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# **RM Billing Secondary Receipting Training Program**

# **Morning Courses**

Time	Contents	
8.45am	Coffee and Registration	
9.00am	Overview of RM Billing	
	Receipting Methods	
	Individual Receipts	
	Billing Item Bulk Receipts	
	Charges and Contribution Receipts	
	Printing Receipts	
10.15am	Morning Tea	
10.30am	Receipt Reports	
	<ul> <li>Daily Banking</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Receipt Summary</li> </ul>	
	Correcting Errors	
	Export the Receipt Batches	
	Processing Refunds	
	Unallocated Credit	
	Following up unpaid debt	
	Questions	
12:00pm	Close	

# **Afternoon Courses**

Time	Contents
12.30pm	Coffee and Registration
12.45pm	Overview of RM Billing
	Receipting Methods
	Individual Receipts
	Billing Item Bulk Receipts
	Charges and Contribution Receipts
	Printing Receipts
2.15pm	Afternoon Tea
2.30pm	Receipt Reports
	<ul> <li>Daily Banking</li> </ul>
	Receipt Summary
	Correcting Errors
	Export the Receipt Batches
	Processing Refunds
	Unallocated Credit
	Following up unpaid debt
	Questions
3.45pm	Close

# **Training Outcomes**

At the end of the RM Billing Primary Training Program participants should be able to:

- Create receipt batches
- Understand and apply the various methods for receipting
- Issue receipts for students and customers
- Record bulk student payments
- Reverse a billing item
- Reverse a receipt
- Refund receipts
- Manage Timetable changes in Billing
- Produce receipt reports
- Allocate unallocated credit
- View outstanding debt
- Print Statements

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# 1 Introduction to the RM Billing Module

RM Billing is a module that is available within Integris. When the RM Billing module is added, a new sidebar called RM Billing appears.

This module allows both students and external customers (companies and/or individuals external to the school environment) to be billed for any type of cost. Students can be billed for subject related costs, charges and voluntary contributions, other optional costs, voluntary approved requests, camps and excursions etc. Customers can be billed for items such as hire of the school hall etc.

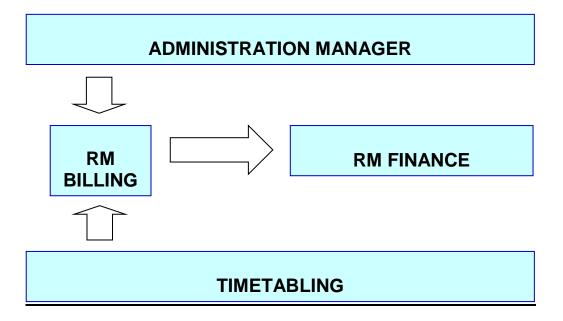
Student details and those of their related contacts, (e.g. Parent/Guardian 1, Parent/Guardian 2 etc.), should be accurate within the Administration module before adding the RM Billing module. Each student should have one contact nominated as the person who will be responsible for paying their fees. Correspondence generated from RM Billing - such as Charges and Contributions Sheets and Statements - will be addressed to the first contact marked for Fees Billing for each student in the Administration module. RM Billing will draw on student and contact data held in the Administration module.

The RM Billing module can be used in conjunction with the Timetabling module (optional). Student subject preferences from Timetabling are available in RM Billing. Costs for each subject can be entered in RM Billing and students can be billed according to the subjects they have chosen to study. The bulk billing facility enables students to be billed en masse for any other types of costs.

RM Billing supports several methods of receipting (including bulk receipting) and provides a suite of useful reports.

RM Billing can also be linked to RM Finance. A set of Billing Codes created in RM Billing provide the link to the budget and analysis codes used by the school in RM Finance. Receipts entered in RM Billing can be automatically exported to RM Finance against the correct budget and analysis codes.

The following diagram illustrates how RM Billing interacts with other Integris modules.



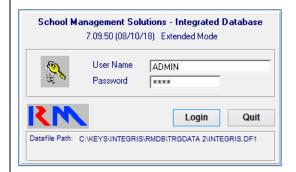
### 1.1 Logging on to the System

# **Activity: Logging On**

• Double click on the RM Billing Secondary Receipting icon on your desktop



- Type ADMIN into the User Name field
- Press < Tab>
- Type **keys** into the **Password** field



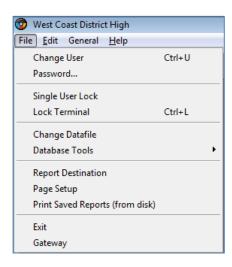
• Click on Login, or press <Enter>

Note: In schools, each user has their own user name and password, which enables access to particular sections of the software as determined by the school administration.

It is strongly recommended that you change your password regularly.

#### 1.2 The File Menu

The file menu may be accessed by clicking on File in the top left of your screen.



- **Password** enables the user to change his or her password. For security purposes, it is recommended that this is done regularly.
- Change User should be used to ensure that each person accessing Integris does so under their own user name and with their personal levels of access.
- Lock Terminal may be used if the user needs to leave his or her computer temporarily, does not want to log off and does not want to allow access to anyone else. Unlocking the terminal requires the user to enter his or her password again.
- **Report Destination** allows the user to choose where to send any report created in Integris. The options are displayed below.

# **Activity: The File Menu**

#### Top Toolbar > File

View each of the following items in the File menu

- Password
- Change User
- Lock Terminal
- Report Destination

# 2 Accessing Help

# **Activity: Accessing Help**

#### Top Toolbar > Help > Help Contents and Index

- Click **Help** in the top toolbar
- Select Help Contents and Index



- Highlight Integris RM Billing Help
- Click Help
- View the manual
- Close the manual and Help

# **Activity: Logging onto RM Finance**

All RM Billing Users must log onto RM Finance before any processing can be undertaken.

#### **RM Billing>Students**

- Select User Name Manager Corporate Services
- Enter password Keys

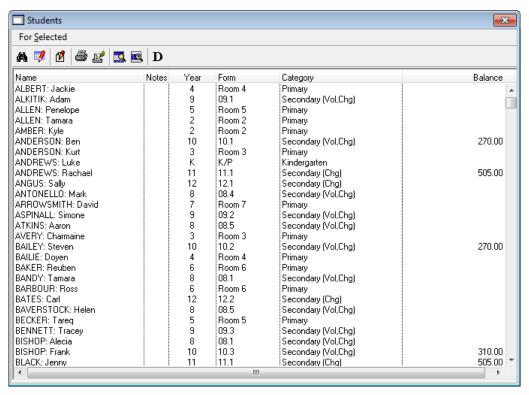


• Click on Login

# 3 Brief Overview of RM Billing

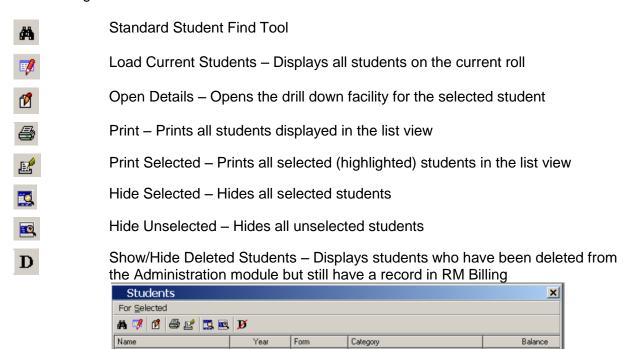
#### 3.1 Students

The Students section is the 'heart' of the RM Billing module. When the window opens, all students on the current roll are displayed along with their current year group and current form.



#### 3.1.1 Student Icons

The following icons are available on the Student List screen.

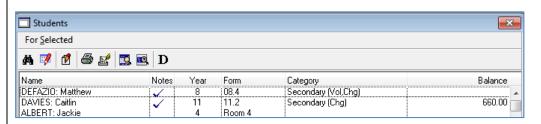


#### 3.1.2 Using the Student Window Icons

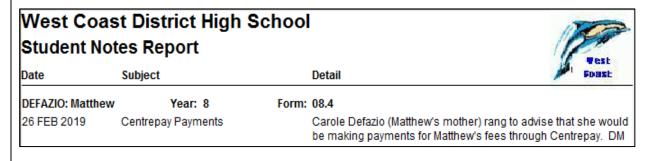
# **Activity: Using the Student Window Icons**

#### RM Billing > Students

- Select Year Group 9 to display only the Year 9 students
- Click Find > Select > Yes
- Click Load Current Students to display all students who are on the current roll
- Highlight any student and select Open Details
- Click Return to View
- Click Print List
- Close the Student Summary Report
- Hold <Ctrl> and select 5 students from the list
- Click Print Selected
- Close the Student Summary Selected Items Report
- Click Hide Selected to hide those selected students
- Hold <Ctrl> and select 5 students from the list
- Click Hide Unselected to only view those selected students
- Click Load Current Students to display all students who are on the current roll
- Click on the Notes Header twice to bring all students with notes to the top of the list



- Highlight the two students with notes
- Click on For Selected > Print Notes and OK to send to the screen
- View the notes and close



#### 3.1.3 Quick Search on Student Surname

A quick search on student surname is available on this window. For example, if you click on the first student in the list and then type the letter 'B' the cursor will move to the first student whose surname begins with 'B'. If you type the entire surname (e.g. BORN), the first student in the list with that surname will be highlighted.

#### 3.1.4 Drill Down Facility

Drill down functionality is instigated by double-clicking or pressing <enter> on a student name. Note that all transactions will be attached to the student's record. The name of the fees biller is also attached to this record.

#### 3.1.5 Red Fields

The red fields at the top of the screen are scroll fields and search fields.

- Left mouse click to view the next student.
- Shift and left mouse click to view the previous student.
- Right mouse click to enter the name of a new student to view.
- It is recommended that users work with smaller groups of students and this method is used to navigate between students.



Note: It is advisable (and quicker) to search for students from within the drill down section rather than always returning to the front screen. Either the red fields or the binoculars can be used.

#### 3.1.6 Return to View

Use the blue circular arrow to return from the drill down display to the front list screen. Selecting return to view will recalculate student balances.

# **Activity: Searching for Students**

#### RM Billing > Students

- Type the Surname Born
- Double click Corrina Born
- View the tabs available in the student window
- Click on the red Surname field BORN to scroll through the student names
- Right click in the Surname filed and type **Brown** press <Enter>. The first student with that surname is displayed
- Close the Student details window

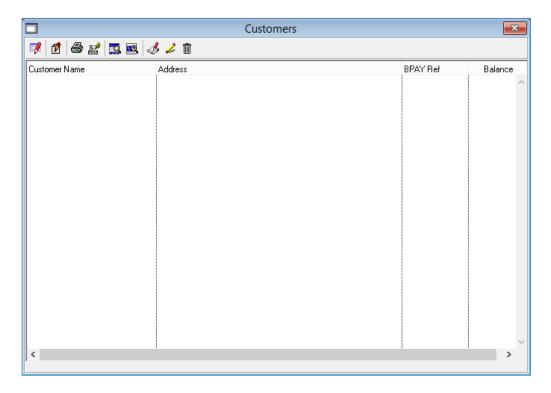
Note: We will use the student details window in depth later in training.

#### 3.2 Customers

This section is used to bill customers who are external to the school (i.e. not parents/guardians/students). For example the local theatre group who wish to hire the school hall for their rehearsals.

Customer records can be created at any time by the user.

The functionality available in the Customers section is very similar to the functionality available in the Students section.



#### 3.2.1 Customer Icons

The following icons are available in the Customers section.

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	Load All – Displays all customers in the list view
	Open Details – Opens the drill down facility for the selected customer
	Print – Prints all customers displayed in the list view
	Print Selected – Prints all selected (highlighted) customers in the list view
	Hide Selected – Hides all selected customers
<b>80</b> ,	Hide Unselected – Hides all unselected customers
$\mathcal{A}$	Add Customer – Allows a customer record to be added
2	Edit Customer – Allows a customer record to be edited (restricted editing only if there are transactions against the customer)
	Delete Customer - Allows a customer record to be deleted (only if there are no transactions against the customer)

#### 3.2.2 Quick Search on Customer Name

A quick search on Customer Name is available on this window. For example, if you click on the first Customer and then type the letter 'B' the cursor will move to the first Customer whose name begins with 'B'. If you type the entire Customer Name then that Customer Name will be highlighted.

#### 3.2.3 Drill Down Facility

Drill down functionality is instigated by double-clicking or pressing <Enter> on a Customer Name.

#### 3.2.4 Red Field

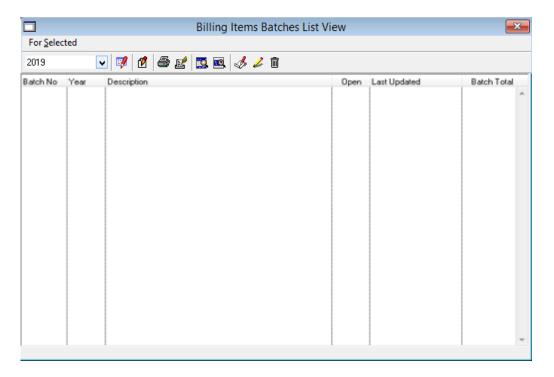
The red field at the top of the screen is a scroll field and a search field (see Students section).

