Ysgol Maes Hyfryd Charging and Remissions Policy



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<u>Introduction</u>

The Governing Body recognises the valuable contribution that the wide range of additional activities, including clubs, trips and residential experiences can make towards pupils personal and social education.

The Governing Body aims to promote and provide such activities both as part of a broad and balanced curriculum for the pupils of the school and as additional optional activities.

Charges

The Governing Body reserves the right to make a charge in the following circumstances for activities organised by the school:-

School Mini Bus Journeys

If an educational visit involves transportation using YMH mini-buses, parents/carers will be asked to make a contribution towards the travelling costs.

School Visits in School Hours

The board and lodging element of the following residential activities deemed to take place within school hours:

- A. All Wales Special Games
- B. Residential Arts Courses
- C. Residential Outdoor Education Courses
- D. Residential Welsh Courses
- E. Any other educational visits involving a residential element

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Activities Outside School Hours

The full cost to each pupil of the following activities deemed to be optional extras taking place outside school hours:

- A. Weekend Courses e.g. Outdoor Education
- B. Theatre Visits
- C. After School Visits e.g. Bowling

Charging In Kind

The cost of materials, ingredients, equipment for the following subjects:

- A. Cookery, e.g. foodstuffs to be taken home
- B. Technology e.g. a T Shirt for tie-dying
- C. Independent Living Skills e.g. for a meal eaten in school
- D. Musical instrument tuition

General

The Governing Body may, from time to time, amend the categories of activity for which a charge may be made.