

CREMATORIA PRICE INFORMATION

The Crematoria options available in this area, along with the prices and times of services, are as follows:

Crematorium Name	Standard Fee Attended Service		Unattended Service Fee		Reduced Fee Attended Service	
	Fee	Days/Times this fee applies	Fee	Days/Times this fee applies	Fee	Days/Times this fee applies
Bushbury Crematorium	£940.00	Mon - Fri, 9:00am - 4:00pm	not offered	not offered	not offered	not offered
Gornal-Wood Crematorium	£995.00	Mon - Fri, 9:00am - 4:10pm	not offered	not offered	not offered	not offered
Cannock Chase Crematorium	£940.00	Mon - Fri, 11:30am - 3:30pm	£395.00	Mon - Fri, 8:30am, 8:45am and 9:00am	£550.00	Mon - Fri, 9:30am - 10:00am
Mercia Forest	£950.00	Mon - Wed, 10:00am - 3pm	£545.00	by arrangement	£750.00	Mon - Fri, 9:00am and 9:30am
Mercia Forest	£1,050.00	Mon - Wed, 10:00am - 3pm	£545.00	by arrangement	£750.00	Mon - Fri, 9:00am and 9:30am

Further Information

For more detail concerning the products, services and prices charged by local crematoria, please refer to the “**Supporting Information Folder**” or speak to a member of our team for additional guidance. We can also provide you with printed copies of this information or any of the documents contained within the Supporting Information Folder. These can also be emailed to you if you prefer.

BURIAL FEES		£
PRIVATE GRAVES	1. (a) *Exclusive Right of Burial for 75 years, for persons 18 years and over.	2110.00
	(a1) Exclusive Right of Burial for 75 years, for persons between 4 & 17 years (Fees claimed through the Children's Funeral Fund (CFF))	1800.00
	(b) Premium Burial Fee (50%).	1055.00
	(c) Additional fee for purchasing the Exclusive Right of Burial as for 1(a), when a burial is not imminent ('reserving a grave').	153.00
	(d) Interment fees (for first and subsequent burials). First interment of non-resident into a pre-purchased grave when it is not the owner - Premium Fee (50%).	1040.00 520.00
RENEWAL OF EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL FOR FURTHER 25 YEARS	(e) If burial space remains.	673.00
	(f) If no burial space remains inc. Babies graves.	153.00
CHILD UNDER 17 YEARS OF AGE ON ANY SECTION, IN ANY CEMETERY (in a single depth grave)	2. (a) Exclusive Right of Burial for 75 years for a child under 4 years, including stillborn babies. (Fees claimed through the CFF)	1500.00
	(b) Interment fee for children under the age of 18 (includes stillborn babies and child cremated remains) maximum coffin size for Babies sections: 4' x 1'8"	Free
	(c) Interment of Non-Viable Foetus In NVF section only per individual casket (no memorials permitted)	Free
NB No adult cremated remains can be buried in a Babies Memorial Grave (BMG). A new memorial feature is available on the NVF section at Bushbury Cemetery		
PUBLIC GRAVES (Danescourt only)	3. (a) Burial of a person who has died after reaching 18 years of age 1 Coffin Depth	1040.00
NATURAL BURIAL AREA (BUSHBURY) - No memorials allowed		
Biodegradable coffin or Casket only (single depth only)	4. (a) * Exclusive Right of Burial in Natural area for 75 years	1142.00
	(b) Premium Burial Fee (50%).	571.00
	(c) Interment fee.	690.00
VAULT	5. (a) *Exclusive Right of Burial (for Beacon Hill Chambers).	2397.00
	(b) Premium Burial Fee (50%).	1198.00
	(c) Vault reservation fee as per (1c).	153.00
	(d) Interment fee for any subsequent burial in a vault. Old type Bilston and Merridale	325.00
	Beacon Hill Chambers (size restrictions on headstones apply)	600.00

BRICKED GRAVES

(Double & Single Walled Chamber)
(A construction service is **not**
available. Funeral Directors
should organise a contractor
direct).

