



Report on Student Services Fees 2025

Report to	SPCNM student Council and College community		
Report from	Robyn Carruthers, Chief Executive		
Date	2026		
Purpose of this report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The purpose of this report is to inform the Student Council, students and greater SPCNM on how the Student Services Fees (SSF) were spent in 2025 		
Background	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The criteria for applying the CSSF are very strict and must fall under the following categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advocacy and legal advice Careers information advice and guidance Counselling services Employment information Financial support and advice Health services Media Childcare services clubs and societies Sports recreation and cultural events In addition, the student body must have input in to how the fees are spent, which SPCNM does via the Student council 		
Spending decisions in 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> While the SSF remained a standing item for the Student Council in 2025 the funds predominantly covered Similar activities to those in 2024: Counselling services, Paua Clinic appointments for students, Discounted Paua Clinic Products for students, costs for Cheal cottage (student common room), College talks, Immersion days, social events, competitions. Part of the salary for a key support role was offset to the SSF “Cookie and a chat” was introduced as a casual wellbeing check in with front of office staff. The cookies are provided through the SSF. 		
Spending		GRAND TOTAL	\$34,807.29
		SSF COLLECTED	\$18,375.60
		Difference	(\$16,431.69)
Conclusions and Next Steps	<p>At the upcoming student council meeting Management requests that the Student Council provide ongoing approval for the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Counselling services, as required. Referred through Pastoral care team 		

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health services – Paua Clinic consultations and student discounts; food/teas provided• Employment information/Sports recreation and cultural events – Immersion and Suppliers expo• Sports recreation and cultural events – maintenance & costs of Cheal cottage
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