



CHARGING AND REMISSIONS POLICY

Occasionally activities are arranged which by their very nature extend the curriculum experience and incur additional costs. The feasibility of any such activity in terms of finance and all other logistics must always be decided within the resources available to the School. That is to say that they must not be dependent on monies raised through parental contribution.

Where it is felt appropriate, voluntary contributions will be requested from parents/carers especially where the activity is particularly costly yet valuable to the students. This in no way sets a requirement of inclusion but merely invites parents/carers to contribute to the enhancement of their child's education. The level of voluntary contributions requested will be dependent upon the activity in question and no student will be excluded from any activity because of their parents/carer's inability or unwillingness to pay.

There are facilities on site that are available for general community use. There will be a scale of charges for the use of such facilities decided upon by the Governing Body. The charges will cover all the costs incurred in the hire of the facility and must be self-financing as the School's Budget Share cannot be used to underwrite any community use.

If at any time increased requests are received from the community for the use of School facilities then the Governing Body will commission a working group to present proposals for set charges.

This Policy will be reviewed on an annual basis during the Autumn Term.