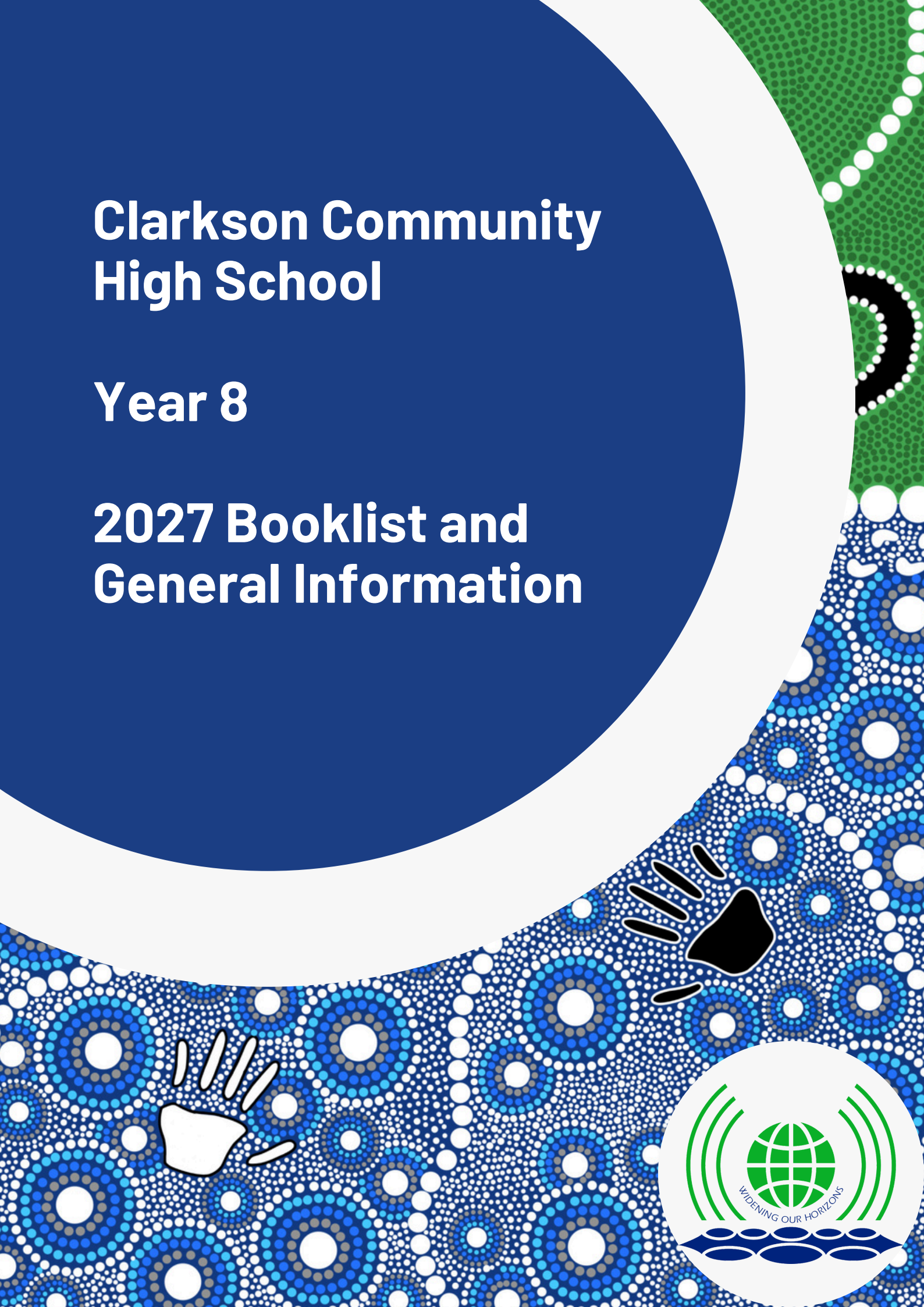
Clarkson Community High School

Year 8

2027 Booklist and General Information



Clarkson
COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

2027 Booklist Information

Our administration office reopens, Wednesday 27th January 2027.

Early payment of Contribution and Charges, and booklist purchases will ensure a smooth start to the school year.

