

## Voluntary Financial Contributions and Volunteering your time

Dear families

We are seeking your support for the school in two important ways, Voluntary Financial Contributions and volunteering your time.

### Voluntary Financial Contributions



Each year the School Board recommends the amount of money we ask families to give as voluntary contributions. This money goes into specific curriculum budgets and plays a vital role in enhancing the range of engaging educational programs offered for all children, from preschool to year 6.

### School Library Fund

You can ask for your voluntary contribution to go to the School Library Fund. This is a Designated Gift Recipient (DGR) recognised by the Australian Taxation Office and the money is tax deductible. This money will be used to purchase resources for the library. Businesses can make tax free donations so if you, your family or friends own a business, they may like to donate to the School Library fund.

### How much in 2021?

The School Board has proposed a voluntary contribution amount of

-  \$70.00 for an individual student, or
-  \$100.00 for a family of two or more students.

This is not a set amount. You may give this amount, or a larger or smaller amount. We appreciate any amount you can contribute. All contributions are voluntary, and your payment details are confidential. Your child will not miss out or be refused benefits if you do not choose to contribute (this commitment is also reflected through *The Education Act 2004*).

### Volunteering your time

There is always plenty happening at school and we invite families to volunteer two hours of their time each term. We often need help with school events, making resources and initiatives such as fundraisers. Please contact our Director of Family and Community Partnerships for more information about registering for volunteer activities. Our director may be contacted at [margarethendry@ed.act.edu.au](mailto:margarethendry@ed.act.edu.au).

The school board alongside the school sincerely thank you for all support provided both financially and through giving your time.





## Margaret Hendry School 2021 Voluntary Contributions

I (family member) \_\_\_\_\_ would like to donate:

- \$70.00 for a family with 1 child attending Margaret Hendry School
- \$100.00 for a family with 2 or more children at Margaret Hendry School
- Other amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I would like my voluntary contribution to be allocated in the following way (please tick):

- Margaret Hendry School Voluntary Contribution Fund
- Margaret Hendry School Library Fund (tax deductible)

I would like to pay by (please tick):

- Quickweb (Visa/Mastercard)**

Quick Web Payments – <http://www.margarethendryschool.act.edu.au/payment>

Fee Code: VOLCON

- Direct Payment**

Direct Payment details:

Account: Margaret Hendry School BSB: 032777 A/C Number: 002802

Reference on direct deposit required i.e. child's name M. Bloggs VOLCON

Receipt number: \_\_\_\_\_

- EFTPOS**

Visit one of our friendly front office team.

A receipt for the Library Fund will be issued separately to the Voluntary Contribution.

Students name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year level: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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We pay respect to the United Ngunnawal Elders Council and to the Elders both past and present of the Ngunnawal Nation for they hold the hopes and dreams for the future of the ACT and surrounding region.

