



Prior Park College - School Fees & Extras Charges Effective from 1 September 2023

1. School Fees:

The school fees for the 2023/24 academic year are as follows:

		Per Term	Per Annum
Boarding Fees	Full Boarding (Years 7 to 13)	£12,878	£38,634
	Weekly Boarding (Years 7 to 13)	£9,990	£29,970
Day Fees	Day: Sixth Form (Years 12 & 13)	£6,483	£19,449
	Day: Years 9 to 11	£6,432	£19,296
	Day: Years 7 & 8	£5,874	£17,622

Notes:

(1) The day fees include full lunch, many after school activities and supervised prep for day pupils.

(2) Please note that an additional visa administration fee of £750 will be payable to The Nathanson partnership if a visa is required.

(3) Exam charges will be billed as an extra each year in line with the charge which we receive from the examination boards.

(4) A full term's notice is required before the removal of a pupil or a change in their status between boarding categories or from boarding to day pupil. In default of so doing, one term's fees in lieu of such notice will be charged.

(5) Every effort is made to keep 'extras' to a minimum but it is likely that you will be billed for extra activities such as educational trips and activities. Your permission will be sought for your child to attend an activity that will generate an 'extras' charge over £20.

(6) The Full Boarding rate now includes: transport from the airport at the beginning and end of each term (as long as your child joins the organised transport provided); weekend boarding activities.

2. Half Term boarding:

Boarding over the half term holidays is now available at the following rates, which are discounted if booked before the start of the term and/or for the full week. The daily charge rate for occasional days is £85 per day.

	Booked and Paid before the start of term	Booked and Paid during term time
Michaelmas (16 nights)	£1,175	£1,300
Lent (9 nights)	£650	£725
Summer (9 nights)	£650	£725

This includes: supervision by House Parents, on site accommodation, full catering and an extensive activities programme for the holiday period.

Half Term boarding should be booked through the Boarding House so that they can allocate a room accordingly.

3. Occasional boarding:

Subject to availability pupils may stay overnight in the boarding houses for a dinner, bed and breakfast fee of £70. Parents should contact the following e-mail address with any enquiries: flexiboarding@priorparkschools.com

Such “occasional boarding” will only be provided for a pupil staying occasionally, depending on availability and will be treated as a ‘one off’. Occasional boarders will not be allocated their own bed space and boarding spaces will be subject to availability.

4. Flexi Boarding

Flexible boarding, subject to availability, for day pupils who would like to try boarding during term time on the following termly basis in addition to the standard day fees:

	1 night per week	2 nights per week	3 nights per week
Michaelmas	£790	£1,575	£2,350
Lent	£740	£1,475	£2,200
Summer	£690	£1,375	£2,050

5. Payment of School Fees:

Fees are due and payable on or before the first day of each term. Late payments increase the school's costs and affect fee levels for all parents. We reserve the right to charge interest on outstanding balances. If interest is applied it will be added at a rate of 2% per month from the second day of term.

There are three ways to pay your fees and extras:

- By bank transfer to the account of 'Prior Park Educational Trust', account number: 80736627, sort code: 20-47-06 (Barclays Bank PLC, Bank). Please ensure that the pupil's name and account number are quoted.
IBAN: GB52BARC20470680736627
SWIFT Code: BARCGB22
- Payments can also be made via School Fee Plan - who offer a monthly payment facility. Further details can be found at the following links:
www.myschoolfeeplan.com/prior-BA2
www.priorparkcollege.com/admissions/fees
- Parents of International boarders are recommended to use Flywire to make their payments (deposit and school fees) to minimise the banking charges and to enable easier repayment of deposits at the end of their child's schooling with us. Their website is as follows:
priorpark.flywire.com

6. Insurance Schemes:

- i) Pupil Absence Insurance Scheme (opt in if required) charged at 0.95% of School Fees per term.
- ii) Personal Accident Scheme - the cost is covered within the school fees.
- iii) AXA PPP Medical (opt in if required) £126 per term. A completed application form is required for your child to be covered by this insurance policy which can be accessed via the school website.
- iv) Personal Possessions Insurance (opt in if required) £8.30 per term.
- v) School Fee Insurance Scheme (opt in if required) via SFS Group: www.sfs-group.co.uk
This scheme is provided on request by SFS Group (part of the Endsleigh Group) and provides cover if one of the pupil's parents becomes critically ill or dies during the pupil's time at Prior Park College. The insurance then provides a sum of money towards the School Fees for the remaining time the pupil would be at school with us.

Further information regarding all the insurance schemes offered can be found on the school's website or by contacting the Finance department. The rates quoted above are for the 2022/23 school year and therefore may increase for the 2023/24 school year once confirmed by the insurers.