#### 3.2.5 Return to View

Use the blue circular arrow to return from the drill down display to the front list screen.

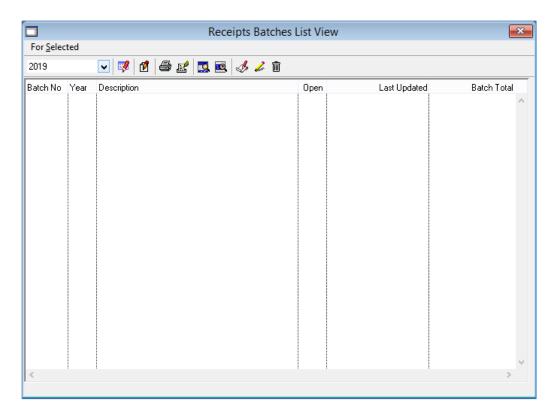
#### 3.3 Billing Items

This section is used to create Billing Item batches. These batches will hold the billing item transactions once the students have been billed. The standard icons which have already been discussed are available on this window.



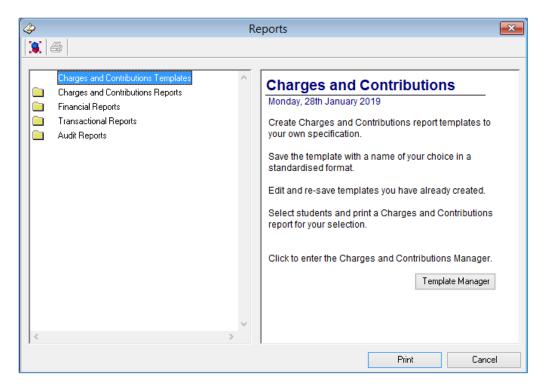
# 3.4 Receipts

The Receipts section is used to create Receipts batches. These batches will hold the receipts entered into RM Billing. The standard icons which have already been discussed are also available on this window.



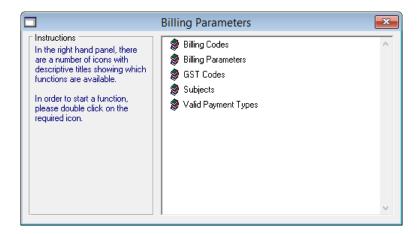
#### 3.5 Reports

A variety of standard reports are available from this section as illustrated below. These will be covered as we progress through the training course.



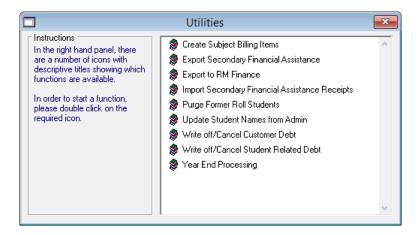
#### 3.6 Parameters

Parameters can be set to customise the RM Billing module for use in your school. More detail will be provided on the relevant parameters during the course of this training.



#### 3.7 Utilities

The Utilities section provides a set of standard routines/processes that need to be run at certain times within the RM Billing module. Again, the relevant processes will be covered as we progress though the training.



# 4 Receipting

All receipts entered into RM Billing must be placed into a receipts batch. Receipts batches must be created before the receipts are entered.

The following conventions should be followed when creating receipts batches.

#### 4.1 Separate Receipts Batches

Create separate batches for the following options:

- General Banking (daily takings cash and cheques)
- Electronic Funds Transfers which include electronic credit card payments
- Direct Deposits, such as payments from Centrelink or Family and Children's Services
- BPAY
- Corrections
- Refunds
- Government Subsidies (special type of receipt not exported to RM Finance)
- Clothing Allowance

It is important that you separate the different types of receipts. This will make reconciliation in RM Finance much easier.

For example, a general banking batch containing Cash and Cheques should be closed off when you are ready to bank the money. Then the batch total in RM Billing (which is transferred to RM Finance) will match the deposit amount that is taken to the bank. When you reconcile in RM Finance, the same batch total will appear on the bank statement and also in RM Finance making it easy to reconcile.

If you enter other types of receipts into the batch that are not banked, the batch total in RM Billing and RM Finance will not match what is on the bank statement.

# 4.2 Naming Receipts Batches

The Receipts batch number will be automatically created by RM Billing. It will always begin with the letter 'B' followed by a sequential 5 digit number beginning with 00001.

When naming a receipts batch, the description should contain the type of batch and the date it was created (dd.mm.yy).

For example:

General Banking 03.03.19

Electronic Funds Transfer 03.03.19

Note: For receipts entered retrospectively from receipt books or Z tapes, enter the comment "Duplicate- original receipt #xxxx" or "Duplicate-original Z tape #xxxx" as required

Note: For more information log on to <a href="http://det.wa.edu.au/finance/detcms/portal/">http://det.wa.edu.au/finance/detcms/portal/</a> to access "Procedures for RM Billing Receipts batches.



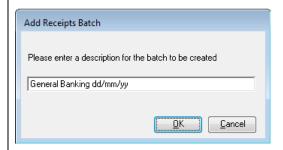
# **Activity: Creating a Receipts Batch**

Create the following two receipts batches using today's date:

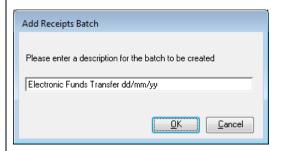
- General Banking dd.mm.yy
- Electronic Funds Transfer dd.mm.yy

#### RM Billing > Receipts

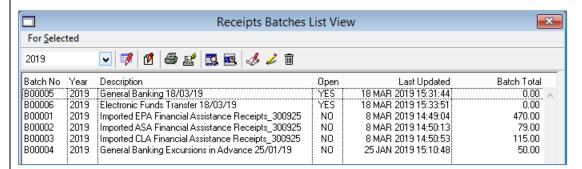
- Click Add
- Enter the description and today's date



- Click **OK** to save
- Repeat the process to create the Electronic Funds Transfer receipts batch



View the newly created receipts batches in the Receipts Batches List View window



- The batch numbers would be recorded on the RM Finance batch register
- Close the Receipts Batches List View window

# 4.3 Receipt Payment Types

The following standard payment types exist in RM Billing and need to be used when entering receipts onto the system.

CA Cash CH Cheque

CR Credit Card

**EF** EFTPOS

**BP** BPAY

**DD** Direct Deposit

**GV** Government Subsidies

#### 4.4 Methods of Receipting

There are a number of different methods that can be used for entering receipts into RM Billing. The method used will depend upon the circumstances.

#### 4.4.1 Receipting Methods

There are four methods users may select from when processing receipts. Each has features to assist with individual receipting needs.

Receipt Process		Features	Type of Payment
Apply Subsidy	Students>For Selected>Apply Subsidy	Payment is automatically allocated to billing items according to business rules	GV only \$235 Education Program Allowance only
Apply Receipt	Students>For Selected>Apply Receipt	Payment is automatically allocated to billing items	CA, CH,CR,EF,BP,DD
Add Receipt	Student Record>Add Receipt	Payment is automatically allocated to billing items. Users may edit allocations.	CA, CH,CR,EF,BP,DD
Bulk Receipts	Receipts>Receipt batch>Bulk Receipts	Allows users to receipt via payment type. Users select the billing items to be paid.	CA, CH,CR,EF,BP,DD, GV Ensure correct payment batch type is selected
Add Receipt for selected Billing Items	Billing Items> Batch Billing Items> Show Outstanding Amounts> Add Receipt	Allows users to receipt payments of the same billing item, amount and payment method.	CA, CH,CR,EF,BP,DD

#### 4.4.2 Bulk Receipting via the Billing Item Batch

This method is useful if a group of students are all paying the same amount for the same billing item(s). For example, a group of students are all paying \$300 for their Camp Charges.

The Payment Type (e.g. Cash or Cheque) must also be the same for each group entered.

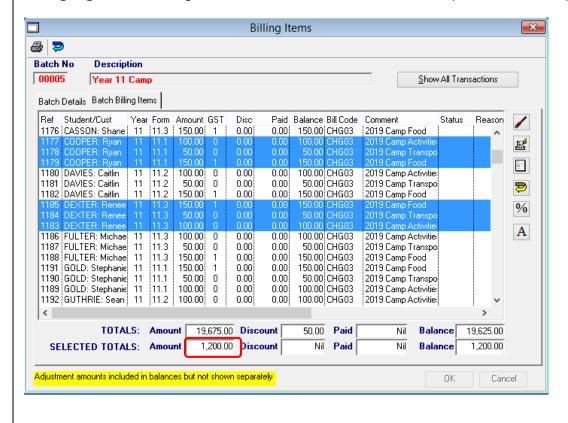
# **Activity: Bulk Receipting via Billing Item Batch**

The following students have all paid in full for their Camp Charges. Follow the instructions below to enter these receipts in bulk via the Billing Items batch.

Name	Payment Type	Amount Paid
Ryan Cooper	CHEQUE	300
Renee Dexter	CHEQUE	300
Simon Rumble	CHEQUE	300
Jillian Sorrell	CHEQUE	300
Total Amount Paid		1200

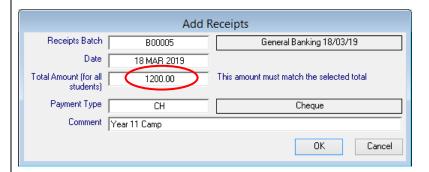
#### RM Billing > Billing Items

- Double-click on the Year 11 Camp batch
- Click on the Batch Billing Items tab
- Click Show Outstanding Amounts (this ensures that the balances owing on the billing items after adjustments, if any, are displayed)
- Click on the Student/Cust column heading to sort the list
- Highlight all the billing items for the above students who have paid for their camp in full

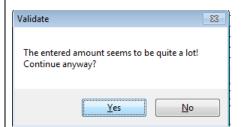


#### Note: The Selected Totals Amount should match the Total Amount for all students.

- Click Add Receipts for the selected billing items
- Enter the General Banking receipts batch or press <Tab> for a list
- Type in the total amount for all students of 1200 (this is the selected total)
- Enter the payment type of Cheque or press <Tab> for a list
- Enter a comment Year 11 Camp



Click OK



Click Yes



- Click on Yes
- Choose Receipts > OK and OK to print to screen
- View and close the receipts

# **Activity: Review of Entering Bulk Receipts via the Billing Items Batch**

Use the same method to enter the receipts for those students who have paid by Cash. Print the receipts to the screen.

Name	Payment Type	Amount Paid
Ashleigh Campbell	CASH	300
Shane Casson	CASH	300
Paul Hogan	CASH	300
Total Amount Paid		900

#### 4.4.3 To print receipts at another time

- Choose **Students**
- Select the appropriate student
- Choose the **Receipts** tab
- Highlight the appropriate receipt in the top half of the window
- Choose the **Printer** icon

#### 4.4.4 Bulk Receipting for a mixture of items via the Receipts batch

This method is useful for processing a group of receipts which are mixed in nature. For example, different students are paying different amounts with various payment types for different items.

# **Activity: Bulk Receipting With Various Payment Methods**

The following payments have been received. They are mixed in nature. They are for different amounts, different payment methods have been used and they are for different items.

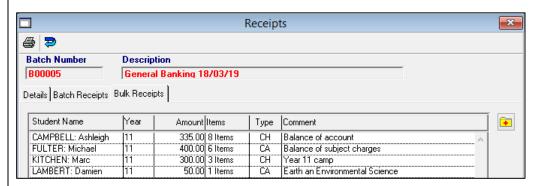
Name	Amount Paid	Payment Type	Payment For
Ashleigh Campbell	\$335	Cheque	Balance of account
Michael Fulter	\$400	Cash	Balance of subject charges
Marc Kitchen	\$300	Cheque	Year 11 Camp
Damien Lambert	\$50	Cash	Earth & Environmental
			Science

#### RM Billing > Receipts

- Double-click the **General Banking** batch
- Select the Bulk Receipts tab
- Click Add Receipts



- Enter the student's surname (or part thereof) in the Student Name field and <Tab> to select the student from a list
- Enter the amount <Tab>
- <Tab> in the items field
- Highlight the items to be paid, click **OK** and **<Tab>**
- Enter the payment type (or press <Tab> for a list) <Tab>
- Enter a **comment** (e.g. Balance of Account)
- <Tab> to move to the next line
- **Repeat** this process for the next student



- Once all receipts have been entered, click **OK** to save
- Click Print



- Click **OK** to view the Receipts
- Close the receipts
- Click Return to View



Note: If a blank line is created in error, right mouse click on the blank line and select

Remove line.

#### **IMPORTANT**

The receipts are not saved until the OK button at the bottom of the screen is clicked. It is therefore recommended that shorter lists are entered and saved regularly to minimise loss of data in the event of a power failure etc.

#### 5 Government Subsidies

The following is information regarding the changes to the Secondary Financial Assistance (SFA) Program. Due to time constraints in today's training, we are unable to demonstrate this function, however it is covered in detail in the RM Secondary Billing 2 day course.

#### **5.1.1 Secondary Financial Assistance Information**

Students qualify for Secondary Financial Assistance (SFA) if one of their parents/guardians is a holder of one of these eligible Concession Cards.

- Centrelink Health Care Card
- Centrelink Pensioner Concession Card
- Veteran's Affairs Pensioner Card (Blue Card)

Parents/Guardians must complete an application form and these are then approved by the Schools Resourcing and Support Directorate at the Department of Education.

