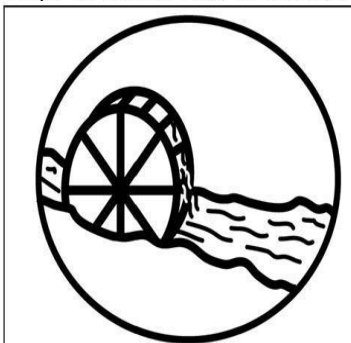


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Charging & Remissions Policy

Cwmfelin Primary School
Ysgol Gynradd Cwmfelin

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Introduction

All education during school hours is free. We do not charge for any activity undertaken as part of the Curriculum.

Voluntary contributions

When organising trips or visits which enrich the curriculum and educational experience, the school invites parents to contribute to the cost of the trip. All contributions are voluntary. If we do not receive sufficient voluntary contributions, we may cancel a trip. If a trip goes ahead, it may include children whose parents have not paid any contribution. We do not treat these children differently from any others.

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 allow the child to participate fully in the trip or activity. 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.

The list below includes examples of the types of additional activities organised by the school, which require voluntary contributions from parents.

- offsite visits to museums, the theatre and musical events
- offsite visits to places linked with inquiries and topics
- sporting activities which incur transport expenses
- outdoor adventure activities
- theatre company productions at the school

Music tuition

All children study music within the Expressive Arts Area of Learning and Experience, as part of the curriculum.

Peripatetic instrumental lessons are available to older pupils. School incurs costs for this provision, but currently, no charge is made to parents.

Swimming

The school organises intensive swimming lessons for children in Years 4 – 6. These take place in school time and are part of the Curriculum. We make no charge for this activity.

Extra - Curricular Clubs

A charge is not usually made for extra - curricular clubs, however, a small fee may be requested if the club is run by an outside provider, or if additional staffing costs are incurred. Alternative funding is explored where possible.