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Dear Cedar House Parents



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## 2020 Cedar House School Fees

Thank you to our Principal and our Bursar who have put in so much work to ensure that our 2020 budget is a thoughtful, careful reflection of income and expenditure in the year ahead. We have tried to design 2020 in ways that offer as much value as possible to your children. Our School is fiscally strong, and once again, our audit was also unqualified.

A fee increase of 6% has been decided upon for Grades 4-12 students. This means that annual School fees for 2020 will be R104 570 for Grades 8-12 students and R76 270 for Grades 4-7 students, payable over the first 3 Terms. In addition to this, the following levies are payable:

*R 440 per annum	Two day, overnight Grade bonding camp; two night Prep School camp R935
*R 550 per annum	Drama Levy for all Grades 10-12 students who do Drama as a subject
*R 400 per annum	Photocopying Levy
*R 240 per annum	Computer upgrade levy
*R 350 per annum	Grades 4 - 7 Mental Mania Levy
*R 550 per annum	Grades 10, 11, 12 Art Levy
*R 750 per annum	Design Levy for students who do Design in Grades 10-12 (including software costs for ADOBE creative suite)
*R 180 per annum	Annual Intercultural Food Day
*R1 100 per annum	Prep School levy for all excursions and hoodies
*R 400 per annum	Software licence levy for Grades 10-12 who do CAT as a subject
*R 250 per annum	Social Action commitment levy
<u>Grades 11 &amp; 12</u>	R2 100 per annum IEB Examination Levy
<u>Grades 8 – 10</u>	R1 300 per annum IEB Examination Levy
<u>Grades 4 - 7</u>	R 570 per annum IEB Examination Levy
<u>Grade 11</u>	R 700 3-day Artscape English and Drama Festival

In order to assist us with the upfront payment of 2020 camps and excursions, camp fees and excursions need to be paid 6 weeks *before* the camps. This excludes international trips. A description of the 2020 camp and excursion process and choice, will be available on the D6 Communicator. Each student goes on an overnight Grade camp. This is compulsory. We strongly urge students to attend one other camp being planned for next year. For billing purposes the sign-up for additional camps will be via the D6 Communicator from end of October 2019.

Our School continues to grow and prosper in a strong and positive way. It would be of enormous benefit to the School if we received 2020 fees upfront. A fee reduction of 3.5% on the base fee applies to those families who are in a position to help us in this way (applicable if paid before 15 February 2020).

I also need to remind you that a full Term's notice is required in writing should your child not be returning to Cedar House in 2020. Given the significant pressure on places for students in 2020, we ask that our Principal is informed, in writing, of your intention to remove your child from Cedar House, by no later than the first day of our Term 4, and preferably before the end of Term 3. We will have to ask for a full term's notice (Term 1 2020), should this not be the case. This is a provision included in the contract you signed when you enrolled your child at the School.

Fees must be paid by the first day of each Term. A Trust decision has been taken that students whose 2019 fees are not settled, cannot return to our School in 2020. We are a fee dependent school and have no alternative other than to institute this decision.

Thank you for your ongoing and much appreciated support of our School.

Yours sincerely

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