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## **Charging Policy**

### **INTRODUCTION**

Northumberland Pupil Referral Unit does not charge for any activity undertaken during school hours as part of the curriculum.

### **School Trips/Visits and Activities during School Time**

When organising activities, trips or visits which enrich the curriculum and educational experience of the children, the PRU and the Management Committee have decided not to ask for any contribution from parents/carers.

The following is a list of additional activities sometimes organised by the PRU. This list is not exhaustive:

- visits to museums
- sporting activities – sometimes involving transport expenses
- outdoor adventure activities
- visits to the theatre
- musical events
- visits to local attractions

### **Residential Visits – Charges**

If the PRU organises a residential visit in school time or mainly school time, which is to provide education directly related to the curriculum, the Management Committee have decided not to ask for any contribution from parents/carers. For any overseas visits which may take place, the PRU will seek a contribution towards the cost where appropriate and according to individual circumstances.

### **Out of School Clubs and Activities**

The Management Committee have decided not to ask for any contribution from parents/carers for out of school clubs/attention sessions.

### **Loss of/damage to School Property**

Parents/carers **will** be asked to meet the costs of repair/replacement of school property lost or damaged as a result of a pupil's misbehaviour.

Policy will be reviewed annually.

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