



Canterbury Gardens
KINDERGARTEN
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2024 Annual Statement of Fees and Contributions

2024	Four-year-old class 19.5 hours per week	Three-year-old class 15 hours per week
15 hrs Free Kinder	\$0	\$0
Gap Fee for Unfunded Hours	\$1,400	\$0
Parent Contribution (voluntary)	\$1,000	\$1,000
Annual	\$2,400	\$1,000

2024 Statement of Fees and Contributions Per Term

2024	Four-year-old class 19.5 hours per week	Three-year-old class 15 hours per week
Deposit	\$300	\$300
Term 1	\$600	\$250
Deposit Refund (upon commencement)	-\$300	-\$300
Term 2	\$600	\$250
Term 3	\$600	\$250
Term 4	\$600	\$250
Annual Fee	\$2,400	\$1,000

Deposit: Parents/guardians are required to pay the deposit on offer of a place. Payment is required by the due date to secure the child’s place in the three-year-old kindergarten program. This payment is non-refundable until the child takes up the place at kindergarten. Deposits are refunded after commencement of the child at kindergarten.

4 year old gap fee: 4 year old kindergarten is fully funded up to 15 hours, the gap fee covers the additional 4.5 hours offered as part of the Canterbury Gardens 4 year old kindergarten program. Should you wish for your child not to take up the additional unfunded 4.5hrs the daily core hours will be 830-130pm.

Payment of charges: Invoices will be issued in the last month of the preceding term via email and must be paid by the due date. Please ensure your email address is current. Parents are welcome to pay the full amount upfront at the beginning of the year if they prefer.



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Parent Contribution: Canterbury Norwood requests an annual parent contribution from families to compensate for the shortfall between the “Free Kinder” funding and the actual running costs of the kindergarten. This contribution is entirely voluntary. We ask for this contribution to allow us to continue to offer our current program whilst continuing to opt-in to the “Free Kinder” program.

Excursion Charges: Excursions and events will be charged as they arise. Parents will be notified of the excursion and the cost associated and will be billed accordingly.

Children turning three during the year: Full payment from the first day of term 1 is required if a place is to be reserved for a child in the three-year-old kindergarten program, however children can only commence the program when they have turned three. Please Note: children who have not yet turned three at the commencement of the kinder year are welcome and encouraged to attend the first day scheduled as orientation day.

Late collection charge: The Committee of Management reserves the right to implement a late collection charge when parents/guardians are frequently late in collecting a child (refer to Fees Policy for Families).

Concession Cards: Exemptions are applied to the parent contributions and excursions fees for concession card holders, contact the Treasurer at Treasurer@canterburygardenskinder.com.au for more details.

Changes to Fees: DET funding and VECTEA pay scales have not been confirmed for 2024. The Committee of Management reserves the right to change the fees if these are significantly outside of budget when posted.