10 February, 2021

**Voluntary School Contribution 2021**

 Dear Parents and Carers,

The provision of quality education relies, not only on the quality of the teaching staff, but also on the quality of the resources that we use to educate the children. We are fortunate to have an enthusiastic and committed staff at Lynwood Park and, while they are keen to use the best resources available, our funding does not stretch as far as we would like.

Parents are asked to make a voluntary school contribution to assist in purchasing resources for the students of Lynwood Park PS as well as being used to subsidise in-school incursions and extra-curricular events. We do not ask parents to purchase books or textbooks, as we provide the children with a complete set of exercise books and book covers at no cost. Other daily resources are also provided to ensure your child’s learning is optimal. Please note that this is the only voluntary fee parents are asked to pay.

The cost of the **VOLUNTARY SCHOOL CONTRIBUTION is $45 per child or $70 per family**.

In order to keep the levy at this very reasonable level, **all parents are encouraged to pay the contribution.** Please note that the school did not ask for a contribution last year due to the sudden impact of the COVID pandemic. Also, our contribution has been kept at the same level as that set in 2018, and is below the Department of Education’s cap of $50 per primary student.

Please complete the tear-off section below and return it with money, in an envelope labelled ‘Voluntary School Contribution’, to your child’s teacher. If making a family payment, please send the money with your eldest child. Alternatively, you may make an online payment through our school website. Go to our home page and click on the ‘Make a Payment’ link in the top toolbar. Select “Voluntary School Contribution” from the drop down menu, then enter “School contribution 2021” in the Payment Description, followed by the amount you are paying.

Thank you for your continued support of our beautiful school.

Mrs Leigh Bade – Principal

A copy of this note is also available on the Notes page of the school website: [www.lynwoodpk-p.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://www.lynwoodpk-p.schools.nsw.edu.au)

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Cost of levy is $45.00 per child or $70.00 per family

🞎 I have enclosed $................... for the 2021 voluntary school contribution

🞎 I have made an online payment. My receipt number is …………………………… Date of payment …………

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Parent Name: …………………………………………………………….. Signed: …………………………………………….

Date: ….. / ….. / …..