

# The Peterborough School Fees

**1 September 2024 – 31 August 2025**

**Registration Fee:** £100.00 (non-refundable).

**Confirmation of Entry Deposit:** £400.00 per pupil (entry deposits are set against the final account when the pupil has left the school; see notes).

**Fees:** Please note that this fee comprises tuition fees and compulsory lunch/refreshment charges.

|                           | YEAR GROUP  | FEES PER TERM<br>£ <sup>1</sup> | FEES ANNUALLY<br>£ |
|---------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Preparatory School</b> | Reception   | £4,300                          | £12,900            |
|                           | Infants     | £4,663                          | £13,990            |
|                           | Years 3-6   | £5,663                          | £16,990            |
| <b>Senior School</b>      | Years 7-9   | £6,833                          | £20,500            |
|                           | Years 10-13 | £6,933                          | £20,800            |

| Extras  | Per Term<br>£                    |
|---|----------------------------------|
| <b>Trips and Visits</b>   | Charged by the visit             |
| <b>Private Medical Insurance<sup>2</sup></b>                                      | Currently 150.00                 |
| <b>Before &amp; After School Care</b> (per 15 minutes or part thereof)            | 2.70                             |
| <b>Public Examination Fees</b>  | As charged by the examining body |
| <b>Counselling</b> (initial session free, then chargeable per 40 minutes session) | 50.00                            |
| <b>Learning Support (including English as an additional language)</b>             |                                  |
| Individual (per hour) <sup>3</sup>  | 41.40                            |
| Group (per hour) <sup>4</sup>   | 21.00                            |
| GCSE exam assessment  | 148.00                           |
| <b>Speech and Drama</b>   |                                  |
| Reception / Infants (10 sessions @ 15 minutes)                                    | 100.00                           |
| Preparatory (10 sessions @ 30 minutes)  | 200.00                           |
| Senior School (10 sessions @ 30 minutes)  | 250.00                           |
| <b>Music (per instrument / singing)</b>   |                                  |
| Preparatory Tasters (5 sessions @ 20 minutes)                                     | 82.00                            |
| Individual lessons (10 sessions @ 30 minutes)                                     | 311.00                           |
| Individual lessons (10 sessions @ 45 minutes)                                     | 436.00                           |
| Individual lessons (10 sessions @ 60 minutes)                                     | 580.00                           |
| Group Aural Lessons (3 sessions @ 30 minutes)                                     | 42.00                            |
| Individual Aural Lessons Grades 6-8 (3 sessions @ 30 minutes)                     | 85.00                            |
| Hire of Instrument  | 90.00                            |
| <b>Ballet</b>   | 121.50                           |

<sup>1</sup> To the nearest £1

<sup>2</sup> Cost per term. Scheme is provided by, and subject to price variations by, AXA PPP.

<sup>3</sup> By the Individual Learning Support Team invitation only.

<sup>4</sup> As foot note 2.

## **Laptop Purchase Scheme**

The Laptop Purchase Scheme (compulsory for Year 7 and Year 4) is c.£85 a term for a 3-year period. Please note that the exact specification and monthly cost will be notified prior to the start of the academic year.

## **Pupils supported by the Head of Individual Learning**

Some pupils will benefit from specialist help outside the curriculum with one to one lessons and shared and small group lessons in literacy and maths and assistance with study skills across all subjects. Additionally, some pupils require assessment for GCSE suitability. Charges may have to be applied for some or all of the above.

## **Insurance**

There is also a fees refund scheme to cover absence from school due to sickness<sup>5</sup>. AXA Healthcare medical cover is also available. Details can be obtained from the School Accountant.

## **Fees** (Refer to Parent Contract)

- Fees are due in full on or before the first day of term.
- If payment is not received by the due date we may charge interest on the overdue amount at a rate of 4% above the base rate of the School bank.
- Legal costs incurred in the recovery of fees will be added to accounts.
- The recognised method of recovery of fees is through a free monthly direct debit scheme administered for the School through a provider. For direct debit customers the termly invoice is for information only. Alternatively, fees should be paid via the school's bank account. Please contact the School Accountant.
- The Governors will endeavour to give at least one term's notice of a rise in fees. They reserve a right however, to impose a surcharge at any time in the event of a sudden and unpredictable rise in school running costs.
- The Governors may request the withdrawal of a pupil if fees invoices are not paid on time.
- A half term's notice, to take effect at the end of a term, is required in writing to discontinue any optional extras under contract.
- It is expected that optional trips, clubs, and social events will be paid in full through Parentmail.
- Childcare vouchers will be accepted to credit fee accounts for early years' children and any other eligible charges.
- A charge of £20 will be added to accounts for any cheque returned to drawer.
- £80 of the entry deposit will be allocated to the Westwoodians Alumni funds, which can be re-credited to a parent on request when a pupil leaves the School.

## **Leaving**

It is a condition of entry to the School that a full term's notice, or a term's fees in lieu of notice, must be given by parents or guardians before a pupil is withdrawn for whatever reason or rescind the acceptance of a place offered to a pupil. This notice must be received by the Headmaster in writing, on or before the first day of term.

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<sup>5</sup> Charged at 1.34% of a term's fees (subject to price variations imposed by the provider).