



St Mary's Catholic Primary School

Charging and Remissions Policy

1 Books and Equipment

- All equipment such as pens, pencils, calculators will be provided.
- Books and stationery are provided to all children.

2 Charging For Materials

Parents / Carers may sometimes be asked to provide a contribution towards materials required on practical courses for example food technology or art if they wish their children to own the finished product they may be charged for the materials used.

3 Activities Within the School Day

Any payment from parents for these activities is voluntary but if parents are unable or unwilling to contribute, it may be that the activity will not be able to take place. Pupils will never be treated differently whether or not their parents have made any such payments.

4 Activities Outside the School Day

For these activities payment is required for pupils to take part.

5 Residential Visits

Payment will be required in respect of residential visits taking place mainly outside school time. The Governors would not wish children to be unable to take part in a residential trip on financial grounds if at all possible and every effort is always made to apply/advise on other funding streams or create manageable payment plans.

6 Music Tuition

The Headteacher is authorised to charge for music tuition outside normal classroom activities, when permitted.

7 Loss and Damage to School Property

Parents of a pupil who damages or loses any item of school property or equipment, including, for example, books, equipment, windows or computer software, are liable for the cost of repair or replacement. This is at the discretion of the Governors.