

## ADDITIONAL COSTS DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR

Many parents have asked us to give them an impression of the level of additional charges which they might expect to appear on the school bill. What follows can be no more than a guide and should not be relied upon to the letter. Many activities and outings are subject purely to child/parent choice and costs will only be incurred in this respect once that choice has been made. For other outings or events it is our policy that parents should be informed in advance whenever more than £10 is to be added to the bill for a single outing or event. Parents have the right to request that their child does not participate, thereby negating any potential charge.

### **Trips/Outings**

Early Years Foundation Stage – Year 2	£40 - £50 per year
Year 3 – Year 6	£40 - £50 per year
Year 7 <i>(including an optional one week visit to France in the Autumn Term)</i>	£500 - £550 per year
Year 8 <i>(including an optional one week Science/Geography trip in the Autumn Term which is linked to studies towards Common Entrance examinations. There is also a varied Post CE programme in June.)</i>	£630 - £680 per year

### **Common Entrance Examinations**

Year 8 only, payable with Summer term fees	£115
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### **Project Week**

Project week takes place in the penultimate week of the Summer Term. The week is designed to give children an opportunity to find new challenges both intellectually and physically, explore their interests and open new doors.

Year 3 – Year 7	£0 - £390 per week <i>(trips such as Iceland will be more expensive)</i>
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Project week activities offered can be home based (such as horse riding, music or DT) or away (watersports, history, or outdoor activity centres for example).

### **After School Activities**

Year 3 – Year 8	£0 - £170 per term per activity
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The total cost will depend upon the number of chargeable activities chosen. Certain summer term activities are more expensive, for example scuba diving costs around £25 per session.

### **Boarders**

Most boarders' midweek trips are subsidised, but the additional cost per year may be £30 - £40, covering theatre trips, football matches and the like. **Parents are not charged for boarders' weekend outings and activities.**

### **Musical Tuition and Learning Centre**

These are outlined under separate cover.

### **Uniform**

For more detail on uniform please visit our website:

<http://www.fsmschool.com/our-community/practical-information/uniform>