Merley First School - Charging and remissions table 2022/23

Appendix 1: Activities we charge for

The school will charge for the following activities:

Breakfast Club, the charge for which includes the cost of breakfast and staffing

School Trips, the charge for which includes the cost of entrance into the attraction / venue, accommodation (where applicable), transport and insurance / risk assessments.

Music tuition, the charge for which is based on the price charged by the external music teacher. Places are limited and are provided at the request of the parent.

For regular activities, the charges for each activity will be determined by the Headteacher and reviewed in May each year. Parents will be informed of the charges for the coming year in June each year.

Appendix 2: Remissions

In some circumstances the school may not charge for items or activities set out in sections 6 and 8 of this policy. This will be at the discretion of the Headteacher and will depend on the activity in question.

9.1 Remissions for residential visits

Parents who can prove they are in receipt of any of the following benefits will be exempt from paying the cost of board and lodging for residential visits:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided that Working Tax Credit is not also received and the family's annual gross income does not exceed £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on (this is paid for 4 weeks after an individual stops qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Universal Credit (if the application was made on or after 1 April 2018, the family's income must be less than £7,400 per year after tax and not including any benefits)

All pupil premium children will be eligible for a 50% discount on trips, free attendance at breakfast club and a school club that is run by external providers.