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		Single	Weekly	Single	Weekly
1	0.0–1.6km	Sch.4 Part 4 s.7(1)(c) Bus/comm affairs			
2	1.6–3.2km				
3	3.2–4.8km				
4	4.8–6.4km				
5	6.4–8.0km				
6	8.0–9.6km				
7	9.6–11.2km				
8	11.2–12.8km				
9	12.8–14.4km				
10	14.4–16.0km				
11	16.0–17.6km				
12	17.6–19.2km				
13	19.2–20.8km				
14	20.8–22.4km				
15	22.4–24.0km				
16	24.0–25.6km				
17	25.6–27.2km				
18	27.2–28.8km				
19	28.8–30.4km				
20	30.4–32.0km				
21	32.0–33.6km				
22	33.6–35.2km				
23	35.2–36.8km				
24	36.8–38.4km				
25	38.4–40.0km				
26	40.0–41.6km				
27	41.6–43.2km				
28	43.2–44.8km				
29	44.8–46.4km				
30	46.4–48.0km				
31	48.0–49.6km				
32	49.6–51.2km				
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Fare zone	Distance categories	Primary		Secondary	
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School Transport Assistance Scheme (STAS)

Fare schedule for fares–based school bus services (effective 28 March 2022)

STAS Fare Schedule

The STAS fare schedule is the approved fare schedule to be used for all distance eligible school students receiving assistance on fares–based bus services. The new STAS fare schedule is effective from 28 March 2022 .

Cash Fares for School Students

The Department of Transport and Main Roads publishes the School Transport Maximum Cash Fare Schedule in School Transport Information Statement No.10/2022.

This schedule applies to all school bus operators who have a prescribed school service contract for fares–based school services and kilometre–based school services for situations where a cash fare can be charged. Where an operator charges fares below this maximum fare schedule, these fares may only be increased by 10 per cent each six months, until the maximum fare is reached.

In the case of a fare increase, adequate notice must be given to fare paying passengers and the Department of Transport and Main Roads.

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STAS Fare Schedule

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Cash Fares for School Students

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8	11.2–12.8km				
9	12.8–14.4km				
10	14.4–16.0km				
11	16.0–17.6km				
12	17.6–19.2km				
13	19.2–20.8km				
14	20.8–22.4km				
15	22.4–24.0km				
16	24.0–25.6km				
17	25.6–27.2km				
18	27.2–28.8km				
19	28.8–30.4km				
20	30.4–32.0km				
21	32.0–33.6km				
22	33.6–35.2km				
23	35.2–36.8km				
24	36.8–38.4km				
25	38.4–40.0km				
26	40.0–41.6km				
27	41.6–43.2km				
28	43.2–44.8km				
29	44.8–46.4km				
30	46.4–48.0km				
31	48.0–49.6km				
32	49.6–51.2km				
33	51.2–52.8km				
34	52.8–54.4km				
35	54.4–56.0km				
36	56.0–57.6km				
37	57.6–59.2km				
38	59.2–60.8km				
39	60.8–62.4km				
40	62.4–64.0km				
41	64.0–65.6km				
42	65.6–67.2km				
43	67.2–68.8km				
44	68.8–70.4km				
45	70.4–72.0km				
46	72.0–73.6km				
47	73.6–75.2km				
48	75.2–76.8km				
49	76.8–78.4km				

Fare zone	Distance categories	Primary		Secondary	
		Single	Weekly	Single	Weekly
50	78.4–80.0km	Sch.4 Part 4 s.7(1)(c) Bus/comm affairs			
51	80.0–81.6km				
52	81.6–83.2km				
53	83.2–84.8km				
54	84.8–86.4km				
55	86.4–88.0km				
56	88.0–89.6km				
57	89.6–91.2km				
58	91.2–92.8km				
59	92.8–94.4km				
60	94.4–96.0km				
61	96.0–97.6km				
62	97.6–99.2km				
63	99.2–100.8km				
64	100.8–102.4km				
65	102.4–104.0km				
66	104.0–105.6km				
67	105.6–107.2km				
68	107.2–108.8km				
69	108.8–110.4km				
70	110.4–112.0km				

Please note: Actual payments are rounded to two decimal places