#### 5.2 Managing SFA Applications in RM Billing

The latest version of RM Billing allows schools to complete and manage the forms and application process, as well as receipting of GV Subsidies.

The steps in this process are:

- 1. Application Forms are completed and printed from RM Billing
- 2. Forms are signed by the Concession Card holder making the application
- 3. Details of the Applications are exported to a text file
- 4. The Exported files are emailed to Schools Resourcing and Support Directorate
- 5. Once approved, Import Receipt text files are returned to the school
- 6. Receipt files are imported into RM Billing (This creates a receipts batch for GV Receipts)
- 7. Imported Receipts are created as Unallocated GV Credit for students in the Import file
- 8. GV Credit can then be allocated to the student's Billing Items

The Secondary Financial Assistance Allowances available for students are:

- Education Program Allowance (EPA) for \$235
- Abstudy Supplement Allowance (ASA) for \$79\*
- Clothing Allowance (CA) Payment for \$115

Note: The Importing and Exporting of the Secondary Financial Assistance forms is covered in the 2 Day RM Billing Secondary course.



Notes: Government Subsidies must be applied to Billing Items in a specific order depending on their Student Billing Category.

\*The Abstudy Supplement Allowance is a top up payment for Indigenous students where their parent/guardian have already claimed \$156 through their Centrelink payments.

Clothing Allowance payments are classified as Parent Payments, however imported Clothing Allowance receipts will be imported with a payment type of (GV) where the parent has allocated this directly to the school.

Further information on the above allowances can be obtained by contacting:

Schools Resourcing and Support Directorate Department of Education 151 Royal Street, East Perth. WA 6004

Telephone: (08) 9264 4516 Facsimile: (08) 9264 5162

Email: <u>student.allowances@education.wa.edu.au</u>



#### 5.3 How are Government Subsidies handled in RM Billing?

In RM Billing a Government Subsidy is a special type of **receipt**. Government Subsidies need to be recorded against the students in RM Billing, but unlike other receipts, the subsidy money is not exported to RM Finance. This is because when the Government Subsidy money is received by the school, it is entered directly into RM Finance as a lump sum.

#### 5.3.1 Rules for Applying Government Subsidies

The Government Subsidy is applied to the billing items for the selected year for each student in a particular order, according to the billing category of the student. The table below shows the order in which the types of billing items need to be paid by the subsidy.

If completing this process using the **For Selected > Apply Subsidies**, the software will automatically allocate the subsidy based on the Business Rules outlined below.

Student Billing Category	Priority for applying subsidies
Kindergarten, Pre-Primary, Primary, Secondary (Vol,Chg)	Voluntary, Charges, Residential, Other Optional Costs, Voluntary Approved Requests followed by any other item which has a category assigned (other than Not Applicable).
Secondary (Chg)	Charges, Residential, Other Optional Costs, Voluntary Approved Requests followed by any other item which has a category assigned (other than Not Applicable).
Temporary Visa Overseas Students	Temp Visa, Charges, Residential, Other Optional Costs, Voluntary Approved Requests followed by any other item which has a category assigned (other than Not Applicable).
Adult Students	Adult student costs, Charges, Residential, Other Optional Costs, Voluntary Approved Requests followed by any other item which has a category assigned (other than Not Applicable).
Full Fee Paying Overseas Students	Not applied, since these students are not eligible for Government Subsidies.

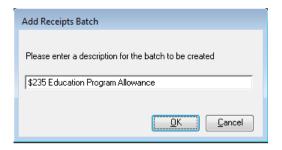
#### 5.4 Applying Government Subsidies Manually – Discussion Only

When any receipt is entered into RM Billing, it needs to be placed in a Receipts batch. As Government Subsidies are different to 'normal' receipts it would be necessary to create one or more separate receipt batches to hold the subsidies.

For Example: Create a Receipt Batch for the \$235 Education Program Allowance.

#### RM Billing > Receipts

- Click Add Item
- Enter the description as shown below



Click OK

This process would be repeated if creating a Clothing Allowance Batch

Note: Batch numbers are automatically created by RM Billing and will start with B' to denote a billing batch, followed by a sequential number beginning at 00001.

#### *Important*

When a Government Subsidy batch is created, only the payment relating to the \$235 Education Program Allowance should be placed in this batch. No other payments are to be entered.

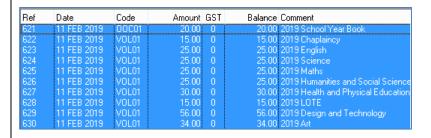


# **Activity: Receipting Overpayments**

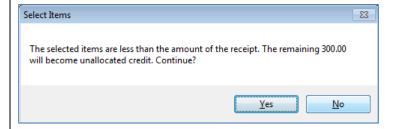
Rhys Fitton wishes to pay \$570 by cheque for his Charges and Contributions. Currently his Billing Items total \$270.00. The overpayment will be processed as unallocated credit.

#### RM Billing > Receipts

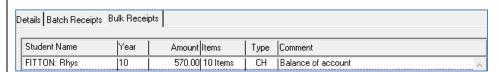
- Double click on the General Banking Batch receipts batch
- Select the Bulk Receipts tab
- Click Add Receipts
- •
- Type **Fitton** and <Tab> to select him
- Type **570** in the amount
- <Tab> in the items field and select all items



Click OK



- Click Yes
- <Tab> in the Type column and select CH
- Type in comment Balance of Account



• Click OK

Note: The overpayment will be recorded as unallocated credit within Rhys Fitton's record. When this Receipts batch is entered into RM Finance, this amount will be posted against the Billing Suspense Account N3199.

#### 5.4.1 Bulk Receipting for Charges and Contributions (via Students > Apply Receipts)

This method is useful if a group of students are all paying the same amount for **charges and contributions**. The system will automatically allocate the entered amount to each student to pay off their Billing Items in a specified order, according to regulations. If the amount of the receipt is greater than the amount owing for the specified categories, then the additional amount will become unallocated credit (i.e. a credit amount which is not assigned to any billing items).

Billing Items will be paid off in the following order:

Student Billing Category	Priority for applying receipts
Kindergarten, Pre-Primary, Primary, Secondary (Vol,Chg)	Charges, Residential, Voluntary, Other Optional Costs, Voluntary Approved Requests followed by any other item which has a category assigned including Not Applicable.
Secondary (Chg)	Charges, Residential, Other Optional Costs, Voluntary Approved Requests followed by any other item which has a category assigned including Not Applicable.
Temporary Visa Overseas Students	Temp Visa, Charges, Residential, Other Optional Costs, Voluntary Approved Requests followed by any other item which has a category assigned including Not Applicable.
Adult Students	Adult Student Costs, Charges, Residential, Other Optional Costs, Voluntary Approved Requests followed by any other item which has a category assigned including Not Applicable.
Full Fee Paying Overseas Students	Charges, Residential, Other Optional Costs, Voluntary Approved Requests followed by any other item which has a category assigned including Not Applicable.

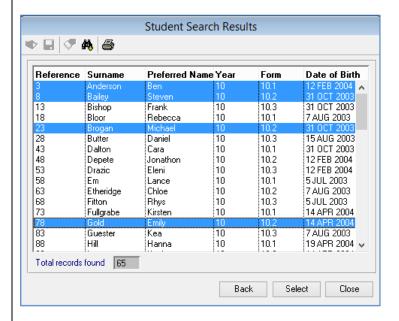
# Activity: Entering Bulk Receipts for Charges and Contributions (via Students)

The following students have all paid \$270 for the balance of their Voluntary Contributions. The payments have been processed via EFTPOS. Enter receipts for the student payments in the table below.

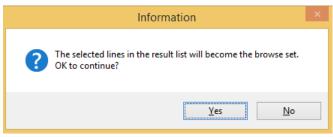
Student	Payment
Ben Anderson	\$270
Steven Bailey	\$270
Michael Brogan	\$270
Emily Gold	\$270

#### RM Billing > Students

- Use **Student Find** to find all Year **10** students
- Highlight the students listed in the table above

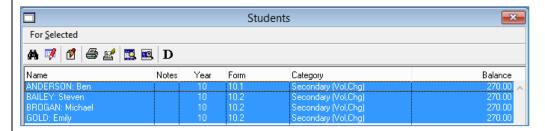


Click Select

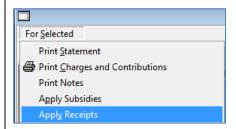


Click Yes

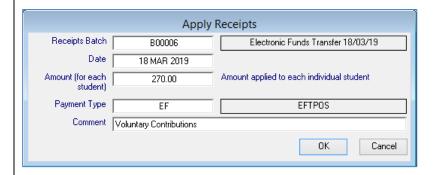
Highlight the students



Click For Selected > Apply Receipts



- Click OK for Billing Year 2019
- Enter the Electronic Funds Transfer receipts batch number or press <Tab> for a list
- Type in the amount that will be applied to each student \$270
- Press <Tab> and select the payment type for EFTPOS or type EF
- Enter a Comment



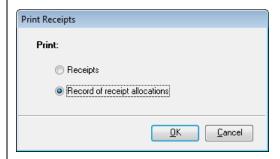
- Click OK
- Close the Students window

IMPORTANT: The amount entered will be applied to each student record. In this example, none of the students selected have any charges within their Billing Items so the Voluntary Contributions are paid off. Users are advised to check student records before using the Apply receipts method. This functionality can only be used when each student has paid the same amount

# **Activity: Printing Receipts for Bulk Entries**

## RM Billing > Receipts

- Double-click on the required batch (Electronic Funds Transfer)
- Choose the Batch Receipts tab
- Highlight the receipts to be printed at the top section of the screen
- Click Print > Yes > OK and OK to print to screen
- View and close the receipts
- With the receipts highlighted, click on Print and Yes
- Select the Record of Receipt Allocations



View the Record of Receipt Allocations then close

#### 5.4.2 Individual Receipting

This method can be used to enter a receipt for an individual student.

## **Activity: Individual Receipting**

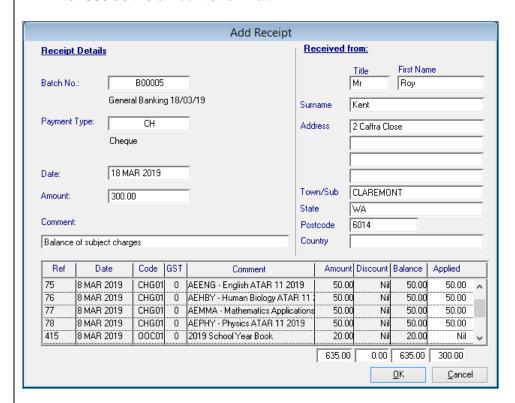
Maureen Kent, Clayton Kent's grandmother, has come to the front office to pay for his Subject Charges (not the Camp). She has a cheque for \$300. We will edit the received from details to reflect the payment from someone other than the Fees Biller

#### RM Billing > Students

- Double-click on the record for Clayton Kent
- Select the Receipts tab
- Click Add Receipt
   Add Receipt
- ·
- Select the General Banking batch for today and Click OK

Press **<Tab>** for a list of open receipts batches

- <Tab> to move to the Payment Type field
- <Tab> to view a list of valid payment types (or type the code if you know it)
- Select CH and Click OK
- Enter 300 as the amount and <Tab>



Note what happens to the applied amounts in the lower table. The receipt is allocated against the billing items from the top down. This can be changed if you only need to pay off a specific billing item.

• Enter the comment Balance of subject charges

Note: The comment appears on the statement.

- Edit the Received from details to read
- Title: Mrs
- First Name: MaureenSurname: Kent
- Address: 45 Terrace Road, CLAREMONT WA 6015



Click on OK to save

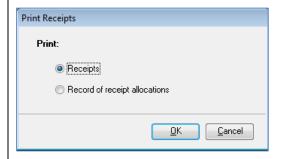
Note: The 'Received from' fields on the Add Receipt screen show the name of the current fees biller for the student. If someone else is paying the money, these fields should be edited to contain the name and address of that person. These details are saved with the receipt.

# **Activity: Print a Receipt**

## RM Billing > Students

- Click on the Receipts tab
- Highlight the receipt Balance of subject charges
- Click Print





- Choose Receipts > OK and OK to print the receipt to screen
- View and close the Receipt
- Click Print



- Choose Record of receipt allocations > OK and OK to print the receipt to screen
- View and close the Record of Receipt Allocation

Note: The official document is the 'Receipt'. This is what should be printed and given to the parent.

The 'Record of Receipt Allocation' can also be printed if required. This lists the billing items to which the receipt is currently allocated. Note that the allocations for a receipt can change if paid billing items are reversed or adjusted or if unallocated credit is allocated.

## 5.4.4 Original/Draft/Copy text on Receipts

To obtain an original receipt, the receipt must be printed directly to the printer (not to the screen and then to the printer).

Receipts printed directly to the printer for the first time will contain no additional text.

Receipts viewed to the screen will contain the text 'DRAFT'. If sent to the printer from the screen, the printed copy will contain the text 'DRAFT'.

Receipts printed to the printer for the second or subsequent time will contain the text 'COPY'.

The above is an important audit consideration as there should only ever be one original receipt created.



