

BELONG AT BILLANOOK



Billanook College

A BILLANOOK EDUCATION

PERSONALISED LEARNING

STUNNING FACILITIES

SIMPLIFIED FEES

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What makes a Billanook education unique?

Students belong and thrive at Billanook thanks to our strong sense of community, our focus on the whole child and our provision of personalised learning experiences, delivered through our unique emphasis on **Mastery, Discovery and Journey** learning in our curriculum. Our committed teachers encourage each student to explore their passions, while always striving for personal academic success.

Billanook's educational philosophy is supported by a curriculum which combines three distinct but interconnected types of learning experiences:

MASTERY experience involves in-depth conceptual and skill-based learning that comes from key learning area studies.

DISCOVERY experience empowers children to leverage their innate and natural curiosity to learn deeply and broadly.

JOURNEY experience involves community, growth, well-being and support for students.

The three interwoven areas equip our students with knowledge, skills and attributes, to actively contribute to the social, economic and cultural identity of the community.

Quality of Teaching

“Billanook is unique in what it offers to families, the children are very highly regarded and nurtured by amazing teachers.” **Current Parent**

“The community, environment and quality of education is remarkable and supportive. The teachers are passionate and caring towards their subjects and students. The community is also very welcoming and a great one to be a part of.”

Current Student

Feedback from 2018 College Survey

MASTERY

DISCOVERY

JOURNEY

“With our personalised approach to education, the development of our learning environment and our new, simplified fee model, it's an exciting time to belong at Billanook.”

Roger Oates, PRINCIPAL



2010



Primary School, Junior Learning Centre/ELP

2014



College Gymnasium

2016



Discovery Learning Centre

2017



Mastery Learning Centre

2018



Dame Phyllis Frost Centre & Café Precinct

2020



Senior School Learning Centre



Buildings and facilities play an important role in creating a positive, productive learning environment. Our approach to campus renewal is to evolve our facilities to provide our students with inspiring spaces that cater to a future-focused curriculum.

Our learning environment continues to evolve

Thanks to careful and strategic leadership and planning, in recent years Billanook College has been able to deliver new and refurbished educational spaces including:

- Primary School, Junior Learning Centre/ELP (2010)
- College Gymnasium (2014)
- Multi-purpose Discovery Learning Centre (2016)
- Mastery Learning Centre (2017) for Middle School students.

Continued development

Looking ahead, confirmed upgrades to Billanook College's learning environment include:

- A major refurbishment of our support and extension education unit, the Dame Phyllis Frost Centre, as well as a new social café precinct (2018)
- The redevelopment of our Senior School, which will include a purpose-built curriculum centre, incorporating varied study zones, tertiary-style learning spaces and multiple breakout areas (2020).

Upgrading the Billanook College learning environment is essential to meet the educational needs of our students and to provide our teachers with resources and facilities that enable them to deliver relevant and contemporary programs.

Billanook's upgraded facilities are augmented by the College's spectacular natural landscape.

ENHANCING OUR LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

MASTERY

DISCOVERY

JOURNEY

A SIMPLIFIED FEE MODEL

Greater fee certainty for families

Billanook College remains committed to being a leader in independent education and to maintaining the personalised attention and unique learning environment for which Billanook is renowned. At the same time, the College recognises the founding vision – to provide a Billanook education to local families.

To support the ongoing achievement of this vision, in 2019, the College Board is introducing a new, simplified 'flat fee model' from Years 5 to 9. Flattening of the fees will help to provide fee certainty for many of our current families, as well as offer greater opportunity for local families who are considering a Billanook education for their children.

In 2019 fees for students in Years 5 to 9 will be flattened as part of the new 'simplified flat fee model'.

In 2020, the flat fee model will be applied to Senior School fees (Years 10 to 12).

2021 and beyond – Over the medium term, the gap between the Middle and Senior School fees will also become less pronounced.

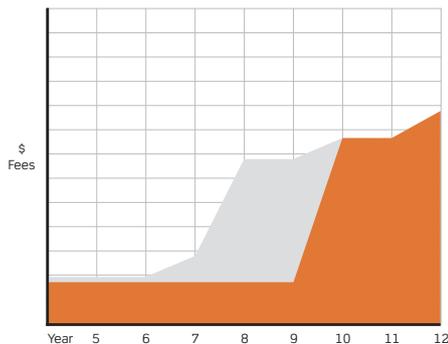
Analysis of the College's fee structure is an ongoing process for the College Board.

2019 FEE OUTLINE

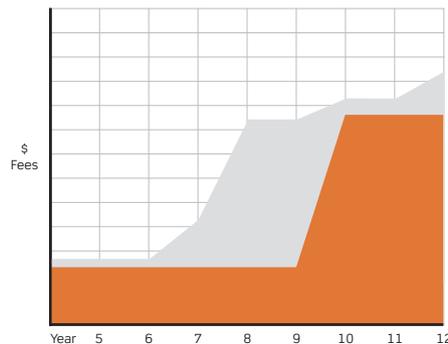
Year 5	\$18,990
Year 6	\$18,990
Year 7	\$18,990
Year 8	\$18,990
Year 9	\$18,990
Year 10	\$24,435
Year 11	\$24,435
Year 12	\$25,840

Please note – this is the complete fee (inclusive of Tuition and Composite fees)

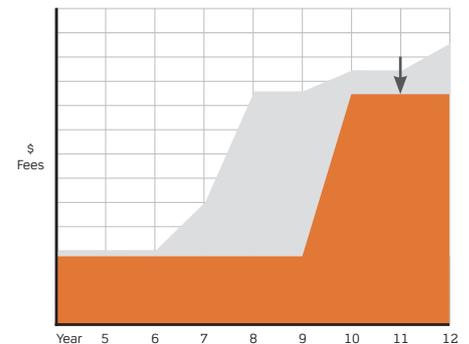
2019 FEES
Years 5 to 9 flattening



2020 FEES
Years 5 to 12 flattening



2021 FEES
Reducing the gap between Middle and Senior School fees



NEW FEE MODEL OLD FEE MODEL

Graphs are an illustration of the fee models only

It's a great time to belong at Billanook
For more information, go to: www.billanook.vic.edu.au/QA