) form – <https://asms.sa.edu.au/app/uploads/3a-Direct-Debit-Request.pdf>
- If you wish to make a direct deposit to the ASMS bank account, details are as follows:

Account Name:	Australian Science and Mathematics School
BSB:	035-045 (Westpac – Marion branch)
Account Number:	169926
Reference:	Invoice number and/or name of student

2024 School Card Scheme

The school card scheme provides financial relief for eligible low-income families in relation to education costs.

Forms for the 2024 school year will be available in early 2024.

Parents, caregivers, and students can access school card information and application forms at:

[SA.GOV.AU - School Card scheme \(www.sa.gov.au\)](http://SA.GOV.AU - School Card scheme (www.sa.gov.au))

We recommend applying online using the link above as the paper-based application forms may not be available from the school until late January 2024.

Additional Costs

- Students are required to provide their own general stationery, eg USB storage, note books, paper, writing implements.
- The ASMS use graphics calculators in mathematics and science curriculum. All students are therefore required to have their own graphics calculators for school purposes and for SACE Year 12 practice and end-of-year exams, The school's preferred Graphics calculators (SACE approved) are:
 - Casio fx-CG50 AU
 - Texas Instruments TI-84 + CE
- Student lockers are available, with a \$10.00 key deposit, which is refunded when the key is returned.
- Year 12 Workbooks and Revision Guides are not included in the Materials and Services Charge.
- There may be additional costs for camps, excursions and activities on offer to students throughout the year, that are not included in the Materials and Services Charge