

# RUDOLF STEINER SCHOOLS TRUST SCHOOL

2019 - Reviewed Yearly

## Class 1 - 12

### **School Attendance Dues - Compulsory**

\$1,437.50 per year per student (GST inclusive)

\$1,078.10 per year per student (GST inclusive) for 4<sup>th</sup> child in a family and for 5<sup>th</sup> and subsequent children there are no Attendance Dues charged.

Attendance Dues are used to cover insurance, debt servicing, improvements to integrated school buildings and associated facilities required by our integration agreement, as well as project support.

### **School Special Character Donation – Tax Deductible**

\$2,510.00 per year per family

If you have children in both the kindergarten and school then the Special Character donation only applies to children in the kindergarten.

Note: The Special Character donation has increased in 2018 in line with changes in external education funding and the outcome of the 2028 visioning process. This donation amount will continue to be reviewed annually and the community kept informed of any changes.

Invoiced at beginning of the year or upon starting if through the year, payable by instalments or in full.  
These are paid to the Rudolf Steiner Schools Trust.

# MICHAEL PARK SCHOOL SCHOOL

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## **BOT Donation – Tax Deductible**

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| Classes 1 – 7:   | \$ 650.00 per student  |
| Classes 8 – 10:  | \$ 895.00 per student  |
| Classes 11 - 12: | \$1,040.00 per student |

This includes:

- All Curriculum based materials
- Start-up stationery in the primary school Class 1 - 4
- Artefacts (handwork, art etc. that is taken home)
- Photocopying (worksheets) etc.
- Covers, use of school instruments, and repairs
- Items for curriculum enhancement as defined by the Ministry of Education such as:
  - PE & games equipment
  - Art & Craft materials and equipment
  - Science materials and equipment
  - Costumes for plays

## **Additional Costs per student**

For items such as:

- Classes 5-12 Stationery requirements (Students MUST purchase their own stationery),
- Lower School (Class 1-4) Extra stationery requirements not provided at start of year,
- Main Lesson Books Classes 4-7,
- Personal materials and tools e.g. (Independent project material),
- Student purchases for individual projects not covered above,
- Camp costs for Classes 4 to 12,
- NZQA and ISSC Fees,
- PE Uniforms if required,
- Swimming lessons and transport.

All invoiced at beginning of the year and payable on the 20th of the month following.  
These are paid to the Michael Park School BOT.

# RUDOLF STEINER SCHOOLS TRUST KINDERGARTEN

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Michael Park Kindergarten has opted for the Ministry of Education "20 hours" scheme. However, the funding rates for "20 hours" have been calculated to cover the minimum regulated standard and do not cover the actual operating costs associated with the delivery of an outstanding quality early childhood education based on our special character and philosophy.

In order to keep our service financially sustainable, of a high quality and reflecting the special character and philosophy of Michael Park Kindergarten we request that parents choose to be part of "20 hours" and actively support the special character and philosophy by agreeing to pay the outlined Kindergarten Special Character Donation request.

The Special Character Donation request is to cover services that are not currently provided by the Ministry of Education "20 hours" scheme:

- Staffing above minimum requirements
- Steiner Festivals (Spiral, Spring, Lantern festivals)
- Steiner professional development for staff
- Steiner educational expenses
- Anthroposophical first aid supplies
- Steiner appointed buildings
- Eurythmy therapy
- 6 year old Assessment prior to moving to Class 1
- Substantial cooked morning tea
- Parent education
- Communication - Spiral
- Steiner appointed grounds and play equipment

## Kindergarten Special Character Donation:

\$4,770.00 per child per year      Or, if parents decide not to opt for the Ministry of Education "20 hours" scheme then the Kindergarten Fee is \$420.00 per week per child (GST incl)

Discounts apply if you have more than 1 child attending Michael Park Kindergarten. Please refer to the examples page for details.

## Rose Cottage Donation:

\$85.00 per week      Or, if parents decide not to opt for the Ministry of Education "20 hours" scheme then the Rose Cottage session request is \$90.00 per session per child (GST inclusive)

Please contact the RSST Finance administrator Christine Fairclough for further queries either via phone (09 525 8994) or email [christinef@michaelpark.school.nz](mailto:christinef@michaelpark.school.nz)

**Please note that any Donations noted above are tax deductible.**

**Donations are requested at beginning of year and can be paid to the Rudolf Steiner Schools Trust.**

## RUDOLF STEINER SCHOOLS TRUST INVOICE EXAMPLES

### Attendance Dues and Special Character Donation Requests for 2019

The examples below show the various scenarios for families who have children in Kindergarten, School and both. Attendance Dues and Special Character Donation requests are invoiced at the beginning of the school year.

#### Families with Kindergarten children only

Kindergarten Special Character Donation Request \$4,770.00 for one child in kindergarten

Kindergarten Special Character Donation Request \$1,990.00 for second child and subsequent

#### Families with children in both School and Kindergarten

Kindergarten Special Character Donation Request \$4,770.00 for one child in kindergarten

Kindergarten Special Character Donation Request \$1,990.00 for second child and subsequent

Attendance Dues (Class 1-12) \$1,437.50 per student  
\$1,078.10 for 4<sup>th</sup> student, (5<sup>th</sup> and subsequent children  
no Attendance Dues charged)

#### Families with School children only

RSST Special Character Donation Request \$2,510.00 per family

Attendance Dues (Class 1-12) \$1,437.50 per student  
\$1,078.10 for 4<sup>th</sup> student, (5<sup>th</sup> and subsequent children  
no Attendance Dues charged)

#### Rose Cottage

Please refer to the RSST Kindergarten request page.

#### Ministry of Education 20 Hours ECE

The Kindergarten Special Character Donation Request, Rose Cottage donation requests are for parents who choose to use their 20 hours ECE at Michael Park. Please refer to the RSST Kindergarten request page if parents choose to use their 20 hours ECE at another service for the 2018 fees.

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# RUDOLF STEINER SCHOOLS TRUST SCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN

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On acceptance into the Michael Park School community we ask our new families to donate the following:

**Development Donation – Tax Deductible**  
**Payable to Rudolf Steiner Schools Trust (BNZ Remuera 02-0256-0102748-00)**

\$600.00      per child for first three children  
No charge    for subsequent children

This is a one off request upon entry to the Michael Park School Community which is requested before commencement. Please note that this is a non-refundable donation.

If you wish this donation can be paid by instalments, please see the Administration team for details at [christinef@michaelpark.school.nz](mailto:christinef@michaelpark.school.nz).

**Please note**

Students returning within 2 years to the Michael Park community will be asked to contribute 50% of the above Development Donation. If returning after 2 years the full amount is requested.