



Our Lady of Lourdes Primary School

Cost of the School Day Action Statement



UNIFORM:

We have a 'nearly new' school uniform supply and access to other school uniform banks available for our families. All pupils starting school are gifted with a school sweatshirt.



We are a Gold award trauma informed school.

DRESS DOWN/THEMED DAYS:

Dress down and themed days are no cost to participate in. School clothing/food bank provide Halloween costumes discreetly and privately

FRIENDS AT SCHOOL:

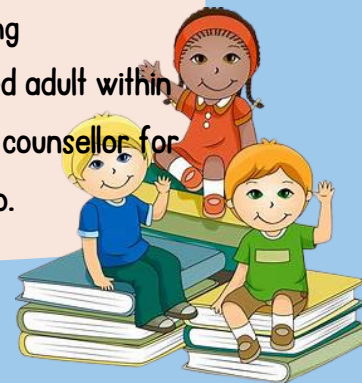
Uniform is promoted to negate any peer pressure around fashion clothing. Equity, equality and positive relationships are the values informing the ethos of our school.

TRAVEL:

After school clubs are held in school at no cost to ensure all pupils have access to a range of experiences. School covers the cost of 'other' after school clubs and provides transport for pupil and families to access extra-curricular activities

FRIENDS AT SCHOOL:

Friendship is one of our school values. We provide nurture support for all pupils. All staff are trained in trauma informed practice and we are a SILVER Rights Respecting school. All children have a trusted adult within the school and we have a school counsellor for any child to speak to.



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LEARNING AT SCHOOL:

Stationery is provided for all classes to access. We have options to borrow any digital devices needed. We promote 'bring your own devices' for technology. Regular planning meetings, Individual Education Plans and learning reviews support our most vulnerable pupils.

SCHOOL TRIPS:

We plan school trips in advance to ensure our families are notified in a timely manner. Parents/Carers are consulted to ensure costs are kept down. We aim to source locations that provide limited transport to keep costs down. We try to reduce any barriers to ensure all children can attend.

RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL TRIPS:

All senior pupils have the opportunity to attend residential experiences and these can be paid over time. Our Parent Council and partners fundraise to support with bus costs.

SCHOOL COSTS:

We provide an annual overview of approximate costs and trips each year. We support families sensitively and signpost them for financial assistance if and when required.

EATING AT SCHOOL:

We encourage families to pre-order hot meals for children using i-pay. Cashless catering reduces stigma. We offer and provide snacks/breakfast for all children who require it. Each class has a snack box to supplement this. Additional food/snacks are donated by our parish community and the local SVDP.

EATING AT SCHOOL:

We provide a Free Breakfast Club and Free school meals, encouraging all families who are entitled to apply for free school meals and milk. Our Parent Council provides snacks for pantomimes. Primaries 1-5 receive free school meals.



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