



June 2023

Dear Parents

Following the Bursar's letter in March, I am writing to let you know that Council met, as usual, in the middle of June to consider, and approve the College's operating budget for the financial year 2023/24 which starts, like the academic year, on 1 September. Our deliberations, of course, include the level at which fees will be set for the year ahead.

Council takes careful, and proper account of the significant burden that school fees place on family budgets, particularly in the present uncertain climate of rising inflation. Nevertheless, College is not immune to these pressures and Council has, once again, had the challenge of agreeing an operating budget which balances a range of conflicting pressures.

We maintain a sharp focus on our costs whilst continuing to ensure that your children receive the quality of education and the highest levels of pastoral care; indeed, my Council colleagues and I were delighted to congratulate the Executive on their success on being awarded 'Boarding School of the Year 2022/23' and to receive what was, quite simply, glowing feedback on our great school from the ISI Inspectors earlier this term. Naturally, our aim is to continue to build on this success.

Council has now agreed the new fee rates which are shown on the table at the end of this letter. We will soon begin the process of raising invoices for the Autumn Term.

Finally, as the academic year draws to a close, may I, on behalf of Council and the Executive, thank you for your continued support of College and offer my very best wishes for the summer.

With kind regards

Bill Straker-Nesbit  
President of Council

### Schedule of Termly Fees 2023 -24

<b>Senior School</b>	<b>Boarder</b>	<b>Day</b>
Upper College	£15,500	£11,730
Lower College	£15,100	£11,330
Boarding Element of Fees	£3,770	

Day Boarding Supplement (an average of 37 nights per term)	£2,250
Additional overnight charge - College	£55

<b>Prep School</b>		
Year 7-8	£9,860	£7,600
Year 5-6	£9,700	£7,450
Year 4	£7,850	£5,320
Year 3	£7,540	£4,970

<b>Pre-Prep</b>	
Year 2	£3,700
Nursery to Year 1	£3,350
Overnight charge – Prep	£45