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SUBJECT/ USER PAYS SUBJECT FEE	SUPPLIED UNDER STUDENT RESOURCE SCHEME	STATIONERY LIST (To be supplied by Student)
BYOD (BRING YOUR OWN DEVICE)		**BYO Device** A digital device is required, and the school recommends this device is a laptop with the following minimum specifications. • Screen Size: 11" minimum (13"- 15" recommended) • CPU: Intel N5000 or better AMD Ryzen or better • RAM: 8 GB Minimum • Storage (min): 128GB NVME SSD • Battery Life: 4.5-hour minimum battery life • Wireless: 5 GHz capable (2.4hz not supported) • Operating System: Windows 11 or MAC OSX10+ (Windows 10s/8/7, windows RT, Google chrome book & LINUX are not supported) For more information go to the Gympie High website. Search for "BYOD" or click on the BYOD quick link.
ALL SUBJECTS	* Student Planner- $10.50 * Network printing $15.00 * Read Cloud - $99.00 **COST TO PURCHASE (if not in scheme) $124.50**	**General Stationery:** * Blue, black and red pens * Colour Pencils (12), pencil sharpener and eraser * 1 x ruler (metal not permitted) * 1 x stapler * 1 pair of scissors * 1 glue stick * Pencil case * **NO USB required** (Computer Storage – via One Drive) * BYOD (laptop) * Headphones with microphone – USB connection recommended
AGRICULTURE	**Use of class sets:** * Text: "Ag Tech Focus – Stages 4 and 5" - $87.95 **Materials for class activities:** * Photocopies and stationery, tools, equipment and consumables for gardening and raising chickens - $15.00 **COST TO PURCHASE (if not in scheme) $102.95**	* Hat * Non-slip footwear consistent with uniform policy, work boots can be changed into at the farm in desired. * BYOD (laptop) * Pens
CREATIVE INDUSTRIES	**Use of class sets:** * Access to ukuleles, djembes, boomwhackers, auxiliary percussion, and various music software - $750 *Various scripts, cameras, production equipment and software, editing software (adobe creative cloud suite) - $173 **Material for class activities:** * acrylic paints, brushes, folder, scissors, glue, paper, drawing media, clay, pottery tools & equipment, apron - $60 *props, costumes - $50 *music consumables (ukulele strings, mallets/ drumsticks, etc.) - $10 * Photocopying (tasks, teacher-produced handouts, sheet music, scripts) - $20.00	*BYOD * 2 x 2B pencils * Fully equipped pencil case * USB Drive (16G) * Headphones * Positive printing balance
DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGIES	**Use of class sets:** * Text: "Workshop Technologies: A combined study" - $37.95 * School-produced booklet - $5.00 * Set squares - $5.00 * Safety glasses (Australian standard) - $6.00 **Materials for class activities:** * Wood, metal, plastic, steel, misc. hardware items, graphics sheets - $20.00 **COST TO PURCHASE (if not in scheme) $73.95**	* Correct footwear * Protective clothing * Pencils, eraser, sharpener, compass * Pens

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DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES	**Use of class sets:** * Access to various software via school site licenses (Sony Vegas, Game Maker Studio, Adobe Suite) - $80.00 **Materials for class activities:** * Teacher prepared resources and photocopies - $5.00 **COST TO PURCHASE (if not in scheme) $85.00**	* Headphones * BYOD (laptop)
ENGLISH	**Use of class sets:** * Novels x 2 - $30.00 * Reading Gym Resources - $20.00 **Materials for class activities:** * Photocopying and consumables - $20.00 **COST TO PURCHASE (if not in scheme) $70.00**	* 1 x 128-page A4 exercise book (not a 5-subject book) * A4 paper for assignments
HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION	**Equipment for class activities (based on units undertaken):** * Access to sporting equipment (Discus, Javelin, Touch Football/Futsal, Tennis Racquet, Cricket, Badminton, Softball, Volleyball etc.) - $400.00 **Materials for class activities:** * Photocopying of all resource materials for theory sessions - $10.00 * Consumables (sunscreen, tennis balls etc.) - $5.00 **COST TO PURCHASE (if not in scheme) $415.00**	* 1 x A4 64- page binder book * Hat * Water bottle * Sunscreen * Swimming apparel – includes sun shirt * Shoes suitable for exercise * **RUGBY LEAGUE STUDENTS** – Mouthguard, Football boots (moulded tags)
FOOD SPECIALISATION	**Materials for class activities:** * Cooking (recipe booklet, cookery workbook, oil, salt & pepper, yeast, sugar, oil, muffin papers, baking soda, paper towel, alfoil, gladwrap, tea towels, laundering of various items, dishcloths, cooking tins & equipment, electricity & gas, use of apron) - $20.00 * Stationery, consumables and photocopies - $5.00 **COST TO PURCHASE (if not in scheme) - $25.00**	* Tea towel * Containers to take food home * Correct footwear * Ingredients for individual cookery
HUMANITIES (History, Geography, Economics and Business)	**Materials for class activities:** * Business equipment and materials (laminate pouches, plastic sleeves etc.) - $50.00 * Photocopying & consumables- $25.00 * Photocopied resources, materials and workbooks - $50.00 **COST TO PURCHASE (if not in scheme) $125.00**	* 2 x 128-page A4 exercise book (not a 5-subject book) * 2 x A4 Display Book * Positive printing balance * BYOD (laptop)
INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC Instrumental Music Fee $50.00 (this fee covers photocopying of music sheets and copyright fees to play the music) if using own instrument OR Instrumental Music Fee $90.00 (this fee covers the use of a school instrument, maintenance of instruments, photocopying of music sheets and copyright fees to play the music)		* Own instrument (if not using school instrument) * A4 Display folder * Black dress pants and black shoes for performances

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JAPANESE	**Use of class sets:** * Text: "Kimono 1" - $35.00 * Webster's Japanese Dictionary - $9.99 * New Land, New Language Resources and Materials - $200.00 * DVDs - $20.00 **Materials for class activities:** * Photocopying & consumables- $50.00 **COST TO PURCHASE (if not in scheme) - $269.99**	* 1 x 64-page A4 exercise book (not a 5-subject book)
LEARNING ENRICHMENT PROGRAM		* 1 x 96-page exercise book (not a 5-subject book) * 1 x A4 display folder
MATHEMATICS	**Use of class sets:** * Text: "Pearson Mathematics 8" - $59.95 * Text: "Macmillan MathsWorld 8" - $66.99 * Mathematics sets of equipment - $30.00 * Software: "Efofex, TI Interactive, Graphamatica" - $25.00 *Jacaranda LearnOn Subscription - $26 per year **Materials for class activities:** * Photocopies and graph paper - $10.00 **COST TO PURCHASE (if not in scheme) $217.94**	* 1 x 96-page A4 exercise book (not a 5-subject book) * I x 96-page A4 exercise book * 1 x Protractor (180° or 360°) * 1 x Ruler * 1 x Scientific calculator (Sharp EL531, Casio fx-82AU, Texas Instruments TI-30XB or Abacus SX-II) – Abacus is available to be purchased through GSHS finance window - $20.00.
SCIENCE	**Use of class sets:** **Materials for class activities:** * Photocopying - $5.00 * Laboratory materials and consumables (e.g. chemicals, light bulbs etc.) - $25.00 *Digital Licences (Jacaranda, Brainpop) – $20.00 **COST TO PURCHASE (if not in scheme) $50.00**	* 1 x 128-page A4 exercise book (not a 5-subject book) * Correct footwear * Calculator * Highlighter * Ruler * Pens * Pencils

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