

The Fathering Project in Schools - Fees and Services Explained

In Schools, we focus on key areas to engage fathers and father figures and support schools to build their communities.

Dads Groups are driven by the school community and aim to welcome and engage fathers with the school.

Family Partnership initiatives by implementing Family Partnership improvement strategies, driven by the school and supported by our online planning tool and evidence-based resources.

Digital Packages for schools to support communications with fathers, father figures and families across key topics, including newsletter content and access to our E-book series.

Delivering services to achieve success

To help Schools and Dads Groups to succeed, and see positive outcomes for their communities and children - we provide a range of services delivered both in person by The Fathering Project team, our dedicated volunteers or online.



Annual fee

The annual fee for our school program is \$1,000 plus GST and includes the services listed below.

Services for Educators

What we deliver – to enhance Family-School Partnerships

How delivered

The Fathering Project program set up

Introduction and onboarding of key staff to the The Fathering Project program.

TFP staff

Family-School Partnership review tools

Online benchmark survey to identify strengths and improvement areas for Family-School Partnerships - with a focus on fathers and father figures - and to assist with school reporting requirements.

TFP staff and partnerships portal

Family-School Partnership planning strategies

Resources for schools to improve family partnerships and better engage fathers and father figures. Staff training, online videos, engagement strategies for educators to use.

TFP staff and partnerships portal

Digital Packages

Written, video and podcast resources to support school communications with fathers, father figures and families across key fathering topics, includes newsletter content and access to our E-book series.

TFP Staff and partnerships portal

What we deliver – for Schools & Dads Groups

How delivered

Dads Group online portal access

Exclusive access to resources supporting the dads group promotion and activities.

Leader access to members portal

Dads Group forming support

Help to identify your dads group leader(s), leader onboarding and activity planning.

TFP staff and portal

<p>Dads Group launch event Launch event facilitation and presentation to your dads and father figures including planning support, resources and merchandise.</p>	TFP staff, TFP volunteer and portal
<p>Dads Group sustainability Ongoing monitoring of group activity and leadership ensuring program alignment.</p>	TFP staff
<p>Dads group annual impact report Collective activity and impact reporting, research data.</p>	TFP staff
<p>Support for Dads Group leaders</p>	
<p>What we deliver – for Dads Group Leaders</p>	How delivered
<p>Dads Group leader onboarding Introduction and onboarding of leaders to the program, dads group role and resources.</p>	TFP staff
<p>Group management portal Dads Group leader portal for planning and coordinating member activities. Including message board, invitation and activity promotion tools.</p>	online portal
<p>Merchandise Dads Group leader merchandise and materials for school fathers and father figures.</p>	launch pack
<p>Group management Guidance for leaders, activity idea database, best-practice guides and support materials, monthly newsletter with tips, resources and best practice for leaders and school coordinators.</p>	TFP staff and online portal
<p>Content Module library Access to library of research-based fathering discussion starters, presentations and videos.</p>	online portal
<p>Activity support On request support for planning and delivery of activities including presenters where available.</p>	TFP staff and TFP volunteers
<p>Mentoring for dads group leaders Direct contact and support by members of The Fathering Project team and trained volunteer network.</p>	TFP staff and TFP volunteers
<p>Dads Group leader forums and recognition events Invitations to leader forums, networking and celebration events, including recognition of dads group leaders and volunteers. Forums involve learning more program tools and resources, and sharing ideas, research and best-practice.</p>	TFP staff
<p>Guest presenters Access to guest speakers on request from dads group leaders or school.</p>	TFP staff and TFP volunteers

Support for Dads Group members

<p>What services we deliver – for Dads Group Members</p>	How delivered
<p>Membership of dads group portal Dads group activity calendar access and email notifications direct from portal.</p>	online portal

Fathering content, evidence and resources Access to library of research-based fathering tips, content and videos.	online portal
The Fathering Channel Access to videos, podcasts and discussions featuring experts in child wellbeing, development, education and growth.	TFP website
Regular fathering tips The Fathering Project weekly tips email and videos.	online portal
TFP regional events Early access and discounts to regional TFP events and fundraising activities.	TFP staff and online portal

Cancellation Policy

As a not-for-profit charity we rely on various funding sources and one of these is our program fee. Once registered, we will send our first annual invoice to the school. Should a school need to cancel its registration and withdraw from the program there is no fee if done within 2 weeks of the invoice date. If the invoice has been paid within this timeframe, we will refund the fee in full. Cancellations after this time and prior to a launch event, will require 50% of the registration fee to be paid. We request payment in full for any cancellation after 3 months from the invoice date. All cancellations should be made in writing to support@thefatheringproject.org

Contact our team

For more information about The Fathering Project in Schools visit www.thefatheringproject.org contact us on support@thefatheringproject.org or call 1300 FATHERS (1300 328 437).