



# Fees 2024/25

# Hurst

# Basic School Fees

## 2024/25

Termly Fees (including regular boarding charges) are charged in advance and are due on the first day of term.

### Included within the termly fee

We aim to make our fees as comprehensive as possible and to incorporate the cost of all the major mandatory expenses incurred by our pupils. Thus, the basic termly fee covers:

The cost of tuition and all associated costs (including books and materials, the cost of educational trips and visits on compulsory academic subjects)

All meal costs and, where appropriate, boarding charges

A range of after school activities in the Junior Prep School

The provision of a College laptop for the pupil's own personal use (for each pupil in Year 7 to Fifth Form/Year 11)

Basic charges for the Combined Cadet Force

The cost of personal accident insurance (including dental cover) and, for pupils in the Senior School, personal effects insurance

Membership of the College's alumni association

The pupil's subscription to the Independent Schools' Careers Organisation

Basic termly fees 2024/25		
<b>Junior Prep School</b> Reception to Year 6 - Day (no boarding available)		
Reception - part day	£2,910	All pupils must attend for the full day. The part-day charge is the charge applicable for that part of the day not covered by the Government's 15 hours free childcare grant to those entitled to receive it. Please note that this fee is subject to change at any time should the funding or eligibility criteria be amended.
Reception - full day	£3,895	-
Years 1 and 2	£4,180	-
Years 3	£6,180	-
Years 4 to 6	£6,870	-
<b>Senior Prep School</b> Years 7 and 8 - Day (no boarding available)		
Years 7 and 8	£7,470	

**Basic termly fees 2024/25****Senior School**

Shell, Remove and Fifth Form (Years 9 to 11)

Weekly Boarding	£13,080	5 or 6 nights per week
Flexi Boarding	£12,280	3 nights per week
Day	£10,220	-

**Sixth Form**

Lower Sixth and Upper Sixth (Years 12 and 13)

Weekly Boarding	£12,940	5 or 6 nights per week
Flexi Boarding	£12,140	3 nights per week
Day	£10,080	-

**Possible Additional Charges**

The only additional charges likely to be incurred are:

For extra tuition where required

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For certain additional activities (generally those involving tuition by outside staff)

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For certain additional materials required for GCSE or A-level courses (generally, physical materials e.g. for DT projects)

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Additional insurances (see page 6)

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Travel on the College bus services (see the Transport Services page at [hppc.co.uk](http://hppc.co.uk))

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Fees for external examinations and the additional cost of providing examination concessions (e.g. scribes and readers)

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Personal text books retained by the pupil

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The cost of major visits and field trips on optional subjects (generally those undertaken by A-level students) and of Co-Curricular trips and tours

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Any donations to the Endowment Fund (see page 5)

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# Additional Options

## 2024/25

Additional boarding options are available to pupils in the Senior School and Sixth Form. Extra tuition in Music, Drama and Dance are available to pupils in all years. Extra tuition fees are charged in arrears.

Individual and Extra Tuition (optional)		
All schools		
Instrumental Music/Singing	£348.00 per term for each instrument	Including singing. Charged in arrears for the number of lessons offered in the preceding term
LAMDA/Individual Drama	£348.00 per term for ½ hour lessons £233.00 per term for shared lessons	Charged in arrears for the number of lessons offered in the preceding term
Royal Academy of Dancing (RAD) Ballet	£275.00 per term for 1 hour lessons	10 x 1 hour lessons per term. Charged in arrears.
Learning Support/ English as a Second Language (ESL)	£576.00 per term for 1 hour lessons £348.00 per term for ½ hour lessons	Charged in arrears for the number of lessons offered in the preceding term

Additional boarding options 2024/25 (optional)		
Senior School and Sixth Form Shell, Remove, Fifth Form and Lower Sixth (Years 9 to 12)		
Occasional boarding for day pupils, where available	£77.50 per night	-
Extra nights for flexi and weekly boarders	£63.00 per night	-
Sixth Form Upper Sixth (Year 13) - St John's House		
Occasional boarding for Upper Sixth students in St John's House	£1,740 for 25 nights £3,372 for 50 nights	Casual boarding for 25/50 nights paid in advance and valid for the duration of the school year.

# Deposits and Discounts

## 2024/25

Deposits are required prior to entry at Hurst. Sibling discounts are offered to families with two or more children at the College.

Deposits (required)		
Deposit (UK residents)	£1,000	The deposit is a one-off charge payable prior to entry and is retained until the pupil leaves the College.
Deposit (Non-UK residents)	£12,000	
Commitment Fee	£2,000	The commitment fee is a one-off charge payable with the deposit which is refunded when the pupil joins the College.

### Endowment Fund

The College's Endowment Fund was created in 2002 in order to provide future assistance to enable talented children who would not otherwise be able to join the College. It takes the form of an entirely voluntary donation by parents for a suggested amount of £50 per term, per family. The £50 will be included on your first bill, but if you wish to opt out you need only write to the Finance Office. However, we hope that as many of you as possible will feel able to contribute. If you do, we would also ask that you complete a Gift Aid Declaration Form (available from the Finance Office) as this enables the College to reclaim the basic rate tax paid on the contributions you make. If you are a higher-rate tax payer, it will also enable you to reclaim the difference between the basic and higher rate of tax paid on the donation. The College is extremely grateful to those who are able to support the fund.

