

SCHEDULE OF FEES

Guidance notes on current charges 2024/25 (updated for Lent Term and Summer Term 2025)

This note, while not comprehensive, explains the basis for certain charges which will appear on this year's invoices. The College's Terms and Conditions can be found in the <u>Parent Contract</u>, also available on the College website.

Following the recent budget announcement regarding VAT on school fees, all fees and supplemental charges stated are inclusive of any taxes (where applicable).

Fees

Our termly fees for the 2024/25 academic year from January 2025 are £19,200 inclusive of VAT (being a discounted termly rate of £16,000 + VAT).

Fees are due in full on the first day of each term by direct debit or bank transfer. Unless special arrangements have been agreed in advance, an administration fee of $\pounds 60$ (including VAT) will be charged on payments made by any other means. In the event of delay, late payment charges (presently calculated at the rate of 1% per month) will be levied. If a direct debit is returned unpaid and has to be represented, there is an administration charge of $\pounds 24$ (including VAT).

The College operates an optional **Fees Refund Scheme** at a cost of \pounds 167.04 per term (being 0.87% of termly fees) to provide a refund of fees for absence due to illness or accident for a continuous period of at least 4 days. For more detail, please refer to the separate leaflet available from <u>fees@radley.org.uk</u> on request. This policy option will be closing for all current applicants on 31 August 2026.

The College has recently joined the **Pupil's Absence Scheme**. This operates a cover for absences of 4 or more days and has been introduced to replace the Fees Refund Scheme. Parents can choose this scheme at a cost of \pounds 140. Students currently in the Fees Refund Scheme will not automatically be transferred to the new policy, as it requires a separate application process. For more details, please refer to a separate leaflet available from fees@radley.org.uk.

Insurances

Various insurances are available on a group or individual basis and parents should check the relevant policy leaflet carefully for precise details as to the cover provided. While the College cannot recommend a particular company, we wish to make you aware of the following insurances. We encourage parents to read the insurers' literature carefully, as any contract entered into is optional and is with the insurance company. The current rates are:

AXA PPP Healthcare private medical insurance

 f_{150} per term

Pupils' Personal Effects Scheme (for lower value items subject to £25 claim excess) £5,000 cover subjectto a limit on any one article of £2,000, and only £350 for bicycles (theft only covered if the cycle is lockedto an immovable object or in a locked building).£8.31 per term

Personal Accident insurance is included within the overall termly fees and all pupils are automatically covered. Details of the cover provided are available from the Bursary. No extra cost

Academic Support

This generally takes place during Central Hour, after Games or in Prep for Lower School boys and in Study Periods for Upper School boys. Boys with EAL needs, specific learning difficulties or boys who have been referred to the Academic Support Department requiring additional specialised help in a small group or on an individual basis will be charged £217.20 (including VAT) per term, with shorter interventions charged accordingly. (£127.20 (including VAT) in the Summer term for boys in the Vth Form or in 6.2). If boys do ad hoc lessons this will be charged at £22.80 (including VAT) per lesson.

Additional charges may be applicable for boys receiving more bespoke support. We are also able to provide specialist assessment for access arrangements and full cognitive/literacy/intelligence profiling. These are charged for separately depending on the level of assessment and, if a boy is formally assessed, there is also a one-off charge of $f_{c}60$ (including VAT) for the administration and dissemination of information and advice.

Beagling

Boys are charged a cap of $\pounds 8.40$ (including VAT) for each day's beagling, up to a maximum of $\pounds 96$ (including VAT) per season (September-March) at which point they become a subscriber and there are no further charges for that season. Alternatively, parents may choose to purchase a family subscription, which covers all their sons at Radley and any family members who come beagling. A family subscription costs $\pounds 180$ (including VAT) per season; please contact the Bursary for further details.

Boat Club Charges

Wet bob charges cover a Boat Club charge (which includes a small subscription to the Radley Mariners) and the annual rowing registration fee levied by British Rowing. Wet bobs are charged £168 (including VAT) in each of the Lent and Summer Terms. The annual rowing registration fee levied by British Rowing from 1 April 2024 is a flat fee of £35 and is a requirement for all participating in rowing activities. This charge will be split across the two terms' charges. If a boy elects to take up rowing in the second term, an additional £17.50 will be incurred to cover this cost.

Careers

Psychometric profiling and futures advice.

In the Vth year, all students can participate in a psychometric profiling assessment. This provides a comprehensive report, giving your son insights to his abilities, passions, and personality traits, and offering a roadmap of potential career and study paths. Additionally, your son will receive two one-on-one meetings, one in the Vths and another in 6.1. With the support of a FutureSmart professional careers adviser, he will delve deeper into his profile results and receive personalised advice and guidance, including an action plan tailored to his unique needs. This enables him to make informed decisions and set achievable goals as he explores post-18 options. Your son can access the FutureSmart helpline team until 23 years of age.

The price for this is \pounds 183 including VAT.