- If contribution and charges are paid in full by Friday 2nd July 2027, you will receive a 10% discount and automatic entry into the draw to win a Joondalup Resort Gift Card.
- We accept payment of School Contribution and Charges by credit card, cash or direct deposit. (Eftpos Facilities available)
- Payments can be made online, see enclosed Contribution and Charges sheet for further information
- Payment arrangements also available;
- Additional assistances is available to family's – Eligibility Criteria a Parent or Guardian must hold a current Centrelink Health Care Card, Centrelink Pensioner Concession Card or Veterans' Affairs Pensioner Concession Card.

School Uniforms can be purchased from Uniform Concepts, 1 Sarasota Pass, Clarkson

The following documents are included in the booklet or enclosed.

- Contributions and Charges Information
- Booklist
- Additional Items Information
- Joondalup Resort & 10% Discount Information Flyer
- Saverplus
- Uniform Concepts Information
- Canteen Online Ordering Information
- 2027 Contribution and Charges Sheet (enclosed)
- 2027 Secondary Assistance Scheme (enclosed)

Contribution & Charges Information

Acknowledgment

We acknowledge the Wadjak Noongar people and the Country that our school stands on. We pay our respects to their Edlers – past, present and emerging – and recognise their ongoing connection to water, land and community.

Contact Details

Phone: 08 6206 5000
Address: 16 Walyunga Blvd, Clarkson WA 6030
Office hours: 8am to 3:30pm, Monday to Friday
Email: clarkson.chs@education.wa.edu.au
Website: www.clarksonchs.wa.edu.au

What is the Legal position?

The State Government through the Department of Education provides placement at educational facilities for all students who choose to attend public schools. The department also pays for the wages of all teaching and allied professional staff, plus costs such as repairs, maintenance and utilities and basic resources with funding dependent on various factors such as student numbers, socioeconomic factors of the area and student characteristics. At Clarkson Community High School (CCHS), we enrich the educational experience with funds collected through Voluntary Contributions and Charges. Funds collected from families are spent on a range of resources and consumables aims at providing educational experiences that prepare students for the world beyond school. Clarkson Community High School has directed our efforts towards keeping costs as low and as equitable as possible. The Clarkson Community High School Finance Committee and School Board examined the contributions and charges and approved the amounts shown in accordance with the Educational Act.

Where do Voluntary Contributions and Charges Go?

Some examples include ingredients in Home Economics, transport, photocopy materials, external instructors, textbooks, consumable materials for Art, Woodwork, Science, Physical Education etc.

How much can be charged?

Voluntary Contributions in WA Public Schools are set at a maximum of $235 per student in years 7 to 10. However, additional compulsory charges above that figure can be requested for consumables and additional resources. For years 11 & 12 there are no maximum charges set by the State Government. Schools set their own charges for these years, and such charges are compulsory. Clarkson Community High School ensures that all compulsory charges are reviewed and justified each year.

Who should pay?

Given that all students benefit from the pool of collected charges, it is fair to expect that all parents should pay the balance of contributions and charges. Parents of students who choose the more expensive option subjects need to consider the costs during the subject selection process. All would agree that it is unfair for those parents who meet their financial commitments to be seen to subsidise the education of those students whose parents do not pay their contributions and charges. CCHS is committed to an event-handed and responsible approach, so all parents should make contributions towards their children's education. When our School and community work together, our young people are the ones who benefit.

Voluntary Contributions & Charges

Voluntary Contributions Years 7 – 10

The maximum voluntary contributions a school may request are fixed at $235. This contribution is voluntary; however, it is expected that those who can afford to will make payment of the contributions. The contribution collected from the parents/guardians is used for providing materials, resources and services directly used or consumed by students, including cooking ingredients, art materials, timber, and consumable tools, sports equipment, hire of textbooks or the provision of text material (either hardcopy or electronically)

Compulsory Charges Years 9 – 10

Extra cost optional courses (elective subjects) outside of the basic curriculum program incur additional charges above the Voluntary Contributions of $235 For Example, Sports, Woodwork & Home Economics attract compulsory charges for items such as consumable materials and venue hire. Charges relate to items that students consume over and above what is supplied by the Department of Education. All compulsory charges are required to be paid by the end of Term 2 (unless a payment plan has been arranged).