7. Sibling Discounts:

Prior Park Schools are pleased to award a discount to parents who have two or more children simultaneously at our schools. A discount of 5% will be applied for a second child, 10% for a third child, 15% for a fourth child and 20% for a fifth child. Sibling discounts will be applied in addition to any Scholarship or similar award.

8. Scholarships:

A range of scholarships including, Academic, Art, Drama, Music, Sport, and DT are available. The Scholarship brochure, indicating the benefits of being awarded a scholarship can be obtained from the Registrar.

9. Bursaries:

Bursaries are awarded strictly according to the Prior Park Schools' Means Tested Bursary Policy in response to parental need, either to relieve difficulty in the family of an existing pupil, or to enable entry to Prior Park College by pupils whose parents could not otherwise afford the fees.

A completed Bursary Application Form, with a comprehensive range of accompanying evidence, is required from the parent(s) as a statement of the family's financial position. The Financial Controller, in consultation with the Director of Operations and Finance, will be happy to discuss individual applications. Any application may be referred to our external assessment partner for independent review if required.

Forces bursaries are offered at 15% for Boarding pupils in receipt of the CEA and 10% for Day pupils.

10. English as a Second Language Fees:

English as a Second Language is taught either individually or in very small groups. Where these lessons are charged the cost is as follows:

- Individual Lesson £40
- Group of 2 sharing a lesson £20 per pupil
- Group of 3, 4, 5+ respectively £14, £12, £10 per pupil

11. Learning Development Programme (LDP):

Formal lessons are charged at a rate of £46 per lesson if taught on a one-to-one basis, £23 per lesson in a group of two or £16 per person per lesson in a group of three or more. These charges are made for regular formal sessions. The many hours of LDP guidance given outside class, e.g., through informal lunch hour help or occasional monitoring of sixth form work, are delivered without additional fee.

12. Music:

Music tuition is offered in piano and jazz piano, organ, voice and all orchestral instruments, also in electric and bass guitar and drums.

Instruments are available for hire at a termly cost of £52 (which includes their use at weekends and during the holidays). Piano and organ pupils are not charged hire fees. Drum pupils are charged £23 per term because pupil access to these instruments is more restricted.

13. Music Tuition Fees:

Music tuition is offered at a half hourly rate of £27 or on a termly basis as follows:

- Michaelmas Term: £324 (12 lessons)
- Lent Term: £270 (10 lessons)
- Summer Term: £216 (8 lessons)

An application form for music lessons can be requested from the Music or Finance Departments. Your child will be placed on a waiting list if there are insufficient places available.

14. Modern Foreign Language (MFL) Fees:

MFL lessons in a range of European and Asian languages can be provided by an individual specialist language tutor at the rate of £50 per session. These can be booked through Miss Main - Head of Eurasian Studies.

15. LAMDA

LAMDA tuition is offered at the following rates:

- £21 for 30 min session
- £11 for 30 min session (Duologue)

16. Sixth Form Subscription:

All 6th Formers are charged £57 per year for membership of the 6th Form Club. This subscription (charged in the Lent term) is used to subsidise tea, coffee, social-events, lectures and leadership days and to improve the overall 6th form experience.

17. PPA Subscription:

The cost of running this department has now been subsumed within the overall School Fees.

18. Personal Learning Device (PLD):

All pupils are now required to use a school supplied laptop that is designed to support their digital learning whilst at Prior Park College. We call these laptops "Personal Learning Devices" (PLDs).

The PLD is a Windows 10 device with an i5 processor, 8GB RAM and a 13-inch touchscreen that supports a stylus and will integrate directly with the schools' Microsoft 365 learning platform and ensure that all students have the same access to our learning platform wherever they are studying. The PLDs are leased by the school and you will not be entering into any kind of lease agreement in your own right.

The fee is £100 per term.

You are paying for the PLD "service" - this includes access for your child to the PLD itself, the online safeguarding and management systems (both inside and outside of school) as well as antivirus/malware protection and accidental damage protection. Should the device suffer any kind of accidental damage we will be able to provide an instant swap-out device which will "self-configure" with everything your child needs to continue their learning on that day.

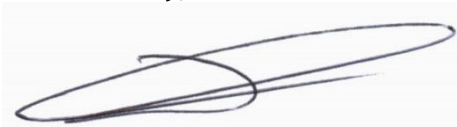
You will only be paying for each term that your child attends and the PLD is returned at the end of your child's time at Prior Park College.

In order for us to issue a PLD to your child you will need to complete the online Parental Loan Agreement which will be issued to you by our IT department when your child starts at Prior Park College.

19. Fees in Advance Scheme:

We offer a fees in advance scheme which is open to all parents. Further details can be provided by Finance on request.

Yours faithfully,



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