

Sacred Heart Cathedral School

Te Kura Ahurewa o te Ngākau Tapu

2026 Payments by Parents

School donations are used to help bridge the funding gap and are vitally important to help provide valuable resources and enhance our learning environment here at Sacred Heart Cathedral School.

As our school sits at an Equity Index and Isolation number of 374, we are not eligible for the government donations scheme that was introduced in 2020.

General School Donation:

\$100.00 per child

\$200.00 per family

The 2026 General School donations will be used for:

- ICT classroom equipment. Chromebooks and iPads.
- New adaptive furniture that supports a vibrant and flexible learning environment.
- Resources to support Health and PE programme.
- Resources to support Literacy, Mathematics, and Science learning.
- Resources to support the external environment.

Specific Donations:

Class Trips & Activities (All Year Levels)	\$100.00 (\$25.00 per term)
Swimming (All Year Levels)	\$50.00
Dance (All Year Levels)	\$10.00
Religious Education Resource (All Year Levels)	\$10.00
Camp (Year 7 & 8) – To be paid in YMCA portal	\$200.00
Technology at Karori West School (Year 7 & 8)	\$80.00
Mathletics (Years 7 & 8)	\$12.00
My Growing Mind Book 1 (Years 7 & 8)	\$6.00
Mathletics - Online Tool (Years 4-8)	\$12.00
Kluwell Reading Book (Rms 1, 2 & 3)	\$8.00
Handwriting Book 1 (Rms 1, 2 & 3)	\$6.00

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Did you know that school donations are a tax-deductible payment, and you can claim 33.3% of the payment amount? Any payments made before 31 March 2026 are eligible for a tax rebate of 33.3% in the current financial year; otherwise, donations paid after this date can be claimed the following tax year.

Information on how to get your tax rebate can be found on the IRD website –

<https://www.ird.govt.nz/income-tax/income-tax-for-individuals/individual-tax-credits/tax-credits-for-donations>

There are several different ways that you can make your school donation. Parents or caregivers may also make donations of a different value, which are always gratefully received. For example:

1. A single full payment;
2. A payment per term;
3. Weekly, fortnightly, or monthly payments.

Payment for activities is very much appreciated as it enables us to provide rich learning opportunities for our students.

For your convenience, you can make internet payments in the Sacred Heart Cathedral School operating account:

Name of Account: Sacred Heart Cathedral School Board

Account Number: 12-3140-0325505-00

When the donation is paid, a school receipt will be emailed to you.

Thank you for your ongoing support. Your voluntary donations are greatly appreciated.

Bernadette Murfitt

Principal

Suzanne Adair

Presiding Member