



CLC School Fees and Optional Enhancements – 2021-2022

Basic Student Fee:	Student Activity Fee	\$25
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Go Cards and Cobra App• Athletics (Weight Room and LC Tournaments)• Student events and celebrations		

Graduation Ceremony	Grad Fee (see appendix)	\$20
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Facility rental• Food and decorations		

Deposits for Textbooks	(Refundable upon return)	\$50
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Workbooks	Loaned to students and offered for sale at cost.	
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Other Fees:

- Calculators are available to borrow or purchase at cost.
- Fine Arts supplies are available to purchase at cost, or can be purchased by the student at the vendor of choice.
- Field Trips, Outings and Training (Superhost, Foodsafe, CPR). These options are available to all students at a subsidized cost, and are not a required component of courses for graduation.

Please Note – School fees for 2021-2022 may change due to circumstances in schools as a result of Covid-19.



Appendix: Legislation and School Fees

Instruction is provided free of charge to all students registered in a school's education program sufficient to meet the general requirements of graduation, and it shall provide free of charge any resource material necessary to participate in that program. The School Act permits the charging of fees for certain items. In Surrey secondary schools, the following structure applies through Board Policy 9802 related to fees and any costs for students or families. Any school fees will be communicated to parents and students of each school's community on an annual basis.

Basic School Supplies

Students will need to provide their own basic supplies and equipment for their own personal use at school. This includes supplies such as paper, writing tools, calculators, notebooks, gym strip, sewing kits, and some other items needed for various electives.

Inability to Pay Fees

The district's hardship policy is an important part of our fees. No student will be denied the ability to participate in any part of the school's educational programs as a result of an inability to pay. Cloverdale Learning Centre has a process whereby fees may be waived because of financial hardship. The process incorporates the principles of fairness, confidentiality, and sensitivity, while maintaining family respect and dignity.

Student Activity Fee

This fee is charged to all students.

Field Trips

Students may be charged fees for expenses such as transportation, accommodation, meals, entrance fees and equipment rentals for optional field trips, or other extracurricular outings or events. Students will not be charged fees for any field studies/field trips where attendance is mandatory as part of a course or program.

Graduation Ceremonies

The graduation ceremony is an important tradition that represents the end of a student's school experience. Costs do apply as these extracurricular events are hosted in a variety of venues. No student will be denied the ability to participate in the commencement ceremony due to an inability to pay the cost. Every effort is made to keep costs to a minimum and no school will compile an ongoing surplus as a result of monies collected to host a graduation ceremony.

Materials Consumed in a Course

In courses that consume materials (e.g. art, cooking, woodworking, metalwork, textiles) schools can only charge for materials or goods that are surplus to what would be necessary for the student to meet the expected outcomes in a course. If a student is going beyond the basic requirements of a course and creating projects for personal use (e.g. creating a table of mahogany rather than plywood), then the student may bring their own materials from home or the cost for the materials for these enhanced projects may be recovered through a fee.

**Textbook or Calculator Deposits**

In accordance with the School Act, the Board may require deposits for educational resource materials, such as textbooks, novels and other resource materials. The Board will refund all of the deposit to the student upon return of the educational resource materials in good condition. Students will be advised of terms of the deposit at the time the deposit is required. Waiver procedures must be in place for all deposits.

Workbooks

Workbooks are optional enhancements to educational programs. These workbooks are designed for a student's personal use as they will write in the books during the course of instruction. Where a workbook is regularly used as part of a course and a student does not wish to purchase their own workbook, one will be provided and students will not be permitted to write in the workbook. Where there is an optional fee for a workbook, that fee will match as close as reasonably possible to the exact cost of the workbook to the school. We do not accumulate an ongoing surplus as a result of workbook fees.