

CEMETERY FEES – April 2025

Burial costs - Shinfield & St Sebastian's Cemeteries

Exclusive Rights of Burial for ¹

Burial: 100 years	£2263.00
Burial or extension of rights 75 years	£1697.00
Burial or extension of rights 50 years	£1191.00
Extension of rights 25 years	£ 655.00
Child Burial space: 100 years (under 18 years old) ²	£2095.00

Cremated remains: 100 years	£ 719.00
Cremated remains or extension of rights 75 years	£ 539.00
Cremated remains or extension of rights 50 years	£ 379.00
Cremated remains or extension of rights 25 years	£ 218.00

Cremated remains scattering on WBC land	£ 91.00
Cremated remains scattering within prescribed Cemetery scattering areas	£ 100.00

Interment fees¹

Burial: Interment 18 years and over	£ 754.00
Burial: Interment of a child under 5 years (including stillborn) ²	£ 139.00
Burial: Interment of a child 5 years - 17 years ²	£ 278.00
Interment of cremated remains	£ 252.00

New grave (Full Burial) EROB Fee+ £754.00

New grave (Cremated remains) EROB + £252.00

Charges for burial in any grave or vault are trebled for people who did not live in the Borough of Wokingham at the time of their death.³

If the person paying for the funeral is receiving any means tested benefits, they may be able to claim financial help from the Social Fund.

Memorials⁴

Prices for work permit Type of grave	Permit fee	
Traditional Grave	£314.00	(£261.67 ex vat)
Cremated remains tablet/small headstone (4" high x 2' wide max)	£164.00	(£136.67 ex vat)
Additional inscriptions or work	£100.00	(£83.33 ex vat)

Transferring ownership of a grave

Ownership can be transferred if:

- the registered owner decides to assign the grave to someone else
- an application is made for a burial in the grave but the registered owner has already died
- an application to place a memorial/additional inscription the grave is made but the registered owner has died

Other Fees

Transfer of grave ownership	£95.00	(£79.17 ex vat)
Staff search in the Register of Burials or Cremations	£21.00	(£17.50 ex vat)
Public search in the Register of Burials or Cremations	Free	
Exhumations	At cost	

Notes

1. Exclusive Rights **and** Interment fee, payable on 1st interment /new burial.
2. Fees can be reclaimed through the Children's Funeral Fund
3. Resident grave purchase fees based on permanent address of deceased. Non-residents arranging the interment of Wokingham resident following death will qualify for Wokingham resident fees. Applies to 1st interment only, 2nd and subsequent interments as per resident's fee.
4. A memorial permit must be obtained before any memorial is installed or modified in a cemetery. Permit fee covers administration and memorial safety inspections by cemetery

All prices are inclusive of VAT where applicable.

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