

Johor Bahru family budget

One-page planning sheet | family of four | one international-school place | Malaysia

PRICES CHECKED 12 SEPTEMBER 2026

CAREFUL SCHOOL-FIRST

MYR 9,000

GBP 1,649 USD 2,233 EUR 1,926
AUD 3,118 CAD 3,101

COMFORTABLE

MYR 15,000

GBP 2,749 USD 3,722 EUR 3,210
AUD 5,197 CAD 5,168

PREMIUM + FLEXIBLE

MYR 27,000

GBP 4,948 USD 6,699 EUR 5,777
AUD 9,354 CAD 9,302

Your monthly family budget

Research in local currency first; conversions are planning estimates

Budget line	Worked MYR	Your monthly quote	Source / date
Rent	3,500	_____	_____
School fund	4,000	_____	_____
Groceries	1,800	_____	_____
Utilities + internet	600	_____	_____
Transport	1,300	_____	_____
Health + insurance	800	_____	_____
Help / childcare	700	_____	_____
Activities + travel	2,300	_____	_____
MONTHLY TOTAL		_____	Keep annual school bills on the cash-flow calendar

First-year setup - keep this outside the monthly total

Rental MYR 10k-30k | School MYR 5k-70k+ | Arrival + transport MYR 8k-80k+

MY SETUP FUND: _____

MOVE-DATE RATE: _____

Before a material payment

- ☐ Confirm the provider, price and refund terms
- ☐ Keep the invoice in its contract currency
- ☐ Test school, home and weekday journey together
- ☐ Recheck insurance, visa and emergency access

Emergency contingency

MYR 45,000 plus international flights

Hold this outside deposits and prepaid tuition. Add return flights and family-specific medical or visa risk.