The Chapel Pavilion Appeal

Frequently Asked Questions



1. Why does the School need a Chapel Pavilion?

There is no facility to bring an entire year group together, to be able to learn the heritage and traditions of the School in such close proximity to the Chapel.

The Chapel Pavilion will provide:

- A 250-seat indoor / outdoor classroom to facilitate educational programs that nurture our boys' character development, commitment to service-learning and leadership.
- Space that accommodates a whole year group who can assemble and immerse themselves in the history, traditions and culture of the School as a Christian community

2. How much money does the School need to raise?

The amount of money required is \$2 million by the end of 2023.

3. How can I donate to the fundraising campaign?

The School has a variety of donation options, including online transfer, direct debit, mailed-in checks, or in-person donations.

4. What will my donation be used for?

Donor funds will be allocated to the construction costs of the Chapel Pavilion building, including expenses for seating, educational equipment & fit-out.

5. Is my donation tax-deductible?

Donations to The King's School Building Fund are fully tax-deductible. The School will provide a tax receipt for all donations. Donors should consult with their financial and tax advisors for guidance on the tax implications of their gift.

6. When will construction begin and when will the building be completed?

Timing of construction is subject to planning approval. The School's intended timeline for the building project is to commence construction in 2024 for completion in 2025 with a commissioning ceremony later that year. We would be hopeful the new building will be in educational use by from the beginning of the 2026 school year.

7. Will the School continue to fundraise for the Chapel Pavilion after the new building is complete?

The School may have ongoing fundraising needs, such as maintenance or future expansion projects into the Heritage Precinct & Memorial Garden. Donors may be interested in exploring how their support can contribute towards these future projects.

8. Will there be opportunities to tour the new building once it is complete?

Donors will be able to see the impact of their donations and will be invited to tour the new building once it is complete. The School plans to host a grand opening, commissioning event to showcase the new building to donors and the community.

9. How much should I donate?

You may give any amount and all donations will be gratefully received.

10. How will my donation be recognised?

Major Givers may, or may not, be interested in public recognition for their contribution. Major gifts over \$25,000 will be recognised in the Pavilion, in the Foundation's Impact of Giving magazine and on the Foundation website.

11. Can I make a donation in instalments?

Donors can make pledges and may prefer to spread a large donation in instalments over five years. For example, a gift of \$100,000 can be made in yearly instalments of \$20,000. The School can arrange an instalment plan.

12. Can I donate assets other than cash? Can family trusts donate to a DGR?

Donors may wish to donate appreciated assets, such as stocks or real estate, rather than cash. The School has a process in place to accept and liquidate such assets. Further details can be obtained from the Head of The King's School Foundation.

13. Can I make a planned gift or bequest?

Donors may wish to make a planned gift or bequest. The School can work with the Donor's financial and legal advisors to facilitate the gift.