BURIAL OF CREMATED REMAINS

6. (a) *Exclusive Right of Burial	1990.00
(b) First interment fee	
1 Coffin Depth	325.00
2 Coffin Depth	325.00
(c) Subsequent interments in existing bricked grave	325.00
	£
7. (a) *Exclusive Right of Burial of cremated remains for 75 years for persons 18 years and over.	1195.00
(a1) Exclusive Right of Burial of cremated remains – family plot for up to 6 sets of remains. (Extension Map E 2)	1500.00
(b) Premium Burial Fee (50%).	598.00
(c) Additional fee for purchasing the Exclusive Right of Burial as for 7(a), when a burial is not imminent (reserving a grave).	82.00
(d) Exclusive Right of Burial of cremated remains for 75 years, for a child under 18 years of age. (Fees claimed through the CFF)	995.00
(e) Interment fee for first and subsequent burials (not witnessed) (see also 7 (i))	325.00
(f) First interment of non-resident into a pre-purchased reserved grave when it is not the owner - Premium Fee (50%).	163.00
(g) Interment fee for burial of cremated remains of a child under 18 years of age (no additional fee to witness).	Free
(h) Interment fee for burial of two sets of cremated remains at the same time.	
In one container	325.00
In two separate containers	380.00
(i) Interment fee when burial takes place in full earthen grave at:	
5' Depth to allow for one further full burial.	1040.00
6'6" Depth to allow for two further full burials.	1040.00
NB. Not applicable at Bushbury extension as the cremated remains are buried in the grave channel (see (e) above). Cremated remains to be placed before a memorial is erected.	
(j) Witness Fee.	35.00
(k) Remains from away to be placed in WG or GOR only.	92.00
(l) Placing cremated remains loosely in graves (no further interments will be allowed).	92.00
(m) if burial space remains.	392.00
(n) if no burial space remains.	153.00

RENEWAL OF EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL OF CREMATED REMAINS FOR FURTHER 25 YEARS

CHARGES MARKED WITH * MAY BE SUBJECT TO A "NON-RESIDENT FEE".

PLEASE REFER TO YOUR "PREMIUM BURIAL FEE POLICY DOCUMENT" FOR CLARIFICATION

EXHUMATIONS

	£
8. (a) Exhumation of coffin from grave:	
Adult (18 years and over)	2244.00
Child (5 up to 18 years of age)	673.00
Child (under 5 years of age)	225.00
Non-Viable Foetus	92.00
(b) Exhumation of cremated remains in a CR grave (up to 2 sets)	368.00

Exhumation of cremated remains from full grave (up to 2 sets)	765.00
Exhumation from memorial features eg GX, NRB, Vaults, Kerbs	95.00

CREMATION FEES

(incl. Crem Certificate)

9. (a) Cremation of:	
Adult (18 years and over), including Cremation Certificate	940.00
Adult (18 years and over) with extended chapel service	1068.00
Non-Viable Foetus, organs and other body parts removed during post-mortem (9.15am service only) per casket.	123.00
Child (under 18 years of age). (Fees claimed through the CFF)	250.00

MEMORIAL APPLICATION FEES FOR MOMUMENTAL MASONS

10. Permission to erect the following memorials where they are permitted:	
(a) New memorials including flat stones and kerbing from 1 January 2021.	100.00
(b) Headstone/flat-stone/other sculptural skills pre 1 April 1998.	100.00
(c) Vase - no inscription.	35.00
(d) Additional inscription - including vases.	55.00
(e) Babies public graves.	35.00
(f) Babies Memorials.	100.00
(g) Refurbishment and/or re-gilding.	35.00
(h) Replacement/Amendments to memorial.	40.00
(i) Breach of the City Council's Memorial Regulations.	90.00

**Where incidents arise that vary from the above norm, please email
Bereavement Services on Memorial.applications@wolverhampton.gov.uk.**

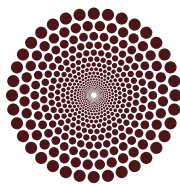
OTHER FEES AND CHARGES

11. (a) Use of Crematorium chapel(s) for burial services.	128.00
(f) Transfer of ownership of 'The Exclusive Right of Burial' (no charge for transfer to spouse or if grave is full).	35.00
(g) Fee for search of burial registers (per half hour of officer's time).	15.00
(h) Cremation disposal certificate.	Free
(i) Transfer of grave location - administrative charge.	60.00
(j) Replacement Deed.	12.00

