

Funded Kindergarten Program

Statement of Fees – Kindergarten Services



This kindergarten service is an approved kindergarten program provider under the Queensland Kindergarten Funding Scheme (QKFS).

Kindergarten Program – details

Service type: Kindergarten		
Service name: Heights College Kindergarten		
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Education Program – details

We operate under the National Early Years Framework (ELYF) and use the Queensland Kindergarten Learning Guidelines (QKLG) to inform our Teaching and Learning practices. Heights College Kindergarten encourages holistic and developmentally appropriate methods of learning. We believe that play-based problem solving with other students and adults is an early learning strategy that has a crucial effect on student development. A secure parent-child attachment, established and supported in the first years of life, and the opportunity and encouragement to participate in play-based problem solving learning with children and adults enhances literacy and numeracy readiness from 3.5 to 5 years of age.

Kindergarten Fees (information current as at: 01/01/2019)

Total daily rate: (list the minimum cost of the kindergarten program as a rate per day)	\$29.00 per day
Inclusions in the total daily rate: (list inclusions, e.g. food, sunscreen)	Sunscreen, insect repellent, interactive whiteboard activities, craft & cooking supplies, laundry of clothes/dress ups, playground and gardens maintenance, buildings maintenance, cleaning, running costs, games and toys, teaching resources, books, visual props, computer based learning, furniture and equipment.
Enrolment conditions: (list commitment required of child to participate in the kindergarten program)	Enrolment at Heights College Kindergarten is subject to the following terms and conditions: 1. That the parents will agree to allow the child to share fully in the life and program of the College, including the devotional activities and Christian faith lessons. 2. That the parents will support the aims of the College and order their own lives and home so that the child will be given every opportunity to grow up into Christ.

3. That the parents undertake to provide the child with all necessary equipment of a personal nature that may be required to enable the child to benefit from the education offered.
4. That the parents undertake to provide the child with the correct clothing approved by the College and ensure that clothing worn can be managed independently by your child when toileting.
5. That the parents accept the right of the College to employ such discipline as it deems wise and expedient for the child and agree to uphold the College's authority and right to administer appropriate discipline in accordance with College policies.
6. That all fees are paid in advance by our preferred method of direct debit, either weekly, fortnightly or monthly.
7. That the parents will give at least one month's notice of termination of enrolment and failure to do so may render them liable for one month's fees.
8. That the College may suspend or withdraw enrolment at its discretion for failure to comply with these conditions, for serious or persistent breaches of the College rules and regulations, or for involvement in any illegal or immoral activity.
9. That the parents have read the prospectus and conditions of enrolment and are in full agreement with everything contained therein.
10. When a student applies for enrolment in Preparatory, present regulations provide that a child must attain five (5) years on or before the last day of June in the year of enrolment.

	11. The Application Form and Enrolment Contract must be completed and signed as part of the Heights College Kindergarten enrolment process.
Application of QKFS subsidy to reduce out-of-pocket expenses: (detail how the QKFS Plus Kindy Support and SEFIA Subsidy (if applicable) is passed on to eligible families)	
Information about the Australian Government's Child Care Benefit payments for eligible families is available at www.familyassist.gov.au/payments/family-assistance-payments	

Additional fees or levies

Item and purpose	Cost/frequency	Tax deductible Y/N
Not applicable		

Provider information does not represent the official position of the Queensland Government.

Approved Kindergarten Program Providers

As an approved provider, this service holds a current Queensland service approval for a centre based service, under the Education and Care Services National Law (National Law) or the Education and Care Services Act 2013, and an appropriate public liability insurance of at least \$10 million. To be eligible to receive funding the service must provide a kindergarten program:

- To children who are at least 4 years of age by 30 June in their kindergarten year
- Delivered by a qualified early childhood teacher
- Aligned with the Queensland Kindergarten Learning Guideline, or other education program approved by the Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority
- For at least 15 hours a week, 40 weeks a year or a minimum of 600 hours over 37 weeks for services operated by non-state schools.

The Australian and Queensland Governments provide subsidies to support the delivery of kindergarten programs. For more information, visit <https://qed.qld.gov.au/earlychildhood>