

Trewirgie Infants' & Nursery School

Charging Policy

The governors of Trewirgie Infants' School support the following principles underlying the provision on charging.

1. That education in schools should be free.
2. That activities offered wholly or mainly during normal school teaching time should be available to all pupils regardless of their parents' ability or willingness to help meet the cost.
3. That there is no statutory requirement to charge for any form of education, but that the school has the discretion to charge for optional activities provided wholly or mainly out of school hours.
4. The school has the right to invite voluntary contributions for the benefit of the school, or in support of any activity organized by the school, whether during or outside school hours.

Visits wholly or mainly during school hours.

It is the intention of the Governors of Trewirgie Infants' & Nursery School to invite voluntary contributions toward the cost of visits which take place wholly or mainly during school hours. The cost could include travel, insurance and admission charges. Pupils who are registered as Pupil Premium (see criteria below) will not be asked to contribute. It may be however, that unless sufficient voluntary contributions are not received, then activities may not be able to take place.

Charging for ingredients, materials and equipment.

Trewirgie Infants' & Nursery School is prepared to provide any ingredients, materials, equipment needed for the delivery of the curriculum. Parents who are willing to contribute in cash, or in kind, will be encouraged to do so on a voluntary basis.

Charging for breakages and fines.

Trewirgie Infants' & Nursery School may ask parents to pay for damage to equipment or property caused by their child.

Charging for Breakfast Club.

Breakfast club is offered to pupils of Trewirgie Infants' & Nursery School during term time only. The cost is £2.00 per child per session. No commitment is required and payment (cash only - NO cheques) to be paid on the day or in advance.

Charging for After School Clubs.

Each club will cost £5 for the 5 week period. This will need to be paid in advance when the place has been confirmed. Pupils who are registered as Pupil Premium (see criteria below) will receive a 50% reduction and each club will be £2.50 for the 5 week period.

Charges for the hire of school buildings

We currently do not hire out our school buildings.

Purchasing of additional Nursery hours

Additional sessions will be charged at £3.50 per hour. This will need to be paid half termly in advance.

Purchasing of extended care provision hours

Each 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ hour session will be £7.00.

Pupil Premium Criteria
Pupils are those who have completed a form at the office and have met one of the criteria below:
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pupils in year group's reception to year 2 recorded as Free School Meals (FSM) or ever 6 FSM.• Looked after children• Pupils recorded as service children, or in receipt of a child pension from the Ministry of Defence.