

# FEES & CHARGES

## January 2021-August 2021

		£ per term
<b>SENIOR SCHOOL</b> (Years 9-13)	Boarders	12,391
	Day	9,093
<b>PREP SCHOOL</b> (Years 3-8)	Boarders (Years 3-8)	8,708
	Day (Years 5-8)	6,503
	Day (Year 4)	4,845
	Day (Year 3)	4,498
<b>PRE PREP SCHOOL</b> (Reception–Year 2)	Day (8.00am to 3.30pm)	2,675

<b>ADDITIONAL PRE PREP CHARGES</b> (Reception-Year 2)	£ per session per term
After School Club (3.30pm-5.00pm)	99
Supper Club (5-6pm) (includes supper)	84
NB: For emergency/last minute bookings, an additional £3 will be added to cost of the session.	

<b>NURSERY</b> (Age 2-4 years old)	£ per session per term	
Early Birds Club (8.00am to 8.45am)	57.50	This is a pre-school club and not eligible for Dorset Sure Start Funding.
Morning Session (8.45am to 11.45am)	209	Or 3 hours fully funded by Dorset Sure Start.
Lunch (11.45am to 1.00pm)	84	Price includes a two-course hot meal. This is not eligible for Dorset Sure Start Funding.
Afternoon Session (1.00pm to 4.00pm)	209	Or 3 hours fully funded by Dorset Sure Start.
After School Club (4.00pm to 5.00pm)	57.50	This is not eligible for Dorset Sure Start Funding.
Supper Club (5.00pm to 6.00pm)	84	Price includes a two-course hot meal. This is not eligible for Dorset Sure Start Funding.
<b><i>A late collection fee of £10 will be charged for every 15 minutes beyond the end of the booked session that a child remains uncollected in the Nursery. This is to support the costs of maintaining the correct staff ratios.</i></b>		

## REGISTRATION FEES AND DEPOSITS

		Nursery	Pre Prep/Prep	Senior
		£	£	£
Registration fee	UK pupils	50	100	100
	Overseas pupils	N/A	150	150
Deposit	UK pupils	100	350	700
	Overseas pupils	N/A	700	1,000

A registration fee is to accompany a registration form.

A deposit is payable before entry to confirm acceptance of the offer of a place. Deposits will be offset against the final term's account. When transferring from Nursery to Prep or Prep to Senior, only the balance between the deposit paid at the lower school and the deposit due at the next stage of schooling is payable, although the full amount is forfeited if your child does not then take up this a place.

### ADDITIONAL CHARGES

Guidance on additional charges and extras is shown below.

#### Music Lessons

Senior School	£28.50 per lesson
Prep School	£23.50 per lesson
Pre-Prep School	£18.00 per lesson
Instrument Hire	£31.00 per term per instrument ( <i>including insurance cover</i> )

#### Learning Support Lesson Charges

Pupils are assessed by the Teaching and Learning Centre (TLC) and a termly fee agreed with parents, depending on each individual pupil's needs. Once agreed with parents, a term's charge will be applied in advance. The following bands apply:

	Prep School (Years 3-8)	Senior School (Years 9-11)
	£	£
Band 1	715	740
Band 2	1,035	1,075
Band 3	1,435	1,550
Band 4	2,060	2,220

Where applicable, additional charges for reading and scribing for external examinations are £35 per hour. Speech and Language Therapy lessons are available at £50 per lesson.

### **Senior School Additional Tutoring Years 12 & 13 (including TLC charges)**

1 pupil	£37.00 per lesson
2 pupils	£19.00 each per lesson
3 pupils	£16.00 each per lesson
4 or more pupils	£13.00 each per lesson

### **English as an Additional Language Charges**

Pupils will be placed on either a Standard Band or an Accelerated Band depending on their individual needs. The band is determined by their language ability, how long they will be with us and the exam for which they are studying.

	Senior School	Prep School
Standard Band	£740 per term	£715 per term
Accelerated Band	£1,460 per term	£1,430 per term

### **Speech and Drama (LAMDA) Lessons**

Senior School	Individual lessons £32 per lesson
	Paired lessons £16 each per lesson
Prep School	Individual lessons £26.50 per lesson
	Paired lessons (Years 5-8) £13.25 each per lesson
	Group lessons (Years 3 & 4) £7 each per lesson

### **Occasional Boarding**

Day pupils in Senior may stay for an occasional night, subject to availability of beds, at a charge of £47.50 a night.

Please be aware that at Prep School where we offer part-time boarding, in order to avoid undue disruption, pupils wanting to board occasionally are required to book 2 or 3 nights a week for the whole term, and these must be the same nights each week. Only in exceptional circumstances are truly “occasional” nights permitted. This is at a rate of £47.50 a night.

### **External or Additional Sports and Activities**

Both the Senior School and the Prep School arrange a wide variety of activities, such as the Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme, horse riding, certain specialist individual coaching, life-saving, squash and sailing. Parents are always consulted before such activities are booked and costs advised at that time. For those pupils participating in the CCF there is a standard subscription of £10 per term. Significant amounts of expensive equipment are issued to pupils and this will be charged for if lost or not returned to the CCF Stores. Appropriate private insurance to cover such risk is strongly advised.

