

Schedule Of Fees

From 1st September 2025 to 31 August 2026



IPSWICH SCHOOL

Fees are inclusive of VAT where applicable.

Registration and Deposits (Acceptance Deposits are exempt from VAT)	
Registration Fee (UK)	£90
Registration Fee (International)	£120
Acceptance Deposit (UK)	£200
Acceptance Deposit for UK boarding entrants into Senior School	£2,000
Acceptance Deposit for International boarding entrants into Senior School	£15,000

Day Pupils

The Day Fee at Ipswich School covers tuition, most School activities, games sessions, textbooks, senior school study support 4.30pm - 6pm, pupils' personal accident insurance, the majority of travel to matches, and access to Wi-Fi and the internet.

Day Fee (Inclusive of VAT)			
Preparatory School	Lower Prep	Reception	£4,987
		Years 1 & 2	£5,998
	Upper Prep	Year 3	£6,596
		Year 4	£6,296
		Years 5 & 6	£6,742
Senior School	Senior School	Years 7 & 8	£8,104
		Years 9 - 13	£8,849

Lunch is provided for all pupils in Reception through to Year 3. For these years the cost of lunch has been included within the Day Fee quoted above.

Lunch	
Pre booked Lunch (Years 4 -13)	£6.90 per day
Emergency Lunch (Years 4 -13)	£8.25 per day

Breakfast	
Supervised breakfast club - Reception - 6	£5.99 per day
Available for Senior pupils (in the Main Dining Hall)	Paid for on a daily basis

Late Stay Charges (Exempt from VAT)		Per Session
Full Session	Upper Prep - 3.50pm - 6pm	£15.76
	Lower Prep - 3.30pm - 6pm	£18.51
Short Session	Upper Prep	£7.60
	Lower Prep	£11.11

If your child is collected before 5pm or attends a club within the Late Stay timings then a short session fee will apply. Late collection will be charged at £20 per half hour per child for collection after 6pm.

Boarding Pupils

For Full Boarders, the Boarding Fee includes everything in the Day Fee, as well as breakfast, lunch, supper, evening snacks, laundry services, and a variety of in-house activities during the week and at weekends, including EAL lessons (if required). The fees below are inclusive of VAT. Please note that an amount for lunches will be itemised separately on your invoice but is not an additional charge.

Boarding Fee (inclusive of VAT)		Per Term
Full Boarding	Years 7 - 8	£17,246
	Years 9 - 13	£17,991

Flexi-Boarding*

Ipswich School offers a Flexi-boarding package, allowing families to pre-select specific nights for their child to board each week across the term. Booked in advance on a termly basis, your child is guaranteed the same bed in the same House on their chosen nights. Flexi-boarding requires a fixed number of nights each week but does not need to be consecutive (e.g., a pupil choosing the 'Two Night' option might board on Mondays and Thursdays). Bookings, changes or cancellations of Flexi-boarding must be made on the first day of the 2nd half of the preceding term.

The additional charge per term for this option, on top of the Day and Lunch Fee, is:

Flexi Boarding	1 Day	2 Days	3 Days	4 Days
Years 7 - 8	£796	£1,592	£2,388	£3,184
Years 9 - 13	£802	£1,609	£2,412	£3,214

*All bookings are subject to availability

Continuing Educational Allowance

Families eligible for the Continuity of Education Allowance (CEA) are required to pay 10% of the Boarding fee (excluding extras and other charges).

Extras Boarding Charges

Details of extras charges relating to boarding, including airport transfers, are available on request and we will arrange on your behalf. Please send your requests to boarding@ipswich.school. There will be occasions where we purchase items on your child's behalf as loco parentis (eg. medical items etc).

Other Charges

Academic Coaching

Play Therapy and One to One Tuition is available at an additional cost. Rates are available upon request.

Clubs

The School offers a range of clubs which parents can opt their children into, many of which are free to access. Details of additional clubs and their charges will be shared at the point of applying and are available on request.

Combined Cadet Force

The School offers the Combined Cadet Force programme for pupils in Year 10 through to Year 13 at an additional cost. The initial cost for the programme is £100, with an annual charge of £45 for each consecutive year. These costs cover all adventure training, uniform, and transport costs. Additional charges may apply for excursions, including camps and survival weekends, details of which are available on request.

Duke of Edinburgh

The Duke of Edinburgh Award is available at the School for pupils in Year 9 through to Year 13 at an additional cost. There is an initial cost for registration and a participation place from the National DofE Award, this generally ranges between £38 and £40 depending on qualification level (Bronze, Silver or Gold). The Bronze Expedition is held locally and costs in the region of £35, the Silver and Gold expeditions are held further afield and the cost can be between £160 and £190. These costs include all training and expedition equipment, additional meal costs may apply.

Exams

Additional examination board fees will be incurred for examination entry, including entry to music examinations. GCSE Examination Fees usually range from £45 to £90 per exam, whilst A Level Examination Fees are between £100 to £210 per exam. Music Board Examination Fees vary depending on the examination board, as well as the grade (varying from £53 to £229). Additional charges will apply for School instrument hire (if applicable), details of which are available on request.

Fees Refund Scheme

The School offers a Fees Refund Scheme for an additional charge, further details can be found on our [website](#).

Music and LAMDA Lessons

Music lessons are provided by external Visiting Music and LAMDA Teachers and are invoiced separately by the external provider. The School has a variety of musical instruments that are available for hire for lessons and examinations. For further information please contact the music department musicenquiries@ipswich.school

Plays, Concerts, Expeditions and Trips

The School may subsidise the cost of expeditions related to the curriculum. However, full charges will apply for optional visits. All residentials are compulsory.

Private Health Care

The School offers optional Private Healthcare provided by AXA Health for an additional charge. Further details can be found on our [website](#).

Pupil Home to School Transport

Ipswich School operates a fleet of coaches and minibuses providing transport for children to and from School across Suffolk and Essex. These routes are provided by StudentSafe, our chosen transport provider. Our routes are regularly reviewed to ensure we can accommodate families who wish to use our safe, convenient, and reliable transport service. For details of the routes and charges, visit the StudentSafe website at <https://studentsafe.com/ipswichschool/>.

Pupil's Personal Possessions

The School does not accept responsibility for claims arising from the loss of, or damage to, pupils' property. Parents are advised to arrange coverage through an appropriate extension of their Household Insurance policy.

Miscellaneous Items

Additional charges will apply for miscellaneous purchases, including but not limited to, items such as calculators, gum shields and art supplies.

Accounts

Payment

Fees are payable on the first day of each term (preferably by Direct Debit). Payment can be made by instalment or by Direct Debit (12 instalments per academic year, 4 per term). Parents who wish to pay by instalments should contact the Bursary (fees@ipswich.school).

Unpaid Fees

Interest will be charged on overdue fees at a rate of 3% per year above the base rate. A charge of £30 (inclusive of VAT) may apply for each returned Direct Debit.

Financial Support

The school does have a bursary support programme. Please visit our [website](#) to find out more.