Senior School Years 11 & 12

Charges apply to all Year 11 & 12 courses and are compulsory. Please note that they are not extra costs optional components. There is no established maximum charge for Year 11 & 12 courses, however the school will endeavor to keep costs to a minimum and not exceed their actual costs of materials, services and facilities use by the students in that year. The school is able to, and does, request a 50% confirmation fee in advance for high-cost subject charges prior to commencement of the course. All course charges are required to be paid by the end of Term 2 (unless a payment plan has been arranged).

Extra Optional Cost Components

Extra cost options are specific activities, services or facilities that school offers or students to use or take part in. Excursions and camps, incursions and school social activities are examples. Students opt to take part in these activities or use the services or facilities. The charge associated with the provision of these activities, services or facilities covers the cost of providing the service or running the activity.

Voluntary Approved Requests

Parents/guardians are encouraged to contribute to help meet the cost of other services offered to students. Voluntary funding requests include:

School Chaplain:

Our School Chaplain is available to provide students with someone they can talk to, guidance through personal challenges, encouragement during difficult times, and support as they navigate relationships, emotions and everyday life.

By contributing to this service, families help support this important part of our school's commitment to the wellbeing of every student.

Library:

The library contribution goes towards the ongoing costs of maintaining and developing our library collection. This includes purchasing new books, replacing worn or damaged resources, and providing a diverse range of age-appropriate reading materials to support your child's literacy, learning and love of reading. This contribution helps us keep our library will-resourced, engaging and accessible for all students.

IT Consumables & Technical Support:

Technology plays an important role in supporting teaching and learning. This contribution goes towards the ongoing costs of essential IT consumables, software and technology-related resources, as well as technical support to ensure students can access and use school technology effectively.

It also helps us maintain, troubleshoot and resolve technical issues with school managed devices, systems and equipment, minimizing disruptions to learning and ensuring our technology resources remain available and fit for purpose.

By contributing to these costs, families help support a safe, reliable and well-maintained digital learning environment for all students.

Payment of Voluntary Contributions & Charges

Collecting Contributions & Charges
The school will actively pursue the collection of charges by the following:

- Statements and reminder notices will be sent to the parent/guardian.
- With continued non-payment, the parent/guardian will be contacted to establish a payment plan
- The school will insist that students choose low-cost subjects when non-payment of charges appears to be ongoing.
- Sanctions on non-curricular activities may be imposed at the discretion of the Principal. This could include camps, school socials and sporting activities.
- Parents/guardians who refuse to communicate with the College and have made no effort to make a repayment arrangement may have their names referred to our debt-collecting agency.

Payment Options
We urge you to start making plans now so that you are in a position to pay your Voluntary Contributions and Charges prior to the end of Term One. However, we are aware that this can be a burden for some families and it is possible to negotiate a payment plan in order to arrange this, please contact the front office and speak to the finance officer on **08 6206 5000** or email clarkson.chs@education.wa.edu.au

The school makes provisions for the following payment options:
By Internet Banking to:
BSB: 016 246 **Account Number:** 340 873 334
Reference: Student Name, Student Year level – C&C

EFTPOS in person or via phone on **08 6206 5000**

The Finance Officer can be contacted by email at clarkson.chs@education.wa.edu.au

Payment Plan Installment Agreement
If you are unable to pay your account in full by the end of Term 2, a payment arrangement must be formalised by completing Section 1 below and return to the front office or email to clarkson.chs@education.wa.edu.au

Parent/Guardian Name_____

Contact Number_____

Student Name _____ **Year**_____

Section 1: Payment Options (please refer to your Charges & Contributions Statement for amounts due) Please circle your preferred option.			
Option A	Weekly	40 equal payments of	$
Option B	Fortnightly	20 equal payments of	$
Option C	Monthly	10 equal payments of	$

Start Date: _____

Declaration:
I hereby acknowledge my intention that the school Contributions & Charges for my child will be paid in full by the end of the school year based on the above payment schedule. I will contact the college in writing should I be unable to commit to this arrangement

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ **Date:** _____

Single Credit Card Payment

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To make a one-off payment to the school, please complete the details below and return to the front office or email to clarkson.chs@education.wa.edu.au

Payment by Credit Card

Student Name _____ **Year**_____

Payment for: _____

Amount: $_____

Card Number:

Expiry Date: _____ **CCV:** _____

Cardholder Name: _____

Signature: _____

Clarkson Community High School
Year 8 Booklist 2027

Items can be purchased from any store of your choice eg: Kmart, WINC, Newsagency
**** Prices are estimated and based on Kmart pricing these can be found at www.kmart.com.au***

Items are only required to be purchased if you need replacements from previous years.