### **Taxis and Rail Transport**

Arrangements can be made for transport of pupils to medical and other appointments provided prior written permission is granted.

### **Daily Bus Transport Service**

Full details of rates and fees are available in the Parents' Area of the school website. A full term's notice is required to cancel a regular booking. The School must acknowledge such notice before charges will cease.

### **Prep School Additional Charges**

Extra charges including shop purchases are normally notified to parents beforehand. External examinations including Common Entrance are charged as they fall due, as are some reference materials e.g. Music. Prep School boarders who remain in school at weekends will incur a variable small charge for a group outing on Sunday.

### **Prep School Parents' Association**

This is a current parents' group formed to support the Prep School via social and fundraising events. An optional subscription of £10 per family is automatically charged each term.

### **Senior School Additional Charges**

There are a number of trips, events and extra purchases which individually cost less than £25. We allow up to £25 to be placed on the school bill as these items occur. Other charges are normally notified to parents before the event.

### **Friends of Clayesmore**

This is a current parents' group which supports the Senior School via social and fundraising events. An optional subscription of £10 per child is automatically charged each term.

## **The Clayesmore Society**

This is for all the Clayesmore 'family': parents, former parents, former pupils, staff, governors and anyone wishing to be associated with the School. The Society arranges a number of social events throughout the year, which are listed in the 'Clayesmore Season' booklet, and operates a member benefits scheme, where members are eligible for an ever-increasing range of discounts at local and national companies. The optional life subscription (*for a pupil **and** his/her parents*) is £330, automatically charged at £55 per term for the first six terms of a pupil's time in the Senior School. The subscription also includes life membership of the Old Clayesmorian Society for the pupil.

## **House Subscriptions/Events**

Houses charge a subscription which creates a small fund to support pupils in a variety of ways. Parents are notified of this by house staff, together with any additional costs for outings, takeaways etc. that occur from time to time. Parents should liaise directly with House Staff for further details if required. Charges are £15 for a boarding pupil and £10 for a day pupil per term.

## **Senior Boarding Pupil "Spends"**

All boarding pupils are provided with £3 per week 'spends' or 'pocket money', which is charged to parents as an extra in arrears unless cancelled.

## **Examinations and Reference Material**

During formal external exam study years (years 10-13), pupils are expected to use and annotate subject books and to have permanent personal access to specialist reference material. Where books are provided for personal annotation, or when the School provides magazines, these are charged to pupils' accounts. Parents should note that if books are provided for free and then lost, replacement charges will be incurred. External examinations and exam remarking costs of all kinds are charged as they fall due.

## QUESTIONS/QUERIES

General questions on fees before entry should be addressed to the Admissions Office:

[admissions@clayesmore.com](mailto:admissions@clayesmore.com)

Parents with children in the Pre-Prep should seek details of their options with regard to external

funding from the Prep School Office: [prepadmissions@clayesmore.com](mailto:prepadmissions@clayesmore.com)

Specific questions on invoicing or payment options after entry should be sent to the Bursary:

[billing@clayesmore.com](mailto:billing@clayesmore.com)

### Changes to fees

It is of course, the intention, that all the fees and extra charges are maintained for the full academic year. Parents will appreciate, however, that the Council of the School must reserve the right to adjust the fees and charges during the year should circumstances make this necessary.

### How to pay an invoice

Parents should note that fee invoices are due on the first day of each term and that the School will charge interest on any amount outstanding on a pupil's account after that date.

- **Bank transfer.** Please make sure that your pupil code is included in the reference so that we can easily allocate the funds to your account. Our bank details are available within the Parents' Area of the website.
- **Monthly direct debit.** The School is not at present able to provide this facility directly, but has made arrangements with a third party, Premium Credit (School Fees Plan), to provide this. Details are available at <http://www.premiumcredit.com>. You should note that Premium Credit will charge interest for use of their facility.
- **Online using your debit or credit card.** Card payments can be made either directly over the phone through the Finance Team on 01747 813207 or alternatively through the Parent Portal using a company called WisePay, who offer a secure service that enables online payments to be made to the school. Payments can be made 24/7. Your login details will be sent separately on request.
- **By exception, cheques can still be presented and should be made payable to 'Clayesmore School'.** Please write your pupil code (found on the fee bill invoice) on the back of the cheque and forward to the Billing Administrator, Main House. Please note our banks will be phasing this method of payment out.

### Paying fees up front

We operate a scheme where we allow a limited number of "Composition Fees", enabling fees to be paid up front. Please contact the Head of Finance if you would like further information:

[aaps@clayesmore.com](mailto:aaps@clayesmore.com)

**Cybercrime and Fraud Alert:** Please be aware of the increase in cybercrime and fraud. We will not change our bank account details without clear notice and warning. If you receive a telephone call or e-mail that appears to come from the school, providing different bank details or indicating a change of bank details, it is unlikely to be genuine. Please do not reply to the e-mail or act on any information contained in the e-mail or provided during the telephone call but contact us immediately to check the account details. We will not take responsibility if you transfer money to an incorrect bank account.