

## School Bytes Online Payment System How to download and print a permission note

Epping West Public School will be sending student statements of accounts, excursion, payment reminders and permission notes directly to parents via email using a system called School Bytes. These emails include a personal link to make a secure payment for your child/children online through the Westpac Parent Online Payment (POP) system (Visa & Mastercard credit/debit cards accepted).

Excursion/Activity information along with permission notes will be uploaded onto your child's POP portal page. You will need to print off any permission notes, sign them and return to your child's teacher before your child can attend.

You will receive an email from the school's email address (<a href="mailto:eppingwest-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au">eppingwest-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au</a>) with one of the following subjects – 'Student Statement of Account', 'Payment Reminder', 'Excursion/Activity' or 'Permission Slip'.

Dear Parent

Please find attached the permission note for the following excursion: e.g. Athletics Carnival for (your child), please print the permission slip, sign and return to your child's class teacher.

Thank you

Make a payment for (your child)

To view and print off either the information note or permission note, please follow the steps below:

1. To view the information, click the secure personal payment button in the email.

Make a payment for (your child)

2. Once this button is clicked, you will be taken to your personal Parent Online Payment Portal. Onthis page, you will see a list of all currently outstanding items for your child. By default, all items are selected/ticked for payment. Please locate available downloads on the left side, highlighted below by the red circle.



3. To print the required permission note, click on the download required save, then print, sign, and return to your child's class teacher.

Thank you

The email address used for School Bytes is the one provided to the school by you, on your child's enrolment form. If you would like to make a change please inquire at the office.



## Statements of Account - Online Payment Guide

Epping West Public School will be sending student statements of account & payment reminders directly to parents via email using a system called School Bytes. These statements include a link to make secure payment online through the Westpac Parent Online Payment (POP) system (Visa & Mastercard credit/debit cards accepted).

To make an online payment for your child(ren)'s school contributions, please follow the steps below:

1. You will receive an email from the school's email address (<a href="mailto:eppingwest-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au">eppingwest-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au</a>) with the subject 'Student Statement of Account' or 'Payment Reminder'.

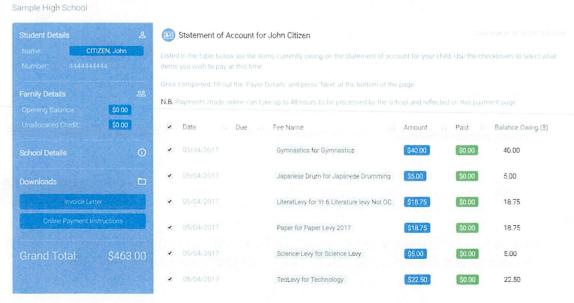


2. To make an online credit card payment, click the secure payment button in the email.

Make a payment for John Citizen

3. Once this button is clicked, you will be taken to a webpage on <a href="www.parentpayments.com.au">www.parentpayments.com.au</a>. On this page, you will see a list of all currently outstanding items for your child. By default, all items are selected/ticked for payment.

## Parent Online Payment Portal



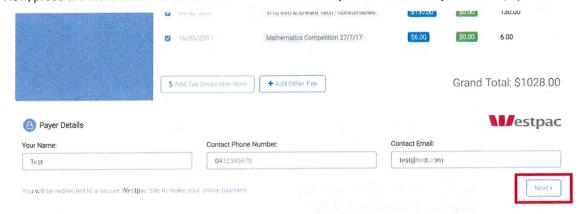
4. If you wish to change the amount you would like to pay for an item, enter the desired amount in the number field under the 'Balance Owing' column.

To not pay for a certain item, untick the checkbox in the left-hand column of the table next to the item you wish to remove.

27/01/2017	Yr10 Technology Support	\$30.00	\$0.00	30.00
01/02/2017	Yr10 Maths - online programs	\$24.00	\$0.00	24.00

5. Once you have selected what items you wish to pay, enter your name, phone number and email address under 'Payer Details'. This allows the school to identify which parent/caregiver is making the payment.

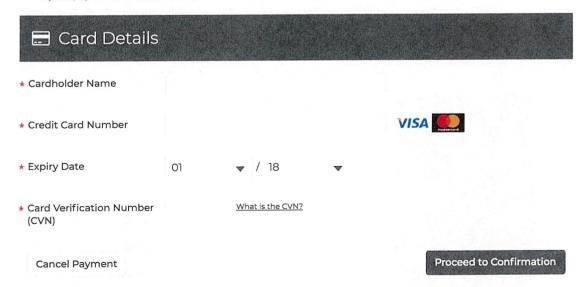
Now, press the 'Next' button to be redirected to a secure Westpac site to finalise your online payment.



6. Once redirected to Westpac, you will see the following screen. Enter your credit card details into the appropriate text fields on this screen. Once completed, press the 'Proceed to Confirmation' button.

## Make a Payment

Enter your payment details below. Fields marked with an asterisk ( \* ) are mandatory.



IF YOU REALISE YOU HAVE MADE A MISTAKE IN SELECTING WHAT ITEMS YOU WISH TO PAY ON THE PREVIOUS PAYMENT PORTAL SCREEN, PLEASE CLICK THE 'Cancel Payment' BUTTON.

7. You will then see a payment summary screen where you can confirm your details. When ready, press the button at the bottom of the page to confirm and make your online payment.

**NOTE:** To pay for another child in the family, return to the original email you received and click the payment button with the other child's name on it.

The payment button/link located within the email remains active for 12 months. This means that at any point within this time period you can use this link to see what items are currently owing for your family.

For information relating to the security & privacy of this service, please refer to the following webpage: <a href="https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/going-to-a-public-school/media/all-files/School-Bytes-Student-Privacy-Information.pdf">https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/going-to-a-public-school/media/all-files/School-Bytes-Student-Privacy-Information.pdf</a>