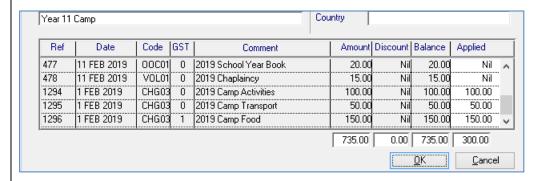
To move to a new record right click in the Surname cell. Enter the surname for the next required record.



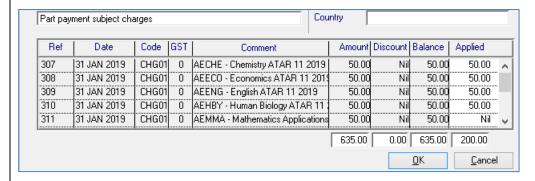
## **Activity: Review of Entering Individual Receipts**

Enter the following receipts into RM Billing using the individual receipting method outlined above.

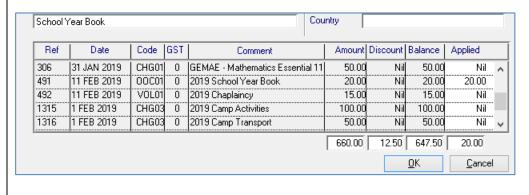
1. Dean Partington has come to the front office to pay for the **Camp** charges. He has a cheque for \$300. Make sure you allocate the money to the camp. (You will need to change the automatic allocations). Print the receipt to screen.



2. Donna Ravat has brought a cheque for \$200 to pay a portion of her subject charges. Print the Record of Receipt Allocations to screen.



Cory Ramsay has come to the office with \$20 cash to purchase the School Year Book.Make sure you allocate the money to the School Year Book item. Print the receipt to screen.



## 5.5 Receipting for Customers

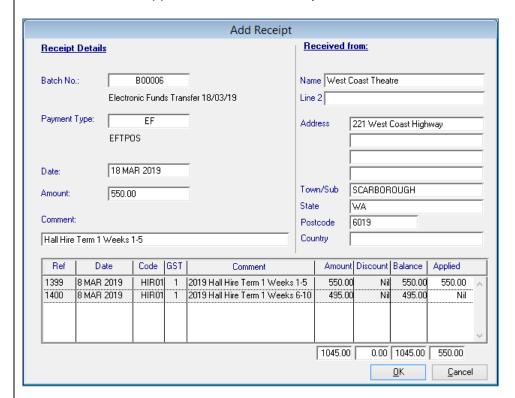
Individual receipts can be created for a particular customer. This is done via the Customers section by drilling down on the Customer record and going to the Receipts tab.

# **Activity: Receipting Customer 1**

West Coast Theatre has paid for the hall hire for weeks 1-5. The money has been paid directly into the bank using EFTPOS via the schools on-site machine. Print a copy of the receipt for West Coast Theatre.

## RM Billing > Customers

- Open West Coast Theatre
- Select the **Receipts** tab
- Click Add Receipt
- Press <Tab> in the Batch No field and select the Electronic Funds Transfer batch
- Enter the payment type of **EF** or press <Tab> for a list
- Accept the default date
- Enter the amount of 550
- Enter a **Comment** (e.g. Hall Hire Term 1 Weeks 1-5)
- Check that the applied amount is correctly allocated in the lower window



- Click OK
- Highlight the receipt
  - Click Print
- Select Receipts and **OK** and **OK** to print the receipt to screen
- View and close the receipt and Return to View

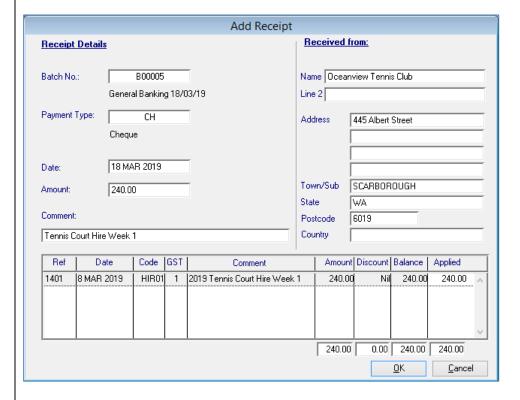


## **Activity: Receipting Customer 2**

Oceanview Tennis Club have paid in advance for their first week of tennis court hire with a cheque for \$240. Process the payment for the Oceanview Tennis Club.

## **RM Billing > Customers**

- Open Oceanview Tennis Club
- Select the **Receipts** tab
- Click Add Receipt
   Add Receipt
- Press <Tab> in the Batch No field and select the General Banking Batch
- Enter the payment type of CH or press <Tab> for a list
- Accept the default date
- Enter the amount of 240
- Enter a **Comment** (e.g. Tennis Court Hire Week 1)
- Check that the applied amount is correctly allocated in the lower window



Click OK

# 6 Manually Closing the Batch (Non Exporting Schools) – Discussion Only

Once the banking has been finalised, the receipts batch/es must be manually closed to ensure that no more receipts are processed through them and the contents of the batch manually entered into RM Finance. This should only be done when you are ready to **finalise the banking and close off the batch** – i.e. no further receipts should be entered into this batch once this process has commenced. A new receipts batch can be opened with the same format and using the current date of opening (eg. General Banking 30.01.19)

In training today, we are exporting our batches to RM Finance, so we do not need to manually close them. This is done automatically as part of the Export to RM Finance process. The following is a guide for those schools not yet exporting.

Manual Input of Receipts to RM Finance (Discussion Only)

### RM Billing > Receipts

- Highlight the batch to be closed
- Click For Selected > Print Daily Banking > OK

Rec#	Amount	Rec'd From	Student Name	Details	Batch # Status				
CASH									
13	\$ 300.00	Mrs Campbell	CAMPBELL: Ashleigh	Year 11 Camp	B00005				
14	\$ 300.00	Mrs Casson	CASSON: Shane	Year 11 Camp	B00005				
15	\$ 300.00	Mrs T Hogan	HOGAN: Paul	Year 11 Camp	B00005				
17	\$ 400.00	Mr M Fulter	FULTER: Michael	Balance of subject charges	B00005				
19	\$ 50.00	Mrs L Lambert	LAMBERT: Damien	Earth & Environmental Science	B00005				
28	\$ 20.00	Mrs T Ramsay	RAMSAY: Cory	School Year Book	B00005				
Fotal (	Cash								
CHEQU	JE		_						
9	\$ 300.00	Mrs J Cooper	COOPER: Ryan	Year 11 Camp	B00005				
10	\$ 300.00	Mr S Dexter	DEXTER: Renee	Year 11 Camp	B00005				
11	\$ 300.00	Mr T Rumble	RUMBLE: Simon	Year 11 Camp	B00005				
12	\$ 300.00	Mrs S Sorrell	SORRELL: Jillian	Year 11 Camp	B00005				
16	\$ 335.00	Mrs Campbell	CAMPBELL: Ashleigh	Balance of account	B00005				
18	\$ 300.00	Mrs K Kitchen	KITCHEN: Marc	Year 11 Camp	B00005				
20	\$ 570.00	Mrs G Fitton	FITTON: Rhys	Balance of account	B00005				
25	\$ 300.00	Mrs M Kent	KENT: Clayton	Balance of subject charges	B00005				
26	\$ 300.00	Mr G Partington	PARTINGTON: Dean	Year 11 Camp	B00005				
27	\$ 200.00	Mrs R Ravat	RAVAT: Donna	Part payment subject charges	B00005				
30	\$ 240.00	Ocenview Tennis Club		Tennis Court Hire Week 1	B00005				
Total (	Cheque	\$ 3,445.0	0						
Tota	al for Ca	sh and Cheque	Total for Cash and Cheques						

- This report can be used to check the calculations of your totals to be banked
- Print a paper copy of the report and file it

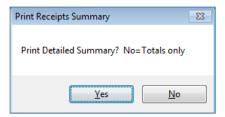


## 6.1.1 Print the Receipts Summary Detailed Report - Discussion Only

The Receipts Summary Detailed Report must be printed and filed. It displays a list of all transactions within the batch.

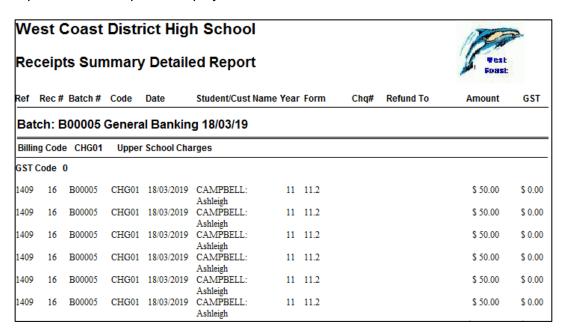
#### RM Billing > Receipts

- Highlight the batch to be closed
- Click For Selected > Print Receipts Summary
- Click OK to the Screen



Click on Yes to view the detailed Summary

A portion of the report is displayed below



This report should be printed to the printer and filed for reference

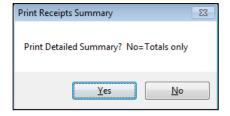
Note: The 'Totals Only' version of the Receipts Summary report is recommended for the manual input of data into RM Finance, however the detailed summary must be printed and filed for reference.

## 6.1.2 Print the Receipts Summary Totals Only Report - Discussion Only

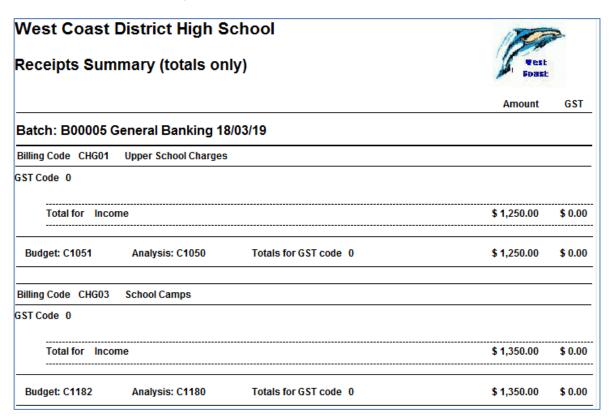
The 'Totals Only' version of the Receipts summary report is used to input the data into RM Finance. This report is printed when the batch is closed. The report is broken up via the various billing codes. The budget and analysis code is displayed for each billing code as well as the total for each budget and analysis code. Receipts which contain GST are separated from those which do not have GST.

## RM Billing > Receipts

- Highlight the batch to be closed
- Click For Selected > Print Receipts Summary
- Click **OK** to the Screen



Click on No Totals Only



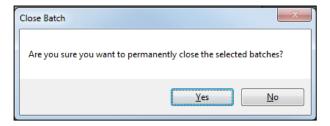
• This report is automatically sent to the printer. There is no provision to print it to the screen.

## 6.1.3 Manually Closing Receipt Batches in RM Billing - Discussion Only

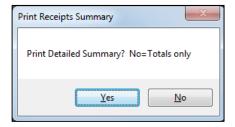
#### RM Billing > Receipts

- Highlight the batch to be closed
- Click For Selected > Close Batch

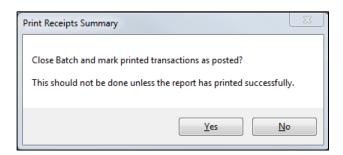




- Click Yes
- The **Print Setup** screen appears
- Check your settings and click on **OK**



- Say Yes to print the Detailed Summary. This must be printed and filed
- Click **No** to get the **Totals Only** version of the report
- Go to the printer and check that the report has printed successfully



- If the report has **not printed correctly** click on '**No**'. Go back to the start of the 'Close Batch' process and repeat the steps listed
- If the report *has printed correctly* click '*Yes*' (ensure care is taken with the process of closing the batch and marking the transactions posted, as this cannot be reversed). A working message may briefly appear. Then the batch is marked as closed, meaning that no further receipts can be placed in the batch

## 7 Exporting to RM Finance

Exporting to RM Finance allows schools to export their Billing Receipts into RM Finance. All receipts (except Government Subsidies) which are entered into RM Billing need to be processed in RM Finance where reconciliation will take place.

Once the Export function has been enabled, the manual input of receipts batches into RM Finance is no longer required. Once the banking has been finalised, the Export to RM Finance utility will transfer the contents of the selected batches into RM Finance. As the batch is exported, it is automatically closed, so new banking batches would need to be created to hold further takings.

The same first steps as carried out for the manual input need to be carried out for the automatic export.

- Print the Daily Banking Summary
- Print the Receipts Summary (Detailed Report)

Once the Daily Banking and Receipts Detailed Summary have been printed, the Export to Finance procedure can be initiated.

On Export, a 'Receipt Batch Export Summary' Report will be sent straight to the printer. This will include a list of exported batches, followed by a breakdown of the type of batches exported and a total of each batch.

If exporting EFT batches, a system generated Batch number will be produced for the export eg: RMB00001EFT.

Before Exporting, RM Finance must be closed. If RM Finance is open, an error message 'Too many records to sort" may be received, which will prevent the export from proceeding. Once RM Finance is closed and the export complete, the user can log back into RM Finance to print the Batch Transaction report and update the batches.



# **Activity: Print Daily Banking**

The General Banking and EFTPOS batches are ready to be closed and the money banked. The Daily Banking Summary and the Receipts Summary Detailed Summary must be printed for both batches.

