



St John Plessington
Catholic College

Charges & Remissions Policy 2019-20

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Pupils should not be required to pay for any material, books, instruments or other equipment for use in connection with lessons provided during College hours, but the College may charge for, or require the supply of, ingredients or materials for practical subjects where parents have indicated in advance a wish to own the finished product.

Peripatetic music tuition is available to all pupils in Year 7. Thereafter, a charge is made for instrumental music tuition in groups of up to 4. We consider the availability of instrumental tuition to be crucial in reinforcing the College Performing Arts Strategy, itself a vehicle for expressing the many skills and talents to be found amongst our pupils.

Charges are made to cover the costs of board and lodging on residential trips.

No charge shall be made for entry fees for prescribed public examinations for which registered pupils have been prepared at College providing the Head Teacher recommends entry. Pupils are entered

for a variety of external examinations and tests, according to their abilities, including qualifications in GCSE, BTEC and A-Level. Provided that coursework is completed where required, work is up to date and intermediate tests or examinations are satisfactorily completed, these entries are made without cost to pupils.