

Understanding OUR School Donations, and why your child benefits from them

Whangaparaoa Primary is rated **Decile 9**. While this has many advantages (community, student attitude, high achievement levels etc.), its biggest difficulty is that **annually** we receive only a fraction of the MOE Targeted Funding for Educational Achievement that is given to Low Decile Schools.



Targeted Funding for Schools - funding per-student

Decile 1 School	Decile 5 School	Whangaparaoa School (Decile 9)
\$826	\$115	\$29
750 x \$826	750 x	750 x
\$619,50	\$86,250	\$21,750

750
Students at
Whangaparaoa

How we make up some of the **\$597,750** difference between decile 1 & 9 to ensure your children can have the services, equipment and experiences to get the highest quality of education possible.

Student Donation
Per Pupil

→ \$145

Around the maximum amount we can get if **every** parent pays their school donation

→ \$145 x 750 → \$108,750

Money we get in from **PFA** fund raising activities (in a good year)

→ Gala (\$40k)
Quiz Night
Mufti Days
Other Events → \$75,000

What the
funding is
used for

The **maximum** amount of funding we can generate in a year
(\$21,750 + \$108,750 + \$75,000)



\$205,500 (\$414,000) ←

The short fall in additional funding for our school compared to a decile 1 school if we raise the maximum amount

Classroom Curtains
Sports equipment
Teaching aids
Computers / Software
Replacement Books (\$5-10k each year)
Pool maintenance / upgrades
Resources (whiteboards etc.)
Many other items...

Thank You!

The school Board of Trustees would like to thank all the parents that have paid their school donation.

If you care about your child's standard of education and have not paid your school donation yet, then we would greatly appreciate it if you could do so ASAP so that we can continue to invest in your child's future.

The current donation request is:-

One child \$145.00
Two children \$230.00
Three or more children \$255.00

If it is difficult for you to pay the full donation in a lump sum, we are happy to accept part payments as you are able to make them.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

- Cheque
- Cash
- Visa/Mastercard
- Installments
- Internet Banking

Bank Account: 12 3084 0091475 00
Particulars **Family Name**
Code **Donation**
Reference Oldest Child's Name

If you have started part way through the year the school office will send you a request asking for a pro rata contribution.