## RM Billing > Receipts

- Highlight the General Banking receipts batch
- Click For Selected > Print Daily Banking

# West Coast District High School Daily Banking Summary 18/03/2019



Rec # Amount Rec'd From		Rec'd From	Student Name	Details	Batch #	Status
CASH						
13	\$ 300.00	Mrs Campbell	CAMPBELL: Ashleigh	Year 11 Camp	B00005	
14	\$ 300.00	Mrs Casson	CASSON: Shane	Year 11 Camp	B00005	
15	\$ 300.00	Mrs T Hogan	HOGAN: Paul	Year 11 Camp	B00005	
17	\$ 400.00	Mr M Fulter	FULTER: Michael	Balance of subject charges	B00005	
19	9 \$ 50.00 Mrs L Lambert LAM		LAMBERT: Damien	Earth an Environmental Science	B00005	
28 \$ 20.00 Mrs T Ramsay		RAMSAY: Cory	School Year Book	B00005		
Total C	Cash	\$ 1,370.0	0			
CHEQU	IE		_			
9	\$ 300.00 Mrs J Cooper		COOPER: Ryan	Year 11 Camp	B00005	
10	\$ 300.00	Mr S Dexter	DEXTER: Renee	Year 11 Camp	B00005	
11	\$ 300.00	Mr T Rumble	RUMBLE: Simon	Year 11 Camp	B00005	
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27	\$ 200.00	Mrs R Ravat	RAVAT: Donna	Part payment subject charges	B00005	
30	\$ 240.00	Oceanview Tennis Club		Tennis Court Hire Week 1	B00005	
Total Cheque \$ 3,445.00			0			
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Total for Cash and Cheques			\$ 4,815.00			
Cotal fe	or Report:		\$ 4,815.00			

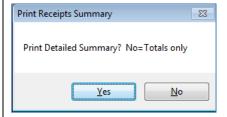
View and close the Daily Banking Summary

## **Activity: Print Receipts Summary**

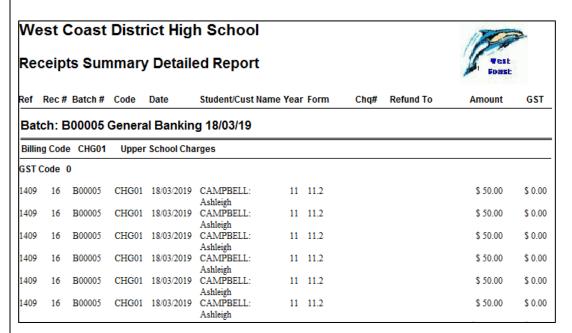
Print the Receipts Summary for the General Banking receipts batch for today.

#### RM Billing > Receipts

- Highlight the General Banking receipts batch
- Click For Selected > Print Receipts Summary



Click Yes



View and close the Summary Detailed Receipts Report

Note: The Detailed Receipt Summary must be printed as part of the batch closing routine

# **Activity: Print Daily Banking**

## RM Billing > Receipts

- Highlight the Electronic Funds Transfer receipts batch
- Click For Selected > Print Daily Banking
- Click **OK** to the screen

# West Coast District High School Daily Banking Summary 18/03/2019



Rec#	Amount	Rec'd From	Student Name	Details	Batch #	Status
EFTPO	s					
23 \$ 270.00 Not specified		ANDERSON: Ben BAILEY: Steven BROGAN: Michael GOLD: Emily	Voluntary Contributions Voluntary Contributions Voluntary Contributions Voluntary Contributions Hall Hire Term 1 Weeks 1-5	B00006 B00006 B00006 B00006 B00006		
Total for Other Payment Types			\$ 1,630.00			
Total for Report:			<b>\$ 1</b> ,630.00			

View and close the Daily Banking Summary

# **Activity: Print Receipts Summary**

Print the Receipts Summary Detailed Report for the Electronic Funds Transfer receipts batch for today.

## RM Billing > Receipts

- Highlight the **Electronic Funds Transfer** receipts batch
- Click For Selected > Print Receipts Summary
- Click Yes to print the Detailed Summary
- Click Ok to the screen

A portion of the report is displayed below

# West Coast District High School Daily Banking Summary 18/03/2019



Rec#	Amount	Rec'd From	Student Name	Details	Batch #	Status
EFTPO	s					
21 22 23 24 29	22 \$ 270.00 Mr Bailey 23 \$ 270.00 Not specified 24 \$ 270.00 Mr A Gold 29 \$ 550.00 West Coast Theatre		ANDERSON: Ben BAILEY: Steven BROGAN: Michael GOLD: Emily	Voluntary Contributions Voluntary Contributions Voluntary Contributions Voluntary Contributions Hall Hire Term 1 Weeks 1-5	B00006 B00006 B00006 B00006 B00006	
Total for Other Payment Types			\$ 1,630.00			
Total for Report:			\$ 1,630.00			
Т	otal for Inco	me			\$ 80.00	\$ 0.00

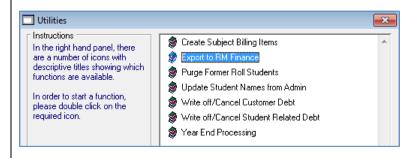
View and close the report

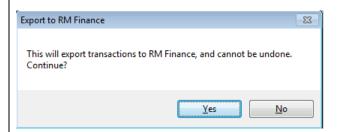
## 7.1 Exporting the Batches

# **Activity: Exporting to RM Finance**

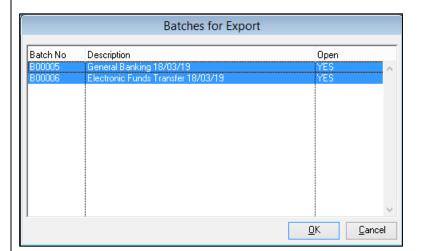
## RM Billing > Utilities >

Double click on Export to RM Finance

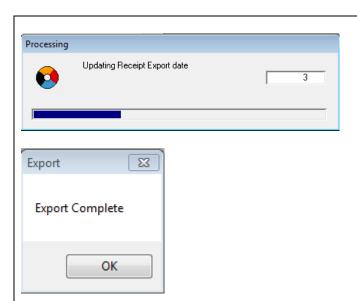




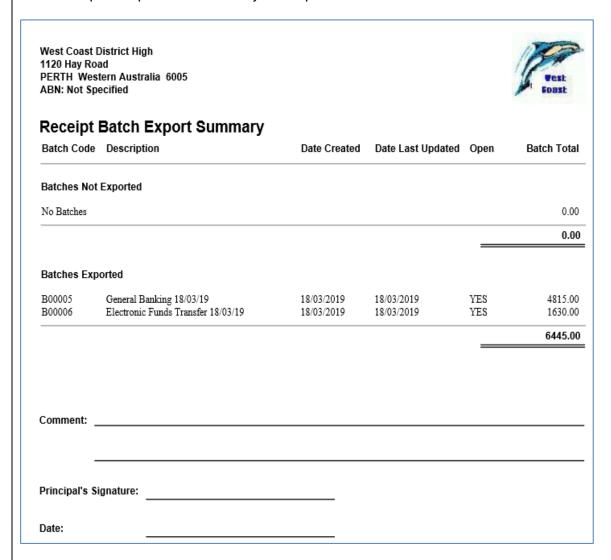
- Click Yes
- Highlight the General Banking and Electronic Funds Transfer batches



- Click OK
- Check the settings on the Print Setup screen and click **OK** (Do not cancel at this stage otherwise transactions will not be exported)
- The export process will commence



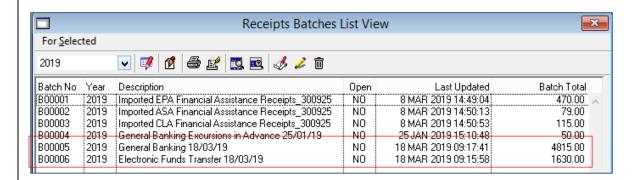
- Click OK
- Close the Utilities window
- The Export Report is sent directly to the printer





Check the batches have been closed

## RM Billing > Receipts



View the two batches are now closed

Once the batches have been exported, the user must log back into RM Finance to print the Batch Transaction Report and Update the batches. We will not be doing this in training.

	Billing Item	Correct	tions
Adjustment	This will create an adjustment transaction for the adjustment amount entered. This effectively reduces the amount of the billing item by the adjustment amount.  Used to adjust a billing item when the amount billed was too high.  Note: An alternative method could be to reverse the item and then add a new billing item for a lower amount.	Reversal	<ul> <li>This will create an opposite (reversal) transaction thereby 'cancelling out' the billing item.</li> <li>Used to correct an error (billing item should not have been created)</li> <li>Used when a student should no longer be charged for an item (e.g. billed for Camp but now not going)</li> </ul>

## 8 Billing Item Reversals

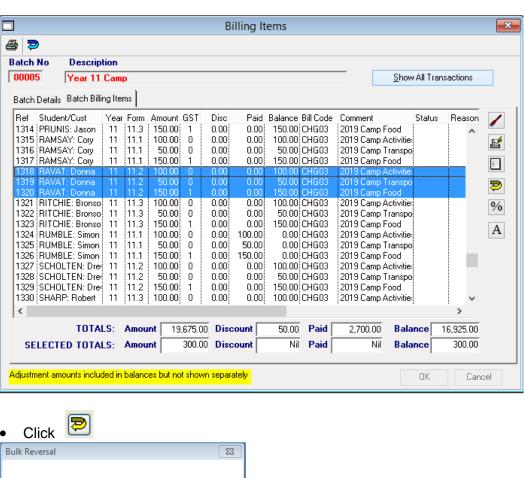
A billing item can be reversed if it has been entered in error, or if the student should no longer be charged for that item.

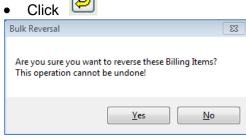
## **Activity: Reverse a Billing Item**

All the Year 11 students have been billed for the camp. We have now received notification that Donna Ravat is unable to attend as she has broken her arm. As she should no longer be charged for the camp, all of her camp-related billing items will need to be reversed.

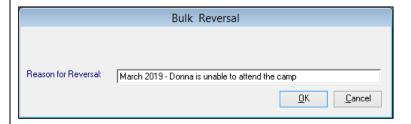
## RM Billing > Billing Items

- Double click on the Year 11 Camp Billing Item batch
- Click on the Batch Billing Items tab
   Batch Billing Items
- Click on Show Outstanding Amounts (this ensures that the balances owing on the billing items after adjustments, if any are displayed)





- Click **Yes** to the message
- Enter Reason commencing with the Month and Year



• Click **OK** 

View the reversal

R:1424	Reversed - March 2019 - Donna is unable to attend the camp
R:1425	Reversed - March 2019 - Donna is unable to attend the camp
R:1426	Reversed - March 2019 - Donna is unable to attend the camp Reversed - March 2019 - Donna is unable to attend the camp Reversed - March 2019 - Donna is unable to attend the camp

## 8.1 Timetabled Subject Changes

Once the actual billing items have been created for Timetabled Subjects (via Utilities > Create Subject Billing Items) for a student, any subject changes made after that point in time will need to be reflected in RM Billing.

The process for handling timetable changes involves:

- Reversing the old subject billing item
- Adding the new subject billing item

If changes need to be made to the subject cost as a result of a partial competition of a course the process many involve:

- Adjusting or discounting the old subject billing item
- Adding and adjusting or discounting the new subject billing item

Note: To change the subject preferences is usually the task of the Timetabler at your school.



#### 8.1.1 Timetabled Subjects and Subject Billing Items Reports

New Query

To assist in the management of student billing, users are able to produce reports which will compare a Student's subject listing with their billing items. This allows users to easily identify subjects for which the student has not been billed, or existing billing items for subjects which the student is no longer enrolled.

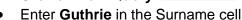
## **Activity**

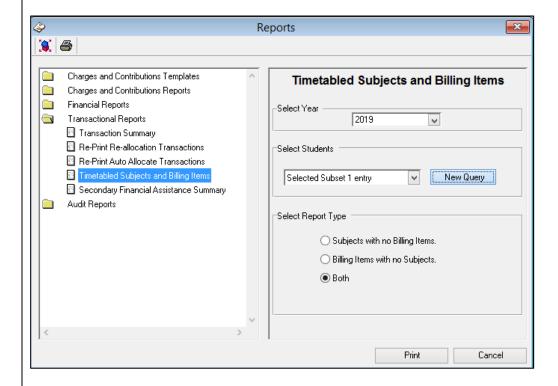
The Timetabler has changed Sean Guthrie's classes from Human Biology ATAR 11 to Modern History ATAR 11

Changes to Sean Guthrie's subject selection in Timetabling, has resulted in subjects Human Biology ATAR 11 with no billing items and billing items Modern History ATAR 11 with no subjects. We are able to generate a report which will identify such changes and assist in the management of student billing.

