Basnett Street Nursery School



CHARGING AND REMISSIONS POLICY

INTRODUCTION

This charging and remissions policy complies with statutory requirements, has regard to the Authority's policy statements on charging and is reviewed on an annual basis.

CHARGING POLICY

Activities without charge

There will be no charge for the following activities:

- education provided wholly or mostly during school hours. This includes the supply of any materials, books, instruments, other equipment and also transport provided in school hours to carry pupils between the school and an activity;
- education provided outside school hours if it is part of the National Curriculum, or part of a syllabus for a prescribed public examination which the pupil is being prepared for at the school, or part of religious education;

Voluntary Contributions

The school may ask for voluntary contributions towards the cost of school-time activities enabling the setting to offer a wide variety of experiences for all pupils. However:

- any children of parents who do not wish to contribute will not be treated any differently;
- where there are insufficient contributions to make the activity viable then the activity will be cancelled.

All requests to parents for voluntary contributions will make it clear that there is no obligation to contribute

Chargeable Activities

The school may recover the full costs of the following activities but charges will not exceed actual cost:

- educational trips
- educational or other activities provided wholly or mainly outside school hours which are not:
 - (a) part of the National Curriculum;
 - (b) part of a syllabus for a prescribed public examination which the pupil is being prepared for at school;
 - (c) part of religious education.
- lunch club care facilities

Remissions Policy

• Details of any remission arrangements will be made clear when parents are informed of charges for individual activities. The nursery will work closely with parents/carers.

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