

# Temporary Residents Admissions fees

## Fees and Payment

Most students holding temporary resident visas are required to pay fees to attend a Queensland state school.

Tuition fees must be paid in advance and are calculated based on the number of weeks of the enrolment (enrolment for part of a week incurs the charge for a full week). Fees are paid whether or not the student actually attends school during the period of enrolment.

Tuition fees are subject to change, are reviewed on an annual basis and usually increase each year in line with the Government Indexation Rate. Applicants will be required to pay the adjusted fees from the date of implementation. All fees must be paid in Australian dollars and are inclusive of GST (if applicable).

A Temporary Residents Admissions (TRA) Authority to Enrol (ATE) is issued after payment of the required fees is receipted. **An ATE will not be issued for new enrolments until the application fee and one term's tuition fee is paid.**

For more information on fees, what tuition fees cover and the consequences if fees are not paid by the due date please refer to the [TRA Terms and Conditions of Application](#).

## Dependent Student Fees

*For new and continuing enrolments, fees for one term (approximately 10 weeks) are required to be paid in advance.*

Fee Type	Year Level	2025	2026	2027*
Application fee	All year levels	\$295 (incl. GST)	\$305 (incl. GST)	\$315 (incl. GST)
Tuition	State Kindergarten	\$153 (per week)	\$158 (per week)	\$163 (per week)
Tuition	Prep – Year 6	\$304 (per week)	\$314 (per week)	\$325 (per week)
Tuition	Years 7 – 9	\$311 (per week)	\$322 (per week)	\$333 (per week)
Tuition	Year 10	\$329 (per week)	\$340 (per week)	\$352 (per week)
Tuition	Year 11	\$372 (per week)	\$385 (per week)	\$398 (per week)
Tuition	Year 12	\$383 (per week)	\$396 (per week)	\$409 (per week)
Change of school fee	All year levels	\$295 (incl. GST)	\$305 (incl. GST)	\$315 (incl. GST)



## Fee exemption

School aged dependants of temporary visa holders may be eligible for an exemption from paying international student school tuition fees in Queensland state schools. For further information, please refer to the [Temporary Residents Admissions policy](#) and visit [fee exemptions for eligible dependant students of temporary visa holders](#) on the Department of Education website.

## Tourist Visa Fees

*Fees for the duration of the enrolment are paid in advance.*

Fee Type	Year Level	2025	2026	2027*
Application fee	All year levels	\$295 (incl. GST)	\$305 (incl. GST)	\$315 (incl. GST)
Tuition	State Kindergarten	\$183 (per week)	\$189 (per week)	\$195 (per week)
Tuition	Prep – Year 6	\$367 (per week)	\$379 (per week)	\$392 (per week)
Tuition	Years 7 – 9	\$401 (per week)	\$415 (per week)	\$429 (per week)
Tuition	Year 10	\$423 (per week)	\$437 (per week)	\$452 (per week)
Tuition	Year 11	\$479 (per week)	\$495 (per week)	\$512 (per week)
Tuition	Year 12	\$505 (per week)	\$522 (per week)	\$540 (per week)
Change of school fee	All year levels	\$295 (incl. GST)	\$305 (incl. GST)	\$315 (incl. GST)

The minimum period of enrolment is 2 weeks. Students on tourist visas cannot study for more than 3 months unless permitted by the Department of Home Affairs. Once the initial application has been processed, extensions will only be considered on a case by case basis.

## Bridging Visa Fees

Fees are calculated based on the previous substantive visa of the applicant and are paid, in advance, on a term by term basis. Please refer to the [Temporary Residents Admissions policy](#) for further information.

## Refunds

Refunds are paid in accordance with the Refund policy in the [TRA Terms and Conditions of Application](#). Refer to the EQI website for the [TRA Application for Refund form](#).

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