## RM Billing > Reports > Transactional Reports > Timetabled Subjects and Billing Items

Click on New Query





Click on Print

# West Coast District High School

# Subjects with no Billing Items Billing Items with no Subjects



Search Criteria Year: 2019

Selected Subset 1 entry

This report shows students who have \* no system-created subject billing items for the listed subjects

\* no subjects for the listed system-created subject billing items (this report does not include billing items which have been reversed, adjusted, discounted or written-off)

Ref	Date	Amt	GST	Paid	Balance	Bill Code	Comment
l	GUTHRIE: Sean		Year:	11	Form	:11.2	
58	ms with no Subjects 8 MAR 2019 with no Billing Items	50.00	0	0.00	50.00	CHG01	AEHBY - Human Biology ATAR 11 2019
11HR AEHIM	Home Room 11 Modern History A	TAR 11					

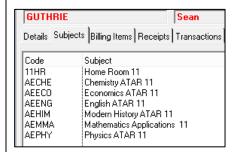
View and close the Report



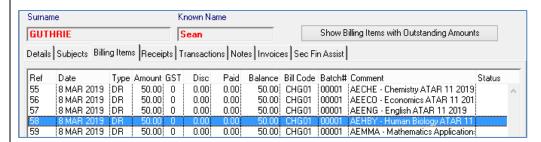
## **Activity: Reversing a Subject Billing Item**

#### RM Billing > Students

- Double click on Sean Guthrie
- Select the Subjects tab
- View the updated subjects



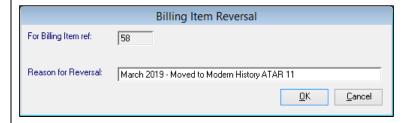
- Select the Billing Items tab
- Highlight the Human Biology ATAR 11 billing item



Click
 Reversal

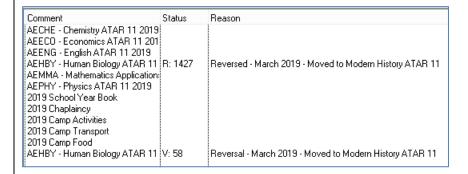


- Answer 'Yes' to the message
- Enter the Month, Year and Reason Moved to Modern History ATAR 11



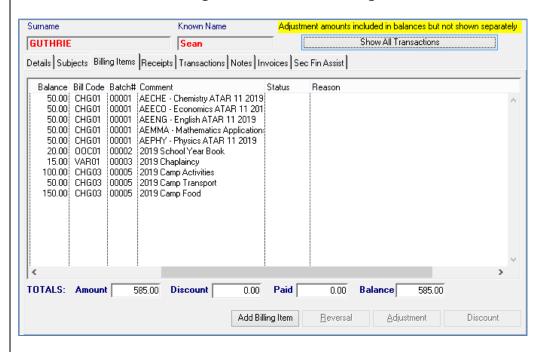
Click OK

### View the Reversed Billing Item



The student's Billing Items screen can be viewed showing only Billing Items with Outstanding Balances by clicking on Show Billing Items with Outstanding Amounts

• Click on the **Show Billing Items with Outstanding Amounts** button



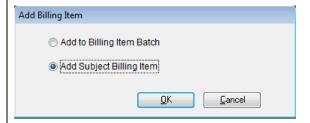
Note the reversed items have been hidden

## 8.2 Adding New Subject Billing Items

# **Activity: Adding a Subject Billing Item**

Add the subject billing item for Modern History to Sean Guthrie.

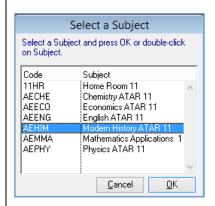
- Click Add Billing Item
- Choose Add Subject Billing Item and OK



• Click OK to Billing Year 2019



• Select Modern History ATAR 11 in the list of subjects for Sean Guthrie



Click **OK** and view the newly created subject billing item



Note: It is recommended the Timetabler has Course Change Recording activated for each student in the Timetabling module. This enables the course change history to be printed.

## 8.2.1 Printing an Updated Statement for the Student

# **Activity: Print Statement**

Print an updated statement for Sean Guthrie.

## **RM Billing > Students**

- Click Return to View
- Start typing Guthrie
- Highlight Sean Guthrie
- Click For Selected > Print Statement
- Click OK
- View and close the new statement

#### **IMPORTANT**

Billing Items do not change automatically and need to be reversed and/or adjusted as required.

## 8.2.2 Reversing Subject Billing Items which have been Receipted

At times a student may have already paid for a subject or the subject may have been paid for by a government subsidy. It may be necessary to reverse this billing item and create a new billing item for a new subject. In this instance the receipted amount will become unallocated credit and must be manually allocated to a new billing item.

# Activity: Print Timetabled and Subjects and Billing Items Report

David Maroney's Earth and Environmental Science subject has been paid by the EPA. He has now changed his subject selection from Earth and Environmental Science to Economics ATAR 11. We are able to produce the Timetabled Subjects and Billing Items Report to assist in updating his Billing Items

#### Reports > Transactional Reports > Timetabled Subjects and Billing Items

- Click New Query
- Type Maroney in the Surname/Ref No field
- Click Find and select David
- Click Print

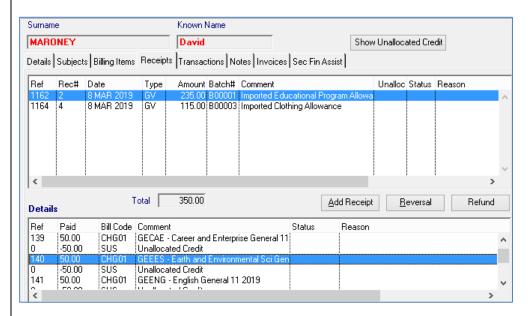
#### West Coast District High School Subjects with no Billing Items Billing Items with no Subjects Search Criteria Year: 2019 Selected Subset 1 entry This report shows students who have no system-created subject billing items for the listed subjects \* no subjects for the listed system-created subject billing items (this report does not include billing items which have been reversed, adjusted, discounted or written-off) Date Amt GST Paid Balance Bill Code Comment Student: MARONEY: David Year: 11 Form: 11.3 Billing Items with no Subjects 8 MAR 2019 50.00 50.00 0.00 CHG01 GEEES - Earth and Environmental Sci G... Subjects with no Billing Items 11HR Home Room 11 AEECO Economics ATAR 11

View and close the report

# **Activity: Reverse a Receipted Billing Item**

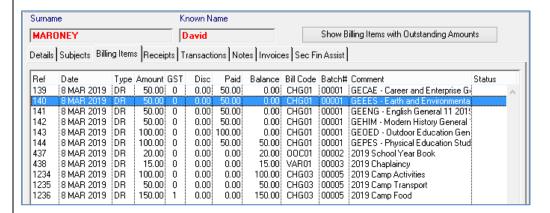
## RM Billing > Students

- Double click on David Maroney
- View the **Subjects** tab
- Select the Receipts tab
- Click on the receipt for the \$235 Imported Educational Program Allowance

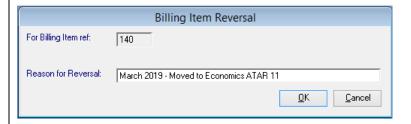


 View the details down the bottom of the screen showing that Earth and Environmental Science has been receipted

- Select the Billing Items tab
- Highlight the Earth and Environmental Science Billing Item



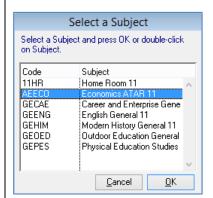
- Click Reversal > Yes
- Type the Month, Year and reason for Reversal



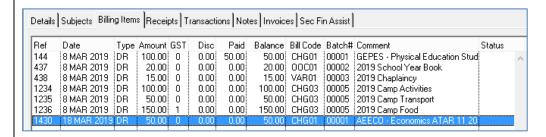
- Click OK
- View the unallocated credit of \$50.00



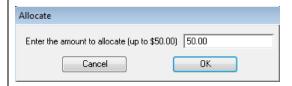
- Click Add Billing Item
- Select Add Subject Billing Item > OK
- Click OK to the Billing Year of 2019
- Select Economics ATAR 11 in the list of subjects



- Click OK
- Click on Show Billing Items with Outstanding Amounts



- Highlight the Economics ATAR 11 billing item
- Click Allocate
   Allocate
- Enter 50.00 in the amount to allocate and click OK



- Click on the Receipts Tab
- Highlight Imported EPA receipt and note that Economics has now been receipted

Note: Transactions which have been Reversed (R) or are the Reversal Transaction (V) cannot be reversed. Transactions which have been Adjusted (A) or are the Adjustment Transaction (T) cannot be reversed

## 8.3 Billing Item Adjustments

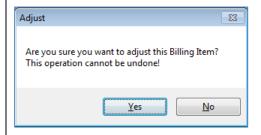
An adjustment can be used to reduce a billing item amount.

## **Activity: Adjust a Billing Item**

We have received notification that Julie Pilter will be providing her own transport to the camp (one way only). The school has agreed to charge only half the transport cost for the camp.

## RM Billing > Students

- Click into the red Surname Cell right click enter Pilter
- Select the Billing Items tab
- Highlight the Camp Transport billing item
- Click Adjustment



- Click Yes
- Enter half the amount (25.00) into the 'Adjust down by' field
- Enter the Month, Year and a Reason (e.g. Providing own transport one way)



- Click OK
- View the adjustment in the billing items list

CHG03   00005   2019 Camp Transport	A: 1431	Adjusted - March 2019 - Providing own transport one way
CHG03   00005   2019 Camp Food		
CHG02 00006 2019 Museum of WA Excursion -	ı	
CHG03 00005 2019 Camp Transport	T: 1307	Adjustment - March 2019 - Providing own transport one way
	<u>:                                    </u>	i .

Note: An alternative way to achieve the above would be to apply a 50% discount to the Camp Transport billing item.

## 9 Receipt Corrections

The table below outlines the different correction options which are available for receipts.

Receipt Corrections					
Refund	Used to refund amounts that have already been paid.  • Used when money needs to be returned (refunded) to the parent.  The associated billing items will be adjusted automatically so that the parent no longer owes the money.	1	This will create an opposite (reversal) transaction thereby 'cancelling out' the receipt  Used to correct an error Used for cheques that are not cleared Used for EFTPOS payments that have failed  (Note that Billing item balances will		
	_		(Note that Billing item balances will be reinstated.)		

## 9.1 Receipt Reversals

A receipt can be reversed for a number of reasons. If the original batch the receipt was processed into has been closed, then an alternative batch must be created to either hold the receipt or pass the receipt through to another record. If a receipt is to be refunded and the original batch has been closed, then a Refunds batch must be created to hold the reversed receipt.

#### 9.1.1 Corrections Batch

A Corrections batch would be created if the original batch the receipt was processed into has been closed and a receipt reversal is to be performed. This could be because of user error resulting in a receipt having to be reversed or perhaps a cheque has been dishonoured by the bank, or a receipt has been applied against a wrong student record and therefore must be reversed and applied to the correct student.

## **IMPORTANT**

A Receipt reversal will be posted into the same receipts batch as the original receipt, providing that receipts batch is still open. However, if the original batch has been closed, you will be asked to select an alternative batch. The Corrections batch should be selected.

## 10 Refunds

## 10.1 Refund Batches

A Refunds batch would be created if money which has been paid, needs to be returned (refunded) to a parent/guardian. Refund batches must be identified according to the type of refund eg: EFT, System Generated Cheques or Manual written cheques. If processing EFT refunds, the batch would be named Refunds – EFT dd/mm/yy etc.

Unlike a General Banking batch or an EFT batch which may stay open until the banking is ready to be finalised, both the Corrections and Refunds batches are closed as soon as the Correction or Refunds have been completed.

## **Non Exporting Schools**

Schools which are not exporting to RM Finance may write manual cheques or produce system generated cheques which can be created when the expenditure transaction is entered into RM Finance.

#### **Exporting Schools**

Schools which are exporting to RM Finance have the option of refunding through a Manual Cheque, a System Generated Cheque or through EFT. This functionality is only available for Students at this time and not for Customer refunds. Customer refunds must be made through a manual written cheque.



# **Activity: Create Refund Batches**

West Coast Theatre has paid for the Hire of the Hall for weeks 1-5 of Term1. They have informed us that they will not be using the hall over this period and have requested a full refund. The school has agreed to this refund and will issue a manual cheque with chq number 123568.

Paul Hogan has been banned from attending the Year 11 Camp due to bad behaviour. The school has agreed to refund the money to Mrs. Hogan and will issue her with a system-generated cheque.

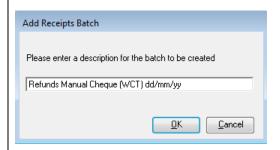
Simon Rumble's father has contacted the school to inform them that Simon is ill and cannot attend the camp. He has already paid in full and has asked for a full refund to be deposited into his bank account.

Create the following three receipts batches using today's date.

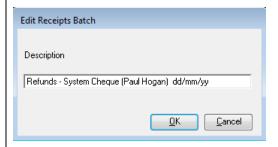
- Create 3 Refunds batches for the following:
  - Manual Cheque (WCT) dd/mm/yy
  - System Cheque (Paul Hogan) dd/mm/yy
  - EFT (Simon Rumble) dd/mm/yy

## RM Billing > Receipts

Add Item



- Click OK
- Add Item



• Click **OK** 

 Add Item Add Receipts Batch Please enter a description for the batch to be created Refunds - EFT (Simon Rumble) dd/mm/yy

Click OK

The batch numbers should be recorded on the Finance Batch Register

# **Activity: Create a Corrections Batch**

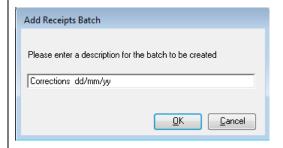
A payment of \$300.00 for Year 11 Camp was incorrectly processed against the billing items for Renee Dexter. The receipt should have been processed against Caitlin Davies. The receipt will be reversed from Renee Dexter's record and re-entered for Caitlin Davies. As the original batch is now closed, a Corrections batch must be opened to process the receipt from Renee Dexter to Caitlin Davies.

