

2026 Schedule of fees

The program prices include use of all relevant facilities and equipment; activities and learning experiences; qualified, expert teachers; accommodation and all consumables to deliver the selected program. This is a fee charged **per student**. Please note: pricing may be updated at any time.

Type of Program	Program Charge Including Catering per student State schools (GST free)	Program Charge (GST Free) Including Catering (inclusive of GST) per student Non-State schools
Day visit program	\$16.00 (Catering Component – N/A)	\$20.00 (Catering Component – N/A)
2 day / 1 night camp	\$115.00 (Catering Component – \$61.50)	\$134.55 (Catering Component – \$67.65)
3 days / 2 night camp	\$209.00 (Catering Component – \$108.00)	\$244.50 (Catering Component – \$118.25)
4 days / 3 night camp	\$294.00 (Catering Component – \$154.00)	\$343.85 (Catering Component – \$168.85)
5 days / 4 night camp	\$378.00 (Catering Component – \$199.00)	\$443.40 (Catering Component – \$219.45)
Specialty or Invitation camp (STEM camps, Reef trips, Island camps etc.)	POA	POA
\$10/student/activity (GST free)	Evening activity facilitated by BIEEC Staff - Plankton study, Astronomy, Green STEAM art (conditions apply and details are located in the Residential Portal)	
\$3/student/activity (GST free)	DIY kit provided by BIEEC for visiting teachers to facilitate (activity details are available in the Residential Portal)	

NB: Trips to Facing Island incur a barge fee of \$27.00/person

Specialised Programs

	State School	Non-State School
Boating - School Program Non-RMDL (just boating practical curriculum program)	Boating prices are not yet available as we are in the process of engaging a new provider for 2026. Updated costs will be shared early next year.	
Boating - School Program + RMDL (Rec. Marine Drivers Licence) (min. number 8 students - If less than 8 participate, the school will be invoiced for the minimum number of 8.)		

CANCELLATION / ALTERATION POLICY

- **Cancellation** within 9 weeks of your confirmed dates will incur a 50% fee based on the total for your booked numbers.
- We seek your **final numbers** that will participate in the program **within 4 weeks** of the program commencement
- **Alteration** - BIEEC will accept a 10% reduction in student numbers without financial penalty, 4 weeks prior to commencement of the program, from those identified in the original booking confirmation. Within 4 weeks, schools will still be charged for 90% of the original booking total.
- **Students incur all fees** regardless of the extent of participation in the program including late arrival and early departure.
- There is a **minimum number of 25 students** (with the exception of the Boating + RMDL Program – min. 8 students) to proceed with a booking at BIEEC. If less than 25 students attend, the school will be invoiced for 25 students. Small schools can make a joint booking with other small schools or BIEEC will attempt to join small schools together to make the booking viable.

* CATERING POLICY – CANCELLATIONS / ALTERATIONS

- **Final catering numbers** must be confirmed at least **7 days prior to arrival**. If numbers are not confirmed, the original booked numbers will be charged. The initial catering email will be sent from noreply@jotform.com and includes a clickable link where you can update numbers and dietary requirements at any stage.
- BIEEC will accept a 10% **reduction in numbers** without financial penalty. Any greater reduction will incur a 90% charge of the full catering cost of all booked numbers.
- **Cancellations within 7 days** of arrival will be charged at the discretion of the Principal. A cancellation fee of 50% of the full catering cost per student may be charged.

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- Catering is supplied from morning tea on arrival through to lunch on departure day. Meals supplied are breakfast, morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea, dinner and dessert.
- For early departures, morning tea and lunch will be provided as a packed option. Schools MUST bring suitable esky storage and ice bricks to transport these meals safely.
- Where arrival or departure days differ from the standard schedule, an adjusted catering quote may apply.

Please note:

- Your school will be invoiced **after the visit**.
- Teachers, Non-teaching staff and adult helpers (A ratio of 1:10 students) are accommodated free of charge. Non-teaching staff and helpers in excess of this ratio will be charged \$35.00 per night.
- **All program fees are GST free.** Stand alone facility hire and equipment hire will incur an additional GST fee.
- **Damage** caused by inappropriate behaviour or not adhering to the centres rules & procedures will incur a cost for repair or replacement.
- **A surcharge** of \$150 will be incurred by a group if the facilities are left in an untidy state to cover additional costs incurred by the centre associated with the clean-up.

Other fees

Linen Service

Linen service (includes 1 x pillow, 1 x pillow case, 2 x flat sheets, 1 towel, 1 cotton blanket) <i>Please note: our blankets are cotton and may not be adequate for Winter nights.</i>	\$20.00 per person
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Equipment hire (Outside of camp use) (ex. GST)

Canoes (6 Triple seat Canoes/3 Single)	incl. trailer, paddles & safety gear per hire period	\$150.00
Kayaks (6 Double sit on tops/3 Single)	Incl. trailer, paddles & safety gear per hire period	\$150.00
Raft Building Kits (5 kits)	incl. trailer, paddles & safety gear per hire period	\$150.00
Personal Floatation Devices (PFD's) – Lifejackets. One size fits all (35 available)	Per hire period	\$100.00
Large Aluminium hull vessel – Corixa (6m) (fuel incl. BIEEC trip, fuel extra bare boat)	Per day to max 5 days	\$150.00
Large centre console Inflatable [Swan II 4.3m or New boat 4.8m] (fuel incl. BIEEC trip, fuel extra bare boat)	Per day to max 5 days	\$125.00
Small Tiller steer Inflatable [Cygnet] (3.2m) (fuel incl. BIEEC trip, fuel extra bare boat)	Per day to max 5 days	\$100.00
Wilderness Safety Pack – Oxygen, defibrillator and other accessories (O2 use extra)	Per hire period	\$50
Beach Wheel Chair	Incl. All-terrain and/or beach wheels	Free for community (\$20 refundable security deposit)

Facility Hire (ex. GST)

Accommodation (Access to all parts of the Centre including safari cabins, lodge, kitchen/dining & amenities)	Per person/per night
Adults (>18 yrs)	\$35.00
Children (<18 yrs)	\$20.00
Facilities hire (including access to amenities)	Per day
Learning Centre/Classroom (includes meeting space with smart touch screen and audio set up)	\$100.00
Multipurpose Hall/shed (includes outdoor classroom/meeting space with smart touch screen and audio)	\$100.00
Kitchen/Dining room (includes access to all kitchen facilities)	\$100.00
Combination of all facilities	\$250.00

Bus Hire

Local area (Gladstone, Boyne/Tannum, Calliope, Mt.Larcom and Miriam Vale)	Per session (half day)	\$50.00
Outside local area	Per day	\$150.00