



## Bursary Expenses

A Thomas's Foundation (TF) Bursary holder is responsible for the balance of school fees that are not covered by the Bursary. This is due at the beginning of each term or can be settled in monthly instalments.

Thomas's and TF want all pupils to enjoy the full benefits and experience of life at school. With the school's support, pupils on a TF Bursary are encouraged to play a full part in school life.

The following items are included within the Bursary:

- Lunch
- Morning snack
- All compulsory residential school trips
- Invitation clubs e.g. Sport team/squad, music ensemble/orchestra/choir/theory
- Examination fees for Common Entrance exams, for Associated Board music exams and Trinity Guildhall drama exams
- Senior school registration fees for up to four schools recommended by Thomas's
- Thomas's Leavers' yearbook

## Additional Expenses

### Uniform:

New uniform is available from Perry ([www.perryuniform.co.uk](http://www.perryuniform.co.uk)).

When a child starts at Thomas's one full set of uniform will be provided by Perry free of charge. This will include a sports kit, a bag and a coat but excludes footwear. There is also an excellent second hand uniform shop at school for additional or subsequent items.

### Books and equipment:

Compulsory books and equipment will be charged at the same percentage as the Bursary award. For example, if the Bursary is for 80% of fees and you pay 20%, you will also pay 20% of the cost of the books and equipment.

### Clubs, Extra Activities:

- After-School Clubs: As well as the free clubs (which are by invitation only) for sports teams, music groups etc. there are lots of after-school clubs on offer at between £80 and £150 per term. Bursary pupils may join three clubs at the same percentage as the Bursary award. For example, if the Bursary is for 80% of fees and you pay 20%, you will also pay 20% of the cost of the clubs and extra activities.

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- Music: There are opportunities for children to have one music lesson if they wish. Again, as with clubs, Bursary pupils may join the lessons at the same percentage as the Bursary award. For example, if the Bursary is for 80% of fees and you pay 20%, you will also pay 20% of the cost of the music lessons.

**Trips:**

- Compulsory residential trips which are part of the curriculum are included.
- Other day trips are charged at the same percentage as the bursary.
- Voluntary out of school trips, for example to sporting events, are at the discretion of the Headmaster and TF.

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