## RM Billing > Receipts

Add Item



Type Corrections and Today's date



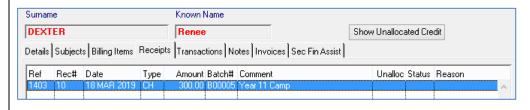
- Click OK
- Close the Receipts window

# **Activity: Reverse a Receipt**

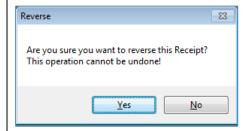
A payment of \$300.00 for Year 11 Camp was incorrectly processed against the billing items for Renee Dexter. The receipt should have been processed against Caitlin Davies. The receipt will be reversed from Renee Dexter's record and re-entered for Caitlin Davies.

#### RM Billing > Students

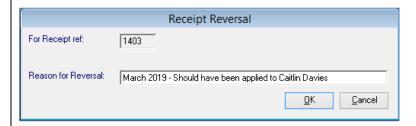
- Double-click on Renee Dexter
- Select the Receipts tab
- Highlight the \$300 receipt for the camp



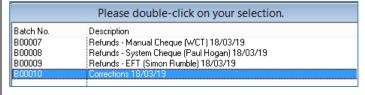
Click
 Reversal



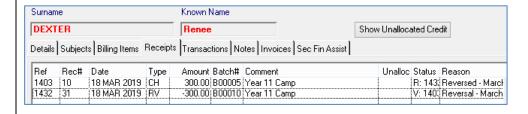
- Click Yes
- Enter a Month, Year and Reason for the reversal (e.g. Error should have been applied to Caitlin Davies)



- Click OK
- Select the Corrections batch and Click OK

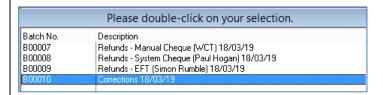


View the reversal transaction

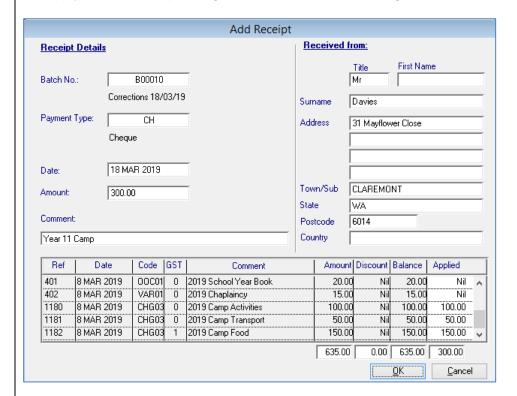


## **Apply the Receipt to Caitlin Davies**

- Load Caitlin Davies' records (Hint, right click in Surname field)
- Select the Receipts Tab
- Click on Add Receipt
- Press <Tab> Select the Corrections Batch and OK



Continue entering the receipt for Caitlin Davies as per the screen shot below ensuring you
apply it to the Camp Billing Items and NOT other charges.



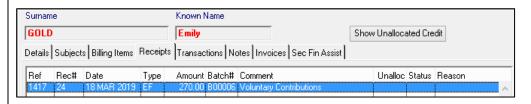
- Check that the final balance equals \$300
- Click on OK

# **Activity: Reversing an EFTPOS Receipt**

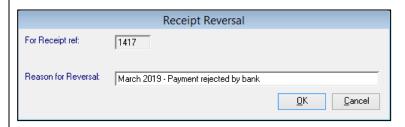
An EFTPOS payment for Emily Gold has been rejected by the bank. As the EFT batch where the original transaction was processed has been closed, the Receipt will need to be reversed into the Corrections Batch

## RM Billing > Students

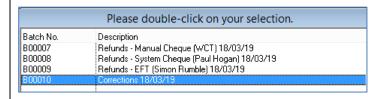
- Open Emily Gold's record (Hint: Right click and type Gold)
- Go to the Receipts Tab
- Highlight the Receipt for Voluntary Contributions



- Click <u>Reversal</u>
- Click Yes to the message
- Type the Month, Year and a Reason



- Click OK
- Select the Corrections Batch



- Click OK
- View the Reversed Receipt



# **Activity: Refund Manual Cheque**

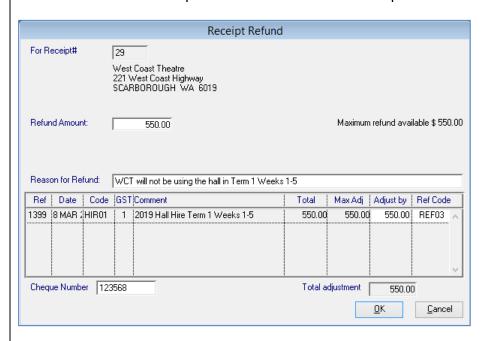
West Coast Theatre has paid for the Hire of the Hall for weeks 1-5 of Term1. They have informed us that they will not be using the hall over this period and have requested a full refund. The school has agreed to this refund and will issue a manual cheque with chq number 123568.

## RM Billing > Customers

- Double-click on the West Coast Theatre Customer record
- Select the Receipts tab
- Highlight the receipt for 550 to be refunded

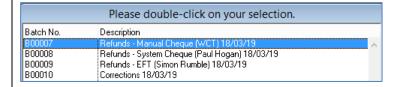


- Click Refund
- Enter the refund amount of 550
- Enter the reason for the refund
- Enter the **amount** of the refund in the 'Adjust by' column
- Select the correct refund billing code for Facilities Hire (press <Tab> in the 'Ref Code' field for a list)
- Enter the manual cheque number 123568 in the 'Cheque Number' field



Click OK

Select the Refunds – Manual cheque batch



• Click OK



- View the reversed transaction
- Close the window

Note: Customers can only be refunded through manual cheques if exporting or manual or system cheques if not exporting.

Note: The Customer Refund screen does not have the facility to enter a name in the 'Refunded To' section. The refund will automatically be recorded against the customer name which cannot change (whereas the fees biller for a student can).

# Activity: Refund - System Cheque

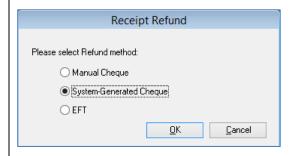
Paul Hogan has been banned from attending the Year 11 Camp due to bad behaviour. The school has agreed to refund the money to Mrs. Hogan and will issue her with a system-generated cheque.

## RM Billing > Students

- Load Paul Hogan's records
- Go to the Receipts tab
- · Highlight the receipt for the Camp



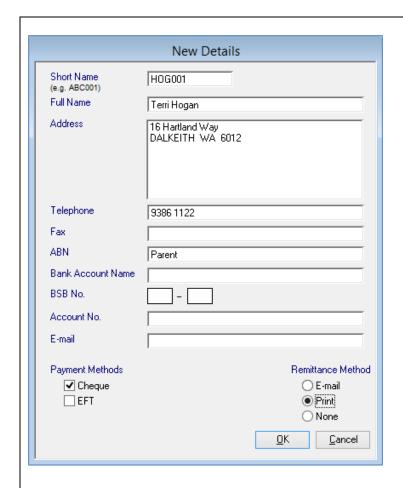
- Click Refund
- Select System-Generated Cheque



- Click OK
- Enter the Refund Amount: of 300.00



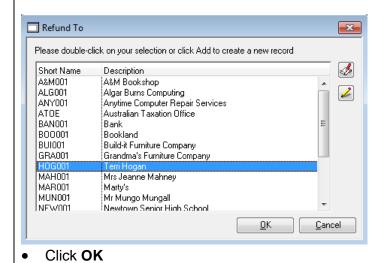
- <tab> twice
- Mrs Hogan is not in the list of suppliers
- Click
- Enter the following



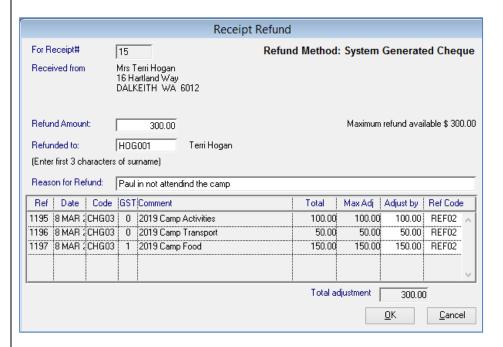
• Click OK



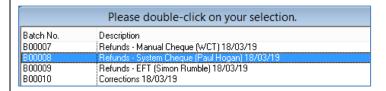
• Click OK



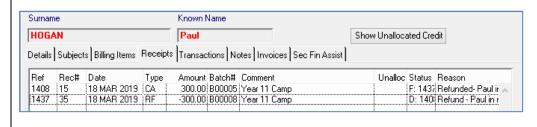
- Enter a Reason for Refund: Paul is not attending camp
- Enter the Amount of the refund for each billing item in the 'Adjust by' column



- Click OK
- Select Refund System Generated Cheque



- Click OK
- View the Refund details

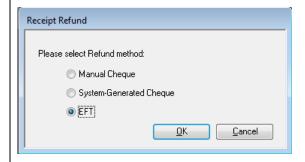


# **Activity: Refund - EFT**

Simon Rumble's father has contacted the school to inform them that Simon is ill and cannot attend the camp. He has already paid in full and has asked for a full refund to be deposited into his bank account.

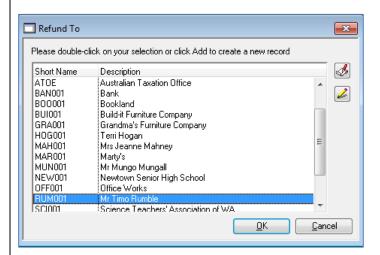
## RM Billing > Students

- Right Click in the Surname field and enter Rumble
- Select the Receipts tab
- Highlight the receipt for the camp
- Click Refund



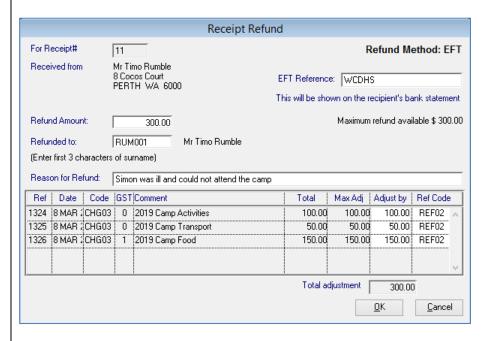
- Select EFT
- Click OK
- Enter the refund amount of 300.00
- <Tab> twice for a list of suppliers

(Note: Full or partial refunds can be entered)

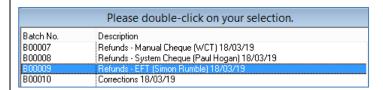


- Select Mr. Timo Rumble from the Refund To list
- Click OK

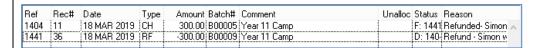
- Enter the reason for the refund
- Enter the EFT Reference (this is the initials of your school)
- Enter the Amount of the refund for each billing item in the 'Adjust by' column
- Select the correct Refund Billing Code for Charges (press <Tab> in the 'Ref Code' field for a list)



- Click OK
- Select the Refunds EFT batch



- Click OK
- View the Refund details



Close the student window

## 11 Unallocated Credit

If money has been receipted against a billing item and the billing item is reversed or adjusted, the money assigned to these items will become unallocated credit.

If money is receipted before any billing items have been created then this money will be unallocated credit.

Unallocated credit can either be refunded or can be used to pay for other billing items for the student in accordance with the parent's instructions.

# **Activity: Review Unallocated Credit**

Rhys Fitton has unallocated credit due to an overpayment made earlier. This amount currently appears on the Unallocated Credit Report. We have been advised that the payment relates to the Year 11 Camp which Rhys will be attending. If the original batch the receipt was processed into was still open, RM Billing would automatically reflect these changes in the batch. However the batch is closed, in which case users must print and post the Reallocation Report and enter these changes into RM Finance. (We will not being this in training)

## RM Billing > Reports > Financial Reports

- Select the Unallocated Credit Listing Report
- Sort by Form
- Click Print

# West Coast District High School Unallocated Credit Listing as at 18/03/19 Students



Student Name	Year	Form	Balance	Unpaid Billing Items	GV	Unallocated Credit Other Receipts	t Total
FITTON: Rhys	10	10.3	-\$300.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$300.00	\$300.00
KRAFT: Chelsea	11	11.1	\$635.00	\$647.50	\$0.00	\$12.50	\$12.50
MOOR: Khalid	11	11.1	\$635.00	\$647.50	\$0.00	\$12.50	\$12.50
RAMSAY: Cory	11	11.1	\$615.00	\$627.50	\$0.00	\$12.50	\$12.50
UIFELEAN: Bradley	11	11.1	\$635.00	\$647.50	\$0.00	\$12.50	\$12.50
Total Unallocated Credit for All Students				_	\$0.00	\$350.00	\$350.00

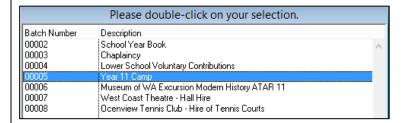
## Add the Billing Items and Apply the Unallocated Credit

## RM Billing > Students

- Open the record for Rhys Fitton
- Click on the Billing Items tab
- Click on Add Billing Item
- Select to Add to Billing Item Batch



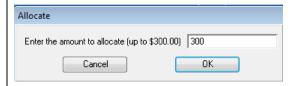
- Click **OK** to **2019**
- Select the Year 11 Camp



- Click **OK**
- Highlight the three 2019 Camp billing items



- Click Allocate
- Allocate the \$300 against the Camp billing items



Click OK

Note: Reallocations processed for receipts in a batch that is open will automatically be reflected in that batch. If the reallocation of a receipt occurs and the batch is closed, then the Reallocation Report must be printed and posted. The reallocation transactions must be entered into RM Finance.



