

BIRKENHEAD COLLEGE



2018 FEES *All fees are in NZ\$*

Tuition Fees

One Year	\$14,500.00
Three Terms	\$11,000.00
One Term	\$4200.00
One Semester: Terms 1 & 2	\$8000.00
One Semester: Terms 3 & 4	\$7000.00 (If student leaves when senior government NZQA exams begin - first week of November)
	\$7800.00 (If student enrolled in end of year activity programme)

Administration Fee

Two – Four Terms	\$1200.00
One Term or less	\$500.00

The administration fee is a non-refundable, once only fee.

Homestay

Homestay: \$275 per week.

Homestay Fee from July 2018: \$280 per week.

Students under 14 years of age: \$285 per week

Homestay Support Fee from July 2018: \$400

The Homestay Support Fee is a non-refundable one-off fee. This may be charged again if a student moves home through their own volition or without cause. The school reserves the right to use its discretion on a case by case basis.

Two weeks' notice must be given by either the student or Host Family if a move is requested.

Holding Fee: \$70 /week to maximum 6 weeks. Payment made to retain a room any time where a student is away for more than 2 weeks.

Insurance

Full medical and travel for one year. (Current rates are approximately \$582.53)

Uniform

Approximately \$450. (Year 13 students do not wear uniform).

Stationery and material fees

Stationery depends on individual subject requirements and could be around \$20 - \$100. Note some subjects require write-on workbooks at a cost. Material fees are required for practical subjects such as art and photography costing between \$100 - \$300 per year. Such subjects may require specific equipment, eg camera.

Music Lessons and instrument rental

Music lessons are \$200 per year as at 2017. Rental of instruments can be arranged.

Sports registration (optional)

Registration can cost between \$20 – \$130 depending on the sport.

NZQA fees

Government examination fees for Years 11 -13 are \$383.30 per year (2015)

Refund Policy

If a student withdraws more than 7 days after the course has started, or if they are required to leave for disciplinary or non-attendance reasons, a refund will NOT be payable. In exceptional circumstances, applications for a partial refund may be made to the Principal. Payment and amount of refund will be at the Principals discretion.

An application for refund of fees must be made in writing to the Principal explaining the reasons for seeking that refund. If the application is made before the start of the course, fees will be refunded in full, less the administration fee.