Interview Coaching Course

Practising interview skills with an experienced professional can boost students' confidence and ensure they are well prepared. Impact Education Ltd help Sixth formers with the skills needed for a successful interview, whether for higher education, including Oxbridge, a mini medical interview or an apprenticeship. Your son will learn to present his best self, both face-to-face and online. The package includes two sessions (in 6.1 and 6.2), allowing your son to act on feedback from the first coaching session. Each interview is tailored for the individual, with a video recording and a detailed written report provided from both sessions.

The price is charged at cost and will be provided in advance.

CCF

Boys join the CCF at the start of the Summer Term of the Shell year for a non-uniform programme of Adventure Training and pre-CCF preparation. They begin their military training at the start of the Remove year, when there is a one-off charge of £264 (including VAT), which covers all equipment and uniform, including boots, field weekend and camp, apart from the Adventure Training camps for which there is a nominal charge of £45 - £235 depending on the activities. The charge will be included on the invoice payable at the start of the Michaelmas Term that boys enter the Removes.

Clubs & Societies

These are largely run by the boys themselves and some levy a small membership fee or other charge.

Dentist Charges

There is no suitable NHS dentistry or orthodontic service available locally, and any consultation will be charged at cost. Routine dentist appointments should be arranged out of term time.

Deposit

Any deposit that is paid as part of the Final Acceptance Fee prior to a boy joining Radley will be credited to the final invoice, issued after the final term at Radley.

Driving Lessons

Boys wishing to take lessons whilst at Radley should do so through the College, rather than making their own arrangements, so we can ensure a reputable company known to the College is being used. Parents are asked to authorise that their son can have driving lessons and, because of the significant cost of driving lessons, **parents are asked to pay direct.** A provisional licence (which can be applied for before the 17th birthday) must be produced before any lessons can be booked.

Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme

Gold – Operational charge £90 (including VAT), Practice Expedition £180 (including VAT), Qualifying Expedition £180 (including VAT) Bronze – Operational charge - £72 (including VAT).

Examination Charges

A Level and GCSE examination fees for Fifth and 6.2 students are charged on the invoice just before the exams take place and for any other exam candidates on the invoice just after the exams have taken place. Exam charges are generally in the range of $\pounds 100 - \pounds 220$ per A Level taken and approximately $\pounds 75$ per GCSE/IGCSE.

Field Trips

These are subsidised by the school but depending on the numbers involved there may be a small charge. However, parents will always be advised of the cost to them in advance.

Fishing

Boys will be charged a one-off fee of approximately \pounds 48 (including VAT) per annum for participating in the fishing club to cover the cost of supplies and maintenance of the fish stock and environment.

Laundry/Dry Cleaning/Sewing

There is no extra charge for laundry or straightforward sewing/repairs. Dry cleaning is charged as an extra.

Materials Used

The Art, Design Technology and Electronics departments may levy a small charge for materials used.

Music Department

All instrumental and singing tuition is charged at £48.96 (including VAT) per 40-minute lesson (except music scholars and music exhibitioners for whom there is no charge). Up to 11 lessons are offered in the Michaelmas Term, approximately 8 in Lent Term and 8 in Summer Term, totalling 27 in the year. If your son is a music scholar or exhibitioner you will be invoiced for music lessons, but a corresponding credit will appear on the main fee invoice.

Please note that one term's notice in writing is required if you wish to cancel music lessons (or Leave Away to Leave Away if notice is given after the start of term).

Instrument hire is £96 (including VAT) per instrument, per term (£63.60 (including VAT) for percussion pupils). Further details are available from the Music Administrator <u>musicadmin@radley.org.uk</u>.

Sailing

Sailing is offered as an alternative sport at Radley during all three terms. Full time sailors, i.e. boys who sail Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, are charged \pounds 180 (including VAT) per term to contribute towards additional costs. This charge does not apply to occasional sailors, who may only have sailed in taster sessions.

School Shop

We operate a cashless campus for food and drink purchases at the Shop and the Clocktower Court Coffee Shop. To ensure your son can make purchases on campus, we recommend that he arrives at Radley with a debit or prepayment card or has set up either Apple Pay or Android Pay on his phone.

Boys can bring a small amount of cash if necessary, which can be stored in their individual safes and used for trips to the Village Shop. A credit, debit or prepayment debit card is also advisable for outings or other expenditure at Radley.

Social and Entertainment Charges

Specific excursions or entertainment (e.g. dinners, barbecues, videos, etc) organised for the benefit of the boys are charged at cost and Socials may also make a small charge as a contribution towards general Social based activities.

Sub Aqua

PADI Open Water Referral Course is $\pounds 234$ (including VAT), PADI Diving Pack (if needed) $\pounds 102$ (including VAT). Optional diving trips may also be offered at cost from time to time.

Textbook Charges

Books will generally not be charged for unless they are provided to boys on a permanent basis, for example so they can write in them. For other books, provided within the fee, a further charge may arise if the books are returned damaged, or are lost.

Transport Charges

The cost of team travel to away games is met by Radley. However, certain other group excursions such as to the theatre may involve a transport charge.

In the event of any queries please do not hesitate to contact the Bursary on 01235 543102 or fees@radley.org.uk

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