# **Activity: Auto allocate**

Prior to the creation of a billing item for the Museum of WA Excursion, we had receipted payments from a number of students who had already received a **Friends of the Museum discount**. These payments were processed as unallocated credit. Now the Billing Item for the Museum has been created, it can be applied to the students who had paid in advance.

The unallocated credit of \$12.50 can then be allocated using the auto allocate function within the billing item batch.

## West Coast District High School

Unallocated Credit Listing as at 18/03/19
Students



Student Name	Year	Form	Balance	Unpaid Billing Items	GV	Unallocated Credit Other Receipts	Total
KRAFT: Chelsea	11	11.1	\$635.00	\$647.50	\$0.00	\$12.50	\$12.50
MOOR: Khalid	11	11.1	\$635.00	\$647.50	\$0.00	\$12.50	\$12.50
RAMSAY: Cory	11	11.1	\$615.00	\$627.50	\$0.00	\$12.50	\$12.50
UIFELEAN: Bradley	11	11.1	\$635.00	\$647.50	\$0.00	\$12.50	\$12.50
Total Unallocated Credit for All Students				_	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$50.00

<sup>\*</sup> Indicates all/some unallocated credit belongs to Government Subsidy receipts

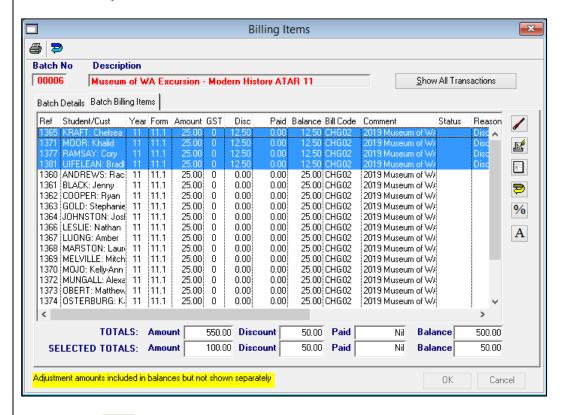
# **Activity: Auto Allocate Unallocated Credit**

## RM Billing > Billing Items

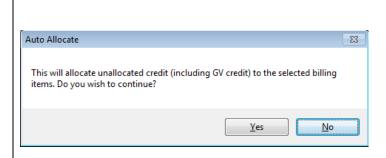
- Double click on the Museum of WA Excursion billing item batch
- Click on the Billing Batch Items tab
- Click on Show Outstanding Amounts (this ensures that the balances owing on the billing items after adjustments, if any are displayed)
- Click on the Balance Header to sort by outstanding balance and highlight the students with an outstanding balance of \$12.50

The following students should be highlighted

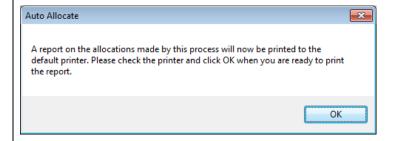
- Chelsea Kraft
- Khalid Moor
- Cory Ramsay
- Bradley Uifelean



Click on Auto allocate credit to the selected billing items



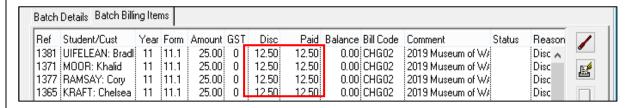
Click Yes



Click **OK** and **OK** if the report has printed correctly

Note: This report prints directly to the printer. It can be reprinted from Reports > Transactional Reports

The Unallocated credit has now been applied.



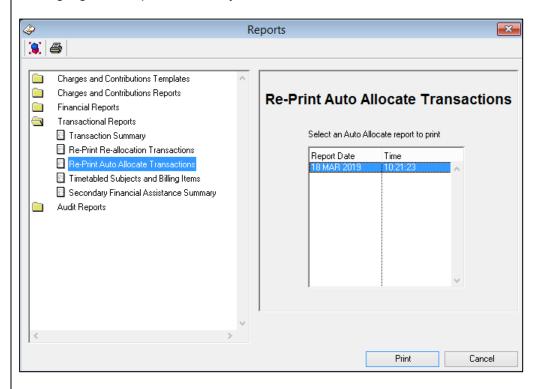
Close the Billing Items screen

# **Activity: View the Auto Allocate Report**

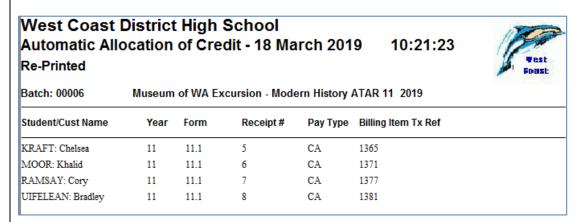
## Reports >Transactional Reports

The Auto Allocate Report can be re-printed from the Reports screen

- Open the Transactional Reports folder
- Highlight the Re-Print Auto Allocate Transactions
- Highlight the report with today's date



Click Print and OK to send the report to the screen



View and close the report

Warning: The previous activity demonstrates a simple application of unallocated credit. Schools must apply unallocated credit in accordance with the receipting business rules. This process should only be undertaken by staff after completion of the RM Billing Stage 2 Training Course or with the guidance of your Senior Finance Consultant.



# 12 Follow-up of Unpaid Debts

There are a number of reports within the system which can be used to assist with the follow up of unpaid debts.

## 12.1 Printing Outstanding Items from the Billing Items batch

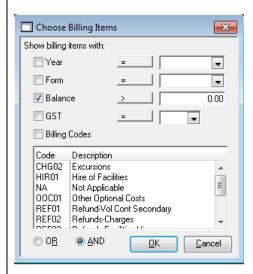
Outstanding billing items can also be identified by looking at the billing items batch.

# **Activity: Print a Report for Outstanding Billing Items**

Print a list of outstanding billing items for the Year 11 School Year Book batch.

## RM Billing > Billing Items

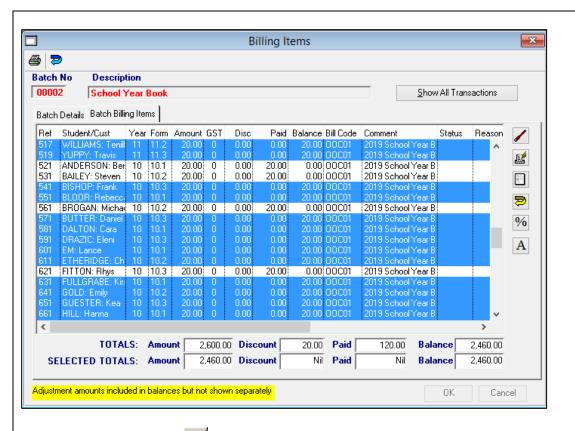
- Double-click on the School Year Book batch
- Click on the Batch Billing Items tab
- Click **Show Outstanding Amounts** Show Outstanding Amounts (this ensures that the balances owing on the billing items after adjustments, if any are displayed)
- Click Filter the Billing Items against a search criteria
- Place a tick in the Balance box
- Select Balance > 0.00



Click OK

All items with a Balance > \$0 will be highlighted

Click on the Student/Cust column header to sort alphabetically



- Click Print Selected

  ### Print Selected ### | Print Selected ### | Print Selected | P
- View and close the report
- Close the Billing Items window

Note: This report will always list the individual billing items whereas the previous report (Transaction Summary report) allows the overall totals per student to be displayed.

## 13 Statements

## 13.1 Producing Statements for Students

In RM Billing an individual statement can be produced for each student. Student statements can be accessed from two places:

- Students > For Selected > Print Statement
- Reports > Financial Reports > Statement Students

## 13.1.1 Printing a Statement from the Student List

# **Activity: Print a Statement**

Print a statement for Sean Guthrie.

### RM Billing > Students

- Highlight Sean Guthrie
- Click For Selected > Print Statement



- The 'From' date will default to the first day of the current month. All transactions from this
  date onwards will be listed on the statement. Any transactions dated prior to this date will be
  summarised in an 'opening balance' figure. If this is the first statement you are sending to the
  parent/guardian then it is advisable to enter an earlier date so that all transactions for the
  current year are listed
- The 'To' date will appear blank but will default to today's date if left blank. Otherwise an end date may be entered. Transactions dated after the 'To' date will not be included on the statement
- The default message that you entered in the Billing Parameters section will be displayed.
   This can be edited at this point if required but the changes will be used for this statement run only and will not be saved down
- Accept the default entries for the training course and click on OK
- View and close the statement
- Close the Students window



Note: A summary table will be printed at the bottom of the student statement. This will categorise ALL amounts outstanding, (regardless of the dates you may have entered for the date range), by billing year and category. This method can also be used to print statements for multiple students. Students can be selected by using the find tool or by sorting on column heading and then highlighting the required students.

## 13.1.2 Print Statements for Outstanding Debtors

Statements can be produced only for those students with outstanding debt.

# **Activity: Print Statement for Outstanding Debtors**

Produce Student Statements in alphabetical order.

## RM Billing > Students

- Click on the Balance heading twice to bring those students with outstanding balances to the top of the list
- Highlight the students with a balance > 0
- Click on Hide unselected
- Click on the Name header to sort the student into alphabetical order
- Highlight all the students (Ctrl A)
- Click For Selected > Print Statement
- Enter From date 1 JAN 2019 and click OK
- View and close the statements
- Close the Students window



## 13.2 Customer Statements

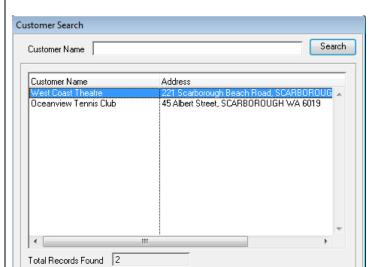
Statements for customers can be printed from the Reports section as follows.

# **Activity: Print a Customer Statement**

Print a statement for West Coast Theatre.

## RM Billing > Reports

- Open the Financial Reports folder
- Select the **Statement Customers** report
- The date range and the message operate as outlined in the student statement
- Click Find Customer



Note: The customer can be searched for using the customer name field and the search button.

Close

Select

- Select West Coast Theatre
- Accept the default settings for the training course
- Click Print
- View and close the Statement
- Close the Reports window

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# 14 Support (Transactional)

Should you require any transactional support, please contact Financial Operations Support at

Contact details below:

## **Email (BSC)**

Financialservices.support@education.wa.edu.au

# 15 Support (Systems)

Should you require any systems support, please contact the Customer Service Centre (CSC) at the Department of Education

Contact details below:

## Phone (CSC)

Metro: 9264 5555 Country: 1800 012 828

Please be prepared to supply your ID number, contact details and a brief description of the problem

# FAX (CSC)

9264 4701

Please include your ID number, contact details and a brief description of the problem

# Email (CSC)

customer.service.centre@det.wa.edu.au

Please include your ID number, contact details and a brief description of the problem

# 16 Online Manuals and Training Notes

## 16.1 Civica Education

Online manuals and training notes are available to download in PDF format from the Civica Education website.

## http://www.civicaeducation.com.au/

Select Integris Support.

Log in to Western Australian SIS Schools.

Username: school

Password: *help* 

## 16.2 STIMS Project

The Department's Student Information Management Project (STIMS) website has numerous factsheets and support documents for all SIS Administration modules.

## http://www.det.wa.edu.au/intranet/stims

Links to the Integris Manuals are also available from the STIMS website or by going to Help within Integris.

## 17 Finance Web

#### http://det.wa.edu.au/finance/detcms/portal/

Log on to the DET Portal to access the latest factsheets

RM Billing - Quick Reference Guide and FAQ

RM Billing - Procedures for RM Billing Receipts Batches

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## **DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

## **BATCH REGISTER**

For the month of Period **BANK RELATED TRANSACTIONS Reference No** Adjustments/Reversals \*\* Type of Date/D Bank Income **Expend Accruals** Batch\* Credit Internal **BA/Vire Proc** Payments (ESP) [C] Cheque **Batch No** A/C Receipts (Manual ate **Expend** Income Charge\*\* Notes **Totals** From To By **Export** 1, 2, 3 (INC) Only) [E] EFT (I/C) (ESC) [B] BPay

<sup>\*</sup>Reversals and internal charges are not batched but must be recorded. Billing batches are prefaced with a 'B'. Accruals are entered if manually processed.