

## **1 Introduction**

**1.1** All education during school hours is free. We do not charge for any activity undertaken as part of the National Curriculum we may ask parents for a voluntary contribution towards the cost of a visit or visitor as part of curriculum learning.

## **2 Voluntary contributions**

**2.1** When organising school trips or visits which enrich the curriculum and educational experience of the children, the school may invite parents to contribute to the cost of the trip. All contributions are voluntary.

**2.2** If a parent wishes their child to take part in a school trip or event, but is unwilling or unable to make a voluntary contribution, we always allow the child to participate fully in the trip or activity and do not treat these children any differently. Sometimes the school pays additional costs in order to support the visit. Parents have a right to know how each trip is funded. The school provides this information on request.

**2.3** The following is a list of additional activities organised by the school, which may ask for voluntary contributions from parents to fund the trip. This list is not exhaustive:

- visits to museums;
- visits to the farms, safari park, zoo
- musical events
- entertainment activities, mini golf, play centre, cinema

## **3 Residential visits**

**3.1** If the school organises a residential visit in school time or mainly school time, which is to provide education directly related to the National Curriculum, we do not make any charge for the education or travel expenses. However, we do make a charge to cover the costs of board and lodging. Residential trips to Lledr Hall are organised annually for Year 6 pupils.

## **4 Music tuition**

**4.1** All children study music as part of the normal school curriculum. We do not charge for this.

## **5 Swimming**

The school organises swimming lessons for all children in Key Stage 2. These take place in school time and are part of the National Curriculum. We make no charge for this activity. We inform parents when these lessons are to take place.

## **6 After School curriculum clubs**

**6.1** When the school offers additional sports coaching after school. If the qualified

## **Charging and Remissions Policy**

Coach is not a member of the school staff; we may make a small charge for these sessions.

**6.2** After school clubs led by school teaching staff, including, Maths Booster classes, 1:1 Tuition, Computer Club, Science Club, Craft Club, Lego Club, Football and Sports club are all free. Clubs are organised on a rota basis across the Key Stages.