

Beatlie School

Cost of the school day statement 2024-25







Transport

All pupils in Beatlie have the option to travel to school on council transport at no cost to families.



Meals

School snacks and lunches are provided free of charge. A menu is shared with families each term.



Visits out of school

Any excursions are fully funded by the school. This includes class trips, community activities and visits further afield, particularly in Senior Phase.



<u>Awareness</u>

At Beatlie we are very mindful of the impact of the cost of the school day.

We discuss this at our Friends of Beatlie meetings and staff are encouraged to reflect on this when planning activities.

We consulted with our families this year and have taken on board suggestions to inform our action plan.



Advice and support

Beatlie has an open door policy for all our families. We are always happy to signpost to the right agency for support when needed.

Staff may also support parents and carers when applying for funding support. This may take the form of written confirmation of a child's needs.



Events in school

Special events in school are always free for Beatlie pupils and their families.

Any fundraising events are highlighted as this on our calendar but donations are always optional, discreet and should never discourage families from coming along.



Clothing

Uniform is optional at Beatlie and we have a uniform bank for families to use. Information about donating items is shared through Learning Journals each term.



Learning

Day to day activities in school run with no cost to families. Any specialist activities are also provided free of charge. Last year these included the Clown Drs, Dance Namaste and Oily Cart Theatre production.