



22 March 2024

Dear Parents and Guardians

I am writing to you on the subject of fees for the 2024/25 academic year.

The Stowe Group Board of Governors has carefully considered the fees for the coming year. We are, of course, very mindful of the cost pressures that parents are under and the sacrifices being made to educate their children in The Stowe Group. We continue to do what we can to reduce costs without compromising the unique opportunities and facilities provided by an education in The Stowe Group. This requires continued investment to enable us to deliver a world-class education.

Our aim is always to keep fee increases to a minimum. While CPI fell to 3.4% in February, service sector inflation is higher with significant increases to the National Minimum Wage and an almost 25% increase in the cost of food since January 2022. The Executive Team and the Governors are keenly focused on reducing costs over the medium term, bearing in mind the potential political threats facing the independent school sector as a whole. We continue to plan for the worst and to hope for the best.

We know that planning ahead for our Parents and Guardians is important and we want to give as much notice as possible so that you can do this. I am therefore writing to advise that the Board has agreed the following fees to take effect from the Michaelmas Term 2024:

Boarding: £15,567 per term (£46,701 per annum).

Day in Boarding: £11,192 per term (£33,576 per annum).

Day: £9,488 per term (£28,464 per annum)

The Board, Anthony and I are hugely appreciative of the continued support you continue to show the School.

I look forward to seeing you all in the Summer on Speech Day.

With kind regards

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