St Francis of the Fields Primary School Strathfieldsaye School General Account

Direct Debit Request

REQUEST AND AUTHORITY TO DEBIT THE ACCOUNT NAMED BELOW TO PAY ST. FRANCIS OF THE FIELDS, STRATHFIELDSAYE

Request and Authority to debit	Surname or company name
	Given names or ACN/ARBN("you")
	request and authorise St Francis of the Fields to arrange for any amount St Francis of the Fields (Debit User Identification No 192782) may debit or charge you to be debited through the Bulk Electronic Clearing System from an account held at the financial institution identified below subject to the terms and conditions of the Direct Debit Request Service Agreement and any further instructions provided below.
Insert the name and branch address of financial institution at which account is held	Bank Branch
Insert details of account to be debited	Name of account BSB number
	Account number
Acknowledgment	By signing this Direct Debit Request you acknowledge having read and understood the terms and conditions governing the debit arrangements between you and St Francis of the Fields as set out in this Request and in your Direct Debit Request Service Agreement.
Payment Details	The maximum amount to be debited at any one time is:
	\$
	(amount in words)
	Option 1 - 1 st of each month
	Option 2 - Thursday fortnightly With the first drawing to commence/ 202
Insert your signature and address	Signature (If signing for a company, sign and print full name and capacity for signing eg. director)
	Address
	Date / / 202

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Direct Debit Request Service Agreement

Definitions

account means the account held at your financial institution from which we are authorised to arrange for funds to be debited.

agreement means this Direct Debit Request Service Agreement between you and us.

business day means a day other than a Saturday or a Sunday or a public holiday listed throughout Australia.

debit day means the day that payment by you to us is due.

debit payment means a particular transaction where a debit is made.

direct debit request means the Direct Debit Request between us and you (and includes any Form PD-C approved for use in the transitional period).

transitional period means the period commencing on the industry implementation date for Direct Debit Requests (currently 01 December 2022) and concluding 12 calendar months from that date.

us or we means **St Francis of the Fields** you have authorised by signing a direct debit request.

you means the customer who signed the direct debit request.

your financial institution is the financial institution where you hold the account that you have authorised us to arrange to debit.

1. Debiting your account

- 1.1 By signing a *direct debit request*, *you* have authorised *us* to arrange for funds to be debited from *your account*. *You* should refer to the *direct debit request* and this *agreement* for the terms of the arrangement between *us* and *you*.
- 1.2 We will only arrange for funds to be debited from your account as authorised in the direct debit request.
- 1.3 If the *debit day* falls on a day that is not a *business day*, we may direct your *financial institution* to debit *your account* on the following *business day*.

If you are unsure about which day your account has or will be debited you should ask your financial institution.

2. Changes by us

2.1 We may vary any details of this agreement or a direct debit request at any time by giving you at least fourteen (14) days' written notice.

3. Changes by you

- 3.1 Subject to 3.2 and 3.3, *you* may change the arrangements under a *direct debit request* by contacting *us* on phone **5439 3191 or email: office@sfstrathfieldsaye.catholic.edu.au.**
- 3.2 If you wish to stop or defer a *debit payment you* must notify us in writing at least **fourteen** (14) days before the next *debit day*. This notice should be given to us in the first instance.
- 3.3 You may also cancel your authority for us to debit your account at any time by giving us **fourteen** (14) days notice in writing before the next debit day. This notice should be given to us in the first instance.

4. Your obligations

- 4.1 It is *your* responsibility to ensure that there are sufficient clear funds available in *your* account to allow a *debit payment* to be made in accordance with the *direct debit request*.
- 4.2 If there are insufficient clear funds in *your account* to meet a *debit payment*:
 - (a) you may be charged a fee and/or interest by your financial institution;
 - (b) you may also incur fees or charges imposed or incurred by us; and
 - (c) you must arrange for the *debit payment* to be made by another method or arrange for sufficient clear funds to be in your account by an agreed time so that we can process the *debit payment*.
- 4.3 *You* should check *your account* statement to verify that the amounts debited from *your account* are correct.
- 4.4 If **St Francis of the Fields** is liable to pay goods and services tax ("GST") on a supply made in connection with this *agreement*, then *you* agree to pay **St Francis of the Fields** on demand an amount equal to the consideration payable for the supply multiplied by the prevailing GST rate.

5 Dispute

- 5.1 If you believe that there has been an error in debiting *your account*, *you* should notify *us* directly on **phone 5439 3191 or email**:

 <u>office@sfstrathfieldsaye.catholic.edu.au</u> and confirm that notice in writing with *us* as soon as possible so that *we* can resolve *your* query more quickly.
- 5.2 If we conclude as a result of our investigations that your account has been incorrectly debited we will respond to your query by arranging for your financial institution to adjust your account (including interest and charges) accordingly. We will also notify you in writing of the amount by which your account has been adjusted.
- 5.3 If we conclude as a result of our investigations that your account has not been incorrectly debited we will respond to your query by providing you with reasons and any evidence for this finding.
- 5.4 Any queries *you* may have about an error made in debiting *your account* should be directed to us in the first instance so that *we* can attempt to resolve the matter between *us* and *you*. If *we* cannot resolve the matter *you* can still refer it to *your financial institution* which will obtain details from *you* of the disputed transaction and may lodge a claim on *your* behalf.

6. Accounts

You should check:

- (a) with *your financial institution* whether direct debiting is available from *your account* as direct debiting is not available on all accounts offered by financial institutions.
- (b) *your* account details which *you* have provided to *us* are correct by checking them against a recent *account* statement; and
- (c) with *your financial institution* before completing the *direct debit request* if *you* have any queries about how to complete the *direct debit request*.

7. Confidentiality

- 7.1 We will keep any information (including your account details) in your direct debit request confidential. We will make reasonable efforts to keep any such information that we have about you secure and to ensure that any of our employees or agents who have access to information about you do not make any unauthorised use, modification, reproduction or disclosure of that information.
- 7.2 We will only disclose information that we have about you:
 - (a) to the extent specifically required by law; or
 - (b) for the purposes of this *agreement* (including disclosing information in connection with any query or claim).

8. Notice

- 8.1 If you wish to notify us in writing about anything relating to this agreement, you should write to phone 5439 3191 or email:

 office@sfstrathfieldsaye.catholic.edu.au.
- 8.2 We will notify you by sending a notice in the ordinary post to the address you have given us in the direct debit request.
- 8.3 Any notice will be deemed to have been received two *business days* after it is posted.