Sibling discounts	
<b>All Schools</b>	
Where two or more children from the same immediate family attend the College at the same time the basic fees of all the siblings will be discounted as follows.	
Two siblings attending at the same time	- 2.5%
Three siblings attending at the same time	- 7.5%
Four siblings attending at the same time	- 12.5%

# Insurances

## 2024/25

Some insurances are included with the basic school fees, whilst others are available to parents as optional extras.

### Personal Accident Insurance

*All pupils automatically covered.*

This insurance provides cover in the event of a serious accident which results in permanent disability, including damage or loss of teeth and any associated dental treatment. Details of the cover provided and instructions for making claims will be available on the Parent Portal dashboard.

### Travel Insurance

*All pupils automatically covered.*

The College has a blanket policy which covers all pupils in Senior and Prep Schools travelling with the school, which includes trips abroad and ski trips, etc. The only activities that are not covered are those classified as dangerous, such as white-water rafting and bungee jumping - and top up cover can be arranged for these if necessary. Children with pre-existing medical conditions may be covered but confirmation should always be sought from the insurers. For this reason, and in case there is a need to arrange supplemental cover, parents should always familiarise themselves with the terms of the policy in advance of any school trip.

### Personal Effects Insurance

*Optional/Senior School pupils automatically covered.*

This insurance provides cover for damage

or loss to your child's personal belongings (except mobile phones) during term time. See the table opposite for the cost.

There are limits to the cover provided, details of which (including the excess applicable) will be available on the Parent Portal dashboard together with instructions for making claims.

### Additional insurances

There are also some additional insurances and insurance-type products you may wish to consider which are available through the College under group policies with Marsh and SFS. These include:

Fees Refund Scheme

Private healthcare insurance

Application forms are sent to all new parents and are also available from the Finance Office at any time. The charges for these are collected termly in advance. The cost of mandatory personal accident insurance, including emergency dental cover, and, for Senior School pupils, personal effects insurance is included in the basic College fees.

Should you have any queries, please telephone the Finance Office on 01273 836913.

### Additional Insurances 2024/25

Fees Refund Scheme (FRS)	Day pupils 0.82% Boarding pupils 0.63% of basic fees per term	Provides refunds of fees where the pupil is away from College due to illness or accidental injury for a continuous period of at least eight days (for full and weekly boarders) or five days (day pupils and flexi-boarders) and with a maximum refund period of three terms, although pre-existing conditions are not covered. It includes payment of up to five termly fees on the accidental death of the fee payer(s). Charged termly in advance.
Private Healthcare Insurance	£150.00 per term	Provides the usual cover for the cost of medical expenses with the usual limitations. However, pre-existing conditions are covered and no previous medical history is required. Charged termly in advance.
School Fees Insurance	For details please visit <a href="http://www.sfs-group.co.uk">www.sfs-group.co.uk</a>	Available to parents. Provides life cover, together with a critical illness option, to meet a large proportion of the pupil's future fees up to age 18 upon the death of the principal breadwinner. There are some restrictions to eligibility.  Details of this scheme are sent to all new parents and are available online at <a href="http://www.sfs-group.co.uk">www.sfs-group.co.uk</a>
Personal Effects Insurance	£7.73 per term	<i>Optional/Senior School pupils automatically covered.</i> Provides cover for damage or loss to your child's personal belongings (except mobile phones) during term time.

# Payments and Policies

## 2024/25

The College encourages payment by Direct Debit or online payment, but payment may also be made by electronic funds transfer or cheque if desired.

### Online payments

For card payments please visit [hppc.co.uk/about-us/fees-online-payments](https://hppc.co.uk/about-us/fees-online-payments) and quote your College account number. Please note that payment by non-personal credit cards and international debit cards may incur a surcharge.

### Monthly payments

Although all fees are due on the first day of term, the College offers a monthly payment option for parents paying by Direct Debit. Under this arrangement the termly fees for the year are collected by 10 equal payments (which are set at approximately 10% of the basic annual fees) commencing on 28 July (or thereabouts) and monthly thereafter until 28 April of the following year, with a further balancing payment (to allow for extras, etc.) on 28 May. There is no charge for this arrangement.

If you would like to take advantage of this scheme (or wish to pay by termly Direct Debit), please contact the College's Bursary team ([finance@hppc.co.uk](mailto:finance@hppc.co.uk)) as soon as possible to request a Direct Debit mandate.

### Fees in Advance Scheme

Details of the College's Fees in Advance Scheme can be obtained from the College's Finance Director.

In 2024, this scheme may allow parents who wish to pay for several terms fees in advance to do so under the current VAT legislation.

### Policies

Please visit the Hurst website [hppc.co.uk](https://hppc.co.uk) to read view all our policies, including:

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Admissions Policy

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Awards Policy

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Boarding Principles and Practice

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Child Protection and Safeguarding Policy

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Data Protection Policy

### Contact us

If you have any queries, please contact Valentine Chiketa, Finance Director at [valentine.chiketa@hppc.co.uk](mailto:valentine.chiketa@hppc.co.uk) 01273 833636



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