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INVITATION TO ATTEND THE GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING WHERE THE 2019 MATERIALS AND SERVICES CHARGES WILL BE DISCUSSED AND APPROVED.

Dear Parent/Caregiver,

The Governing Council has determined the 2019 Materials and Services Charges to be \$395.00. Items essential to students learning have been costed into the 2019 Materials and Services Charges. Items not essential to students learning, for example, USB drives, school magazine, stationery, workbooks senior first aid course, hire of musical instruments, camps, excursions and external VET courses, will be charged separately.

The Department of Education and Child Development (DECD) has outlined a process for schools to determine the Material and Services Charges for 2019 as per legislation passed through Parliament. Under Section 106A (1) Materials and Services Charges may be imposed in accordance with this section for each student according to the year level of courses of instruction for which a student is enrolled.

Approval for the 2019 Materials and Services Charges has been given by DECD and full details are shown on the watermarked 'Notice'.

At the next Governing Council Meeting the 2019 Materials and Services Charges will be discussed and approved. Parents/Caregivers are invited to attend this meeting and be involved in the discussions of the 2019 Materials and Service Charges. In lieu of attendance at this meeting, Parents/Caregivers can express their views in writing to the Chairperson of the Governing Council c/- the school.

The Governing Council meeting will be held on Tuesday 13th November 2018 at 7:00pm in the Resource Centre with the first Agenda item being the 2019 Materials and Services Charges.

The process for the meeting will be:

- School Community given the opportunity to discuss the Materials and Services Charges for 2019.
- Governing Council members only to vote on approval of Materials and Services Charges for 2019.

If you wish to have clarification of the 'Notice' please contact Stephanie Vawser (Business Manager) or Dianne Hill (Finance Officer) on 8258 9855.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Kylie Grenfell
Chairperson, Governing Council



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