

Student Fees

No elementary or secondary school in the district shall require payment of fees as a condition of admission to those students entitled under law to free admission, however, schools may charge the following fees or deposits under provisions of Oregon Revised Statutes.

Fees-Instructional Program

1. Courses not part of the regular school program, e.g., a bowling class where no credit or grade is given.
2. Any program where the resultant product, in excess of the minimum course requirements and at the student's option, becomes the personal property of the student.
3. Field trips considered optional to the school's regular program.
4. Towels for physical education classes or extracurricular sports programs.
5. A deposit for a lock or locker.
6. A security deposit on a standard prescribed textbook, which shall be refunded if the textbook is returned in usable condition.
7. A security deposit on material or equipment, which shall be refunded if that material or equipment is returned in usable condition.
8. Student use of musical instruments owned or rented by the district. Not to exceed the rental cost to the district or the annual depreciation plus maintenance cost.

Optional Fees - Extracurricular Activities

Optional products and student body cards may be purchased at the discretion of the student and shall not be required as a condition of enrollment or attendance in the regular school program. The school principal is responsible to inform students and their parents concerning student fees, clearly differentiating between required fees and the following optional fees:

1. Student Body Card - Permits student participation as a player or a spectator at extracurricular activities;
2. Admission for special student extracurricular activities which are not covered under the student body card;

3. Items of personal use or products which a student may purchase, such as student publications, class rings, graduation announcements or student pictures.

Optional Fees - Services

1. Student Health and accident insurance.
2. Hot lunch program.

Any parent who believes a payment of any fee authorized by the school is a severe hardship may request the school to waive payment of the fee in whole or in part and the fee shall be waived in whole or in part upon the findings of a hardship. However, no school shall impose or collect fees from any student who is a ward of a juvenile court or of the Services to Children and Families, unless budgeted funds are available for that purpose.