

PREPARATORY SCHOOL & NURSERY

# MAIN SCHOOL FEE SCHEDULE 2025/26

| Year            | Age | Class                 | Fees per<br>Term inc.<br>VAT | Lunches<br>per Term<br>(exempt) | Classroom<br>Supplies<br>(exempt) | Total Fees<br>per Term |  |  |
|-----------------|-----|-----------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|--|--|
| KINDERGARTEN    |     |                       |                              |                                 |                                   |                        |  |  |
| Reception       | 4+  | Kindergarten (KG)     | £3,831                       | £541                            | £77                               | £4,449                 |  |  |
| PRE-PREPARATORY |     |                       |                              |                                 |                                   |                        |  |  |
| 1               | 5+  | Lower Transition (LT) | £4,388                       | £541                            | £77                               | £5,006                 |  |  |
| 2               | 6+  | Upper Transition (UT) | £4,388                       | £541                            | £77                               | £5,006                 |  |  |

## Fees do not include optional extra curricula lessons, specialist sports coaches and educational visits.

## Swimming

All children from Kindergarten to Upper Transition are expected to attend swimming lessons, which are charged at £86 (inc VAT) per term. Kindergarten children do not swim in the autumn term.

## **Registration Fee**

Upon application to the School, a non-refundable registration and administration fee of £120 (inc VAT) is payable.

## **Acceptance of Place - Deposit**

Upon acceptance, an advance payment of £500 (exempt) is to be paid for each child. This payment will be returned at the end of the final term after any outstanding charges have been deducted. If the child's parents live outside the UK at the time of Registration, a full term's fees are required as a deposit.

## **Sibling Reduction**

A third of a term's tuition fees will be discounted for the third and subsequent children of a family, all of whom are in attendance at the same time. A child cannot be the recipient of two fee discounts i.e. bursary and third sibling discount; the largest award applies.

## Notice

One term's notice in writing, or a term's fees in lieu of notice, is required on or before the first day of term should a parent wish to remove a child from the School for any reason. Two terms' notice in writing is required for a pupil entering our Kindergarten Class. The ceasing of an optional subject, i.e. ballet, also requires one term's written notice to the specialist teacher.

## Fees

Fees are due on or before the first day of term, although there is the option for termly fees to be split into 3 equal monthly payments. If paying in 3 instalments, payments need to be paid via direct debit and are due on the first day of term and then on the first day of the following 2 months. If a direct debit payments is not received on time, the option of paying in instalments is likely to be removed.

There is an administration charge of £25 for the second and subsequent emails sent to parents notifying them of late payment. Should fees remain outstanding after the third week of term, it is the School's policy to charge 2% per month for each month or part thereof that fees are paid after the due date, and a

child may be excluded by the Headmistress until payment is received. No refund of fees is made for absence.

#### Learning Support

For those pupils who require one-to-one support, this is available. Please contact the School Office for further details.

#### **Instrument Hire**

For pupils who require the use of an instrument for Viva Violins (Upper Transition, 3 terms) a charge of £16.50 (inc VAT) per term, will be added to their account. This charge includes replacement reeds (where appropriate) and cleaning of the instrument. Any damage to the musical instrument will be charged on a case by case basis.

#### **Childcare Vouchers**

The School is registered with several Childcare Voucher providers. The School is happy to accept Childcare Vouchers in payment for Breakfast Club, Stay & Play and Prep Club. The Government restrict the use of vouchers to on-site activities that do not take place in normal School hours (this means School trips are excluded). Please contact the Bursar for further details: <u>finance@rydeshill.com</u>

## **Optional Extras**

The School offers a range of optional extras including 7.30am Breakfast Club, Stay & Play, individual and group musical instrument lessons, tennis, speech & drama.

|   |  | PRICE PER SESSION |
|---|--|-------------------|
| Breakfast Club  | 7.30 am to 8.00 am (please book at least 24 hrs in   | £7.50             |
| Early Drop Off  | advance)   | £4.25             |
| Stay & Play   | Complimentary for children waiting for siblings coming from Tormead to Rydes Hill by shuttle bus | Complimentary     |
| Stay & Play   | Stay & Play 3.30 pm to 4.45 pm (1h15 minutes, including a snack)                                 |                   |
| Stay & Play 3.30 pm to 6.00 pm (including a snack and light supper) |  | £21.00            |
| Late Pick-up Charge   | Per quarter hour or part thereof   | £27.00            |

Individual and group musical instrument lessons, tennis, ballet and speech & drama fees are charged directly by the provider and are available from the School Office.

#### **OUR BANK DETAILS ARE:**

Account Name: Rydes Hill School

| Bank:   | Royal Bank of Scotland | Branch:     | 10 North Street, Guildford, Surrey GU1 4AF |  |  |  |
|---|------------------------|-------------|--|--|--|--|
| Sort Code:  | 16-20-30               | Account No: | 11808199                                   |  |  |  |
| International Payments: Royal Bank of Scotland IBN Code: GB64RBOS16203011808199 |                        |             |  |  |  |  |

Fees are reviewed each Spring Term by the Governing Body and communicated to the School before Summer Term commences.