



# Charging for School Activities Policy

## Settrington All Saints' CE Primary School

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### **1.0 CHARGING FOR SCHOOL ACTIVITIES**

- 1.1. That the full cost of board and lodging on any residential visits be charged to parents (with exceptions detailed in paragraph 2.1 below).
- 1.2. That a charge be made for the full cost of activities which take place wholly or mainly outside school hours, but which are not provided as part of the syllabus for a prescribed public examination and are not required in order to fulfil statutory duties relating to the National Curriculum or to Religious Education.
- 1.3. That in connection with any activity – in or out of school hours, voluntary contributions may be sought by the Headteacher from parents, provided that the contributions are genuinely voluntary and that a parent's inability or unwillingness to pay does not prevent a child from taking part in the activity. However, if insufficient voluntary contributions are received then, regrettably, the activity will not go ahead.
- 1.4. That a parent may be asked by the Headteacher to pay for any damage caused wilfully by a pupil.
- 1.5. That a nominal charge may be made towards the use of materials for practical subjects e.g. needlework, art and craft, design and technology, cookery, when finished items are taken home.

### **2.0 REMISSION OF CHARGES FOR SCHOOL ACTIVITIES**

- 2.1 On residential visits wholly or mainly in school hours in the definition of the Act or provided as part of the syllabus for a prescribed public examination or in order to fulfil statutory duties relating to the national Curriculum or to Religious Education charges for board and lodging will be remitted for pupils whose parents are in receipt of Income Support or Family Credit, the costs to be found from within school resources.