

# 2025 FEE SCHEDULE Prep to Year 12

The AGS Terms and Conditions of Enrolment are available on the school's website. By keeping your child enrolled, you agree to follow these updated terms. They are reviewed annually, and fees are set by the School Council and published before the October account.

### 1. Application Fee: \$120 per student

This fee is **non-refundable** and paid at the time of each application.

# 2. Confirmation Fee: \$1,250 per student

Payable upon accepting an enrolment offer and returning the signed Enrolment Agreement. **Non-refundable and non-transferable,** valid for the applied year of entry only. This fee confirms a position in the nominated year level and will not be deducted from future tuition invoices or refunded if the student does not commence.

# 3. Terms of Payment

Edstart will work with each family to establish a payment schedule that is suitable. The options are full payment (attracts a 5% discount on tuition fees), termly (4 payments), monthly, fortnightly or weekly.

**Upfront Full Fee Payment in Advance Discount:** A 5% discount applies to the net tuition fee after sibling discounts have been applied when the annual cost of fees for 2025 is paid in full on or before 11 October 2024.

# 4. Due Date for Payments

Full payment of account via Edstart: **11 October 2024** (5% discount on tuition fees) First Instalment date via Edstart: **11 October 2024** (Termly, monthly, fortnightly, weekly)

### 5. Compulsory Fees

Year Level	Tuition Fees	Consolidated Fees & Levies	Payroll Tax Levy 2025 <sup>3</sup>	Annual cost	
Prep	\$10,775	\$4,600	\$450	\$15,825	
Year 1	\$10,775	\$4,600	\$450	\$15,825	
Year 2	\$10,775	\$4,600	\$450	\$15,825	
Year 3	\$11,230	\$4,900	\$450	\$16,580	
Year 4	\$11,230	\$4,900	\$450	\$16,580	
Year 5	\$11,400	\$5,600	\$450	\$17,450	
Year 6	\$11,400	\$5,600	\$450	\$17,450	
Year 7	\$14,110	\$6,800	\$450	\$21,360	1
Year 8	\$14,110	\$6,800	\$450	\$21,360	
Year 9	\$14,730	\$9,900	\$450	\$25,080	2
Year 10	\$14,730	\$9,900	\$450	\$25,080	2
Year 11	\$15,640	\$6,800	\$450	\$22,890	
Year 12	\$15,640	\$6,800	\$450	\$22,890	

<sup>1.</sup> Year 7 students and any new Year's 8 or 9 students are charged an additional one-off laptop fee to be paid with the first payment.

<sup>2.</sup> For Years 9 and 10, the fee covers the compulsory Gateways program. Additional charges apply for the elective Gateways option, e.g. participation in the European Gateways program, or other elective programs.

<sup>3.</sup> From 1 July 2025 onwards the Victorian Government Payroll Tax exemption no longer applies to AGS and other schools. This compulsory levy covers the estimated cost of this new tax for 2025.



### 6. Consolidated Fees and Levies (compulsory, non-refundable)

Consolidated Fee and Levies (compulsory charge) applicable to a particular year level are levied to cover the cost of compulsory programs that form part of the curriculum and includes online subject memberships and subscriptions, compulsory camps, excursions and incursions, sport fees, Inter-house and Inter-school competitions, subject competitions, art supplies, classroom music, provision of classroom texts, photocopying, the supply of printed materials, Student ID Cards, Student Diaries, homework folders, School Magazine and Student Accident Insurance Protection.

For years 9 and 10 it covers the cost of the Gateways program.

Consolidated Fee **excludes** private music tuition.

#### 7. Tuition Fee Discounts

#### **Sibling Discounts:**

- 10 % discount on tuition fees for the second sibling
- 30% discount on tuition fees for the third and subsequent siblings.

Siblings receive a discount if they attend the School concurrently and no other discounts or fee assistance apply (e.g., bursaries or scholarships).

### 8. Building Fund Donation (tax-deductible)

The Building Fund Donation is a **voluntary tax-deductible** gift by each family to the school. We request a donation of \$1,500 per family per year. Funds received are used for new buildings and infrastructure along with repairs to existing facilities. This can be paid up-front or in installments via Edstart.

The Alphington Grammar School Building Fund is endorsed by the Australian Taxation Office under subdivision 30-A of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997 as a deductible gift recipient for the operation of such a building fund. You can list gifts on your annual tax return.

#### 9. Additional Instrumental Music Lessons (optional)

These are **optional** classes for students. For further information please refer to the School Instrumental Music Program Policy. The rate for 32 individual music lessons is \$1,860 per annum. Lessons will be billed by Semester in two instalments. Semester 1 is billed in Term 1 2025 and Semester 2 billed in Term 3 2025.

# 10. School Bus Fees (optional per student)

Full-time: \$1,750 per semester - \$3,500 per annum.

Part-time minimum 50% usage calculated on a pro-rata basis.

Part-time *less* 50% usage \$25 per trip.

School bus fees will be billed by term, at the end of each term.

Bus fees are subject to change as required by contract and economic circumstances.

# 11. Payment of fees

Alphington Grammar School has partnered with Edstart to help families manage their fee payments. There is no charge to families for the service. Families are requested to sign up on the AGS/Edstart portal page <a href="https://edstart.com.au/alphington">https://edstart.com.au/alphington</a>.

Note: students with outstanding fees may not participate in the European Gateways program or other elective programs.

# 12. Further information

Billing queries can be e-mailed to fees@ags.vic.edu.au.