General Items	Qty	Estimated Unit Price	Estimated Total Amount
• School Bag	1	20.00	20.00
• Pencil Case	1	0.75	0.75
• HB Pencil (5 Pack)	1	1.00	1.00
• Ballpoint Pens (10 Pack – Multi Colour Red, Blue & Black)	1	1.00	1.00
• Coloured Pencils (12 Pack)	1	5.00	5.00
• Highlighters (4 Pack)	1	1.75	1.75
• Pen Style Highlighters (4 Pack)	1	4.75	4.75
• Erasers (2 Pack)	1	0.50	0.50
• Sharpener (2 Pack)	1	0.50	0.50
• 30cm Ruler Plastic	1	0.50	0.50
• Glue Sticks 35gm (2 Pack)	1	1.00	1.00
• Scissors 20cm	1	2.00	2.00
• A4 Exercise Book 96 Page 8mm	6	0.75	4.50
• Document Wallets (10 Pack 5 Colours)	1	4.00	4.00
• USB Flash Drive 32GB	1	10.00	10.00
• Headphones	1	10.00	10.00

Mathematics

• Calculator Casio Scientific Fx-82auPlus II *(Available for purchase through WINC and can be carried forward for future years use)*	1	51.09	51.09

Music

• Exercise Book A4 Music 8mm & 12 mm Staves 56gsm 48 pages *(Available for purchase through WINC)*	1	1.05	1.05

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Additional Cost items – Year 8 2027

Additional cost items refer to the provision of extra cost optional activities which are part of an education program and which parent contributions do not cover.

The items listed below are an indication of the MOST parents will be required to pay for optional activities and other charges during 2027, although teaching staff will aim at the cheapest possible cost.

The extra cost activities have been approved by School Council and are as follows:

Learning Area	Learning Opportunities	Approximate Cost
English	Excursions/Incursions 2 x $35 each	$70.00
Humanities & Social Science	Excursions/Incursions 2 x $35 each	$70.00
Instrumental Music	Music tutor books for Instrument lessons, as required by instrumental tutor	$100.00
Languages – Noongar	Excursions/Incursions 2 x $30 each	$60.00
Mathematics	Excursions/Incursions 2 x $30 each	$60.00
Media	Excursions/Incursions 2 x $30 each	$60.00
Music	Excursions/Incursions 2 x $35 each	$70.00
Photography	Excursions/Incursions 2 x $30 each	$60.00
Physical Education & Health	Excursions 2 x $35 each	$70.00
Science	Excursions/Incursions 2 x $35 each	$70.00
Woodwork	Excursions/Incursions 2 x $35 each	$70.00

General Year 8 Activities

Learning Area	Learning Opportunities	Approximate Cost
Additional Learning area opportunities		$200.00
Additional opportunities		$150.00
E-sports Interschool	Excursions 2 x $30 each	$60.00
General	Excursions/Incursions 3 x $40 each & 1 x $65	$185.00
	Camp Excursion	$300.00
Good Standing Rewards	Excursions/Incursions up to 3 x $40 each & 1 x $65	$185.00
Interschool Sports	Excursions 3 x $20 each	$60.00
Student Council	Excursion/Incursion	$35.00
	Camp Excursion	$300.00



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WIN A JOONDALUP RESORT GIFT CARD

To be eligible please pay your contributions and charges in full by 2nd July 2027 and you will receive a 10% discount and automatic entry into the draw to win a Joondalup Resort Gift Card

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A one stop shop for all your quality school uniform requirements.
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Why not take advantage of our $20 Layby service?

*Visit our store during Term 4 and secure your Back-to-School uniform order with just a $20 deposit, pay off the balance and collect your order before **23 January** to avoid the rush, long queues, and last-minute panic!*

Online Ordering available by visiting our website:

uniformconcepts.au

OPENING TIMES

Mon - Fri:	**9am – 5pm**
Saturday:	**9am – 1pm**

Closed on Sundays, Public Holidays & partly during term breaks.
Please telephone for details.

Closed for the Term 3 break from 5pm Friday 25 Sep 2026 until 9am Monday 5 Oct 2026
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