**2017 BOOK LIST & ESSENTIAL STUDENT SUPPLIES**

The 2017 parental contribution for essential items has been set by School Council at: $125.00 for students in P-2 and $185.00 for students in Grade 3-6.

This amount covers essential education items including:
- Individual student supplies – supplied as “book box” on book pick up day.
- Classroom materials – supplied to student in the classroom.
- Specialist Curriculum Program resources such as art & music.
- Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden levy (Grades 3-6)

The $125 P-2 and $185.00 3-6 per child covers those aspects of school purchases that parents are expected to pay. The only optional education items our school invites are our Voluntary Grounds Levy.

**Individual Student Supplies**

Student Books & Requisites are bought through the school and are extremely competitively priced, with each child receiving an initial box of supplies according to their year level.

Student supplies are ‘topped up’ during the year as the need arises. Student supplies are to be paid for and collected from the school on ‘Book Pick Up Day’.

2017 Book Pick Up Day will be held on **Friday 27th January 2017**. **Student Books & Requisites pack will be available for collection between 9.00am - 12.30pm and 1.00pm – 3.30pm on this day.** The essential items levy will need to be paid on the day in order to collect Student Books & Requisites packs. **Please note: Payment can be made by cash, cheque or EFTPOS.** Alternatively you can make a direct deposit into the School account **prior** to Book Pick Up Day.

Account details: BSB 063 820 Account Number: 1002 3392 Account Name: Foster Primary School.

Please quote the following as reference: Books 2017 (then your family name) eg- Books 2017 Voros. Please print confirmation/receipt and bring it with you, as proof of payment on the day.

If you think you will have difficulty meeting this payment please consult with the Principal prior to Book Pick Up Day so arrangements can be made.

Children will receive an individual package containing the books and requisites they will be required to use throughout the year. You will need to check your child’s supplies against the packaging list prior to leaving the school. Parents may choose to leave Book Packs at the school where they will be delivered to your child’s room or alternatively take the Book Packs home but **must send the whole pack back** to school with your child/children on **31st January 2017**, their first day of school.

**SAKG Levy for Students in Grade 3-6**

The $3.00 per session Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Levy is to cover some of the food costs during cooking sessions.
Voluntary Grounds Levy:
School Council has a Voluntary Grounds Levy of $20.00 per student to assist in employing a part time maintenance person and gardener. This has reduced the need for the school to hold working bees to upkeep the buildings and grounds.

Family Contact Details Form:
At the beginning of each school year we review and update our family contact details. Please update your family’s home and emergency contact details for 2017 on the cards available on Book Pick up Day. It is important that you notify us of any change of address or phone numbers throughout the year.

Medical Forms:
At the beginning of each school year we also review and update all student medical forms. If you child has asthma, anaphylaxis or allergies etc. Forms will be available on book pick up day for you to update these details. If your child has anaphylaxis, it is important that you make an appointment to see the Principal to review you plan, each year.

Local Excursion & Travel Consent Form:
This consent form covers all local excursions (around the township of Foster) for the year and avoids the need to send forms home each time we travel locally. Please complete the form which will be available on Book Pick up Day.

Please fill in the section below and bring, together with payment, on Book Pick Up Day, 
Friday 27th January, 2017

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| Voluntary Contributions                                      |     |       |
| Voluntary Contribution *(in place of working bees for grounds/building maintenance)* | $20.00 | $20.00 |
| **Total**                                                    | $145.00 | $205.00 |

*Students in Grades 3-6 will have Kitchen Garden classes every alternate week at a cost of $3.00 per session/$60.00 for the year.

**RECEIPT FOR PARENTAL CONTRIBUTIONS**

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Total Payment:                        $____________

Receipt No:___________________