**** Waiving of any of the above charges is at the discretion of the Bereavement Services Manager and
any appeals to such charges must be made in writing.**

Bereavement Service Obitus Media Fees (With effect from September 2023)

Service	Fee	Service Description
Live and On Demand Webcast	£60	Live webcast with access to a recording of the service to watch again.
Halo Photo	£10	One photo shown throughout the service or at the time of a family's choosing.
Basic Slideshow up to 50 photos	£70	Up to 50 photos with simple fade transition, played on a loop or at a time of the family's choosing. This slideshow is not set to music but can be played at the same time as a pre-requested song Additional photo's will be charged per 25 photos.
Music Tribute up to 25 photos	£90	Up to 25 photos set to music, professionally edited into a video style tribute and shown at a time of the family's choosing. Music tribute is set to music Additional photo's will be charged per 25 photos.
Family made tribute	£20	Checking and preparation of a video created by the family. Slideshow is played at a specific time within the service.
Addition photos fee per 25 photos	£25	Slideshows have a maximum number of photos. This charge will be applied for every set of additional photos. Obitus will confirm in the order confirmation message is this fee will be applied.
Keepsake USB, DVD	£55	A recording of the webcast on USB/DVD/Blue-Ray in a presentation case.
Extra keepsake copy	£35	For each additional copy of an ordered keepsake
Extra work by Obitus	£25	This may include additional editing work or late changes to slideshows etc Obitus will confirm in the order confirmation message is this fee will be applied.



Cannock Chase
Crematorium

Cremation Fees & Charges from 1st April 2024

Cannock Chase Crematorium Norton Road, Heath Hayes, Cannock, Staffordshire WS12 3HJ

Sunrise Services

A Direct Unattended Cremation service.
8.30am, 8.45am, 9.00am

£395

Simple Service

A 30-minute early morning service with 15 minutes in the Ceremony Hall. Suitable for a smaller intimate service.
9.30am – 10.00am

£550

Serenity Services

A 45-minute service, with 30 minutes in the Ceremony Hall.
10.00am – 10.45am and 10.45am – 11.30am

£770

Memorial Service

The use of the Ceremony Hall for a memorial service.

£515

Celebration of Life Services

Full adult cremation service, 60 minutes between services, with 45 minutes in the Ceremony Hall.
First service 11.30am start, last service 3.30pm start.

£940

Saturday Service

Service times 9.30am, 10.30am, 11.30am

£1,400

Child and Young Person Service

Under 18 years old.

No charge

Double Service

If a family feels an hour is not enough time to say their goodbyes, we can extend the service by a further hour.

£1,455

2 family members to share 1 service

We are aware that there are times sadly when 2 family members have both been lost, they can share the service time in the Ceremony Hall.

£1,400

Care of Ashes

Scattering ashes from elsewhere. Ashes brought to site from another crematorium for scattering, with no memorialisation*

£70

Separating ashes

Separating ashes into 2 boxes with 2 cremation certificates, if arranged in advance on Cremation form 1 / after the service.

£25/£35

Our cremation fees include:

All professional services relating to the legal and statutory administration and registration of the cremation, including the medical referee service.

A fully abated, environmentally sensitive cremation.

The use of our Ceremony Hall along with the assistance of trained staff members on the day of the service.

The provision of digital Obitus music.

The preparation for the removal of ashes in a biodegradable ashes box, together with the Certificate of Cremation.

The scattering of ashes in our Garden of Remembrance from Monday to Friday with family present, if the service was held here.

* If a memorial is chosen by the family this fee will not be charged.



Dudley Metropolitan Borough

Bereavement Services

Table of fees and charges in respect
of borough cemeteries and crematoria

Effective from 1 January 2024

		£
1. Interment fees		
a) Foetus, stillborn or child whose age at death does not exceed one month. (1, 2 or 3 coffin depth)		Free of charge
b) A child whose age at the time of death exceeds one month but does not exceed 17 years.		Free of charge
c) Organs and other body parts removed in the course of a post mortem examination of a body whose age at death does not exceed 17 years.		Free of charge
d) A person whose age at death is 18 years and above.		
	1 coffin depth	1,180.00
	2 coffin depth	1,320.00
	3 coffin depth	1,630.00
e) Organs and other body parts removed in the course of a post mortem examination of body whose age at death is 18 years and above.		Free of charge
f) In bricked grave -		
	1 coffin depth	1,080.00
	2 coffin depth	1,220.00
g) Cremated remains		500.00
h) Cremated remains of a child up to 17 years old		Free of charge
i) Witness interment of cremated remains		40.00

Note: When two interments take place simultaneously in the same grave, only half of the interment fee is payable for the second interment. Last burial time will be at 3.00pm straight to grave from February to October and 2.30pm straight to grave from November to January.

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2. Exclusive right of burial		
	For exclusive right of burial to a maximum number of three interments for a period of 75 years with the option to renew on the terms then prevailing for a similar grant. From the 1st April 2000, this also includes the right to fix a memorial including the first inscription.	
a) Earthen grave		2,380.00
b) Bricked grave		2,680.00
c) Plot for burial of cremated remains		1,280.00
d) Woodland grave (Gornal Wood)		590.00
e) Babies grave		Free of charge

Note: The above exclusive right of burial and the interment fees are doubled:

- i) **When deceased is not a resident or council tax payer of the borough of Dudley.**
- ii) **When the burial rights are pre-purchased by anyone who is not a resident or council tax payer of the borough of Dudley.**

Provided that the increase shall not apply to the interment fee after the initial burial in a grave.

Exception

When deceased lived in the borough for the majority of their life and either moved or took up place in full time care outside the borough within two years of their death

	£
3. Cremation fees	
a) Of a foetus, still born or child whose age at the time of death does not exceed one month	Free of charge
b) Organs and other body parts removed in the course of the post mortem examination of a body	Free of charge
c) Of a child whose age at the time of death exceeds one month but does not exceed 17 years	Free of charge
d) Of a person whose age at the time of death is 18 years and above (attended/unattended)	995.00

The above fees include the medical referee's fee, use of the chapel and waiting rooms etc., provision of music system, all the attendances after the coffin is placed on the catafalque by the funeral director, disposal of cremated remains in the garden of remembrance or provision of a container when cremated remains are collected for private disposal and cremation certificate (if required).

Additional chapel services

Live webcasting of cremation/burial	35.00
Watch for a further 28 days	20.00
USB/DVD/Blue-ray of webcasting	55.00
Additional copies of USB/DVD/Blue-ray	30.00
Visual tributes - single photo	14.00
Visual tributes - simple slideshow (up to 25 photos)	43.00
Visual tributes - professional photo tribute of up to 25 photos set to music of choice	80.00
Checking of video supplied by family for playing during funeral service	20.00
Each additional 25 photos	21.00
Physical copy of professional photo tribute	21.00

	£
4. Memorials, vases and additional inscriptions	
a) For the right to affix a memorial including the first inscription	340.00
b) For the right to place a vase where no other memorial has been erected including first inscription	95.00
c) For the right to inscribe an additional inscription	95.00
5. Miscellaneous charges - Cemeteries and crematoria	
a) Fee for search of register	68.00 per hour
b) Strewing of cremated remains on grave (including removal of turf as necessary)	95.00
c) Additional chapel time including use of music system	190.00
d) Provision of memorial foundation slab for existing memorial	75.00
e) Assignment/transfer of burial rights	55.00
f) Wooden insert in grave	110.00
g) For the services, when available, of one council employee acting as bearer per funeral	85.00
h) Witness of strewing of cremated remains in garden of remembrance or placing in a columbarium niche	40.00
i) Scattering of cremated remains in the garden of remembrance or placing in columbarium niche when cremation took place out of the borough. Includes witness fee if required	40.00
j) Casket	100.00
k) Baby casket	45.00
l) Use of chapel where interment/cremation is not to take place in a Dudley Council cemetery/crematorium	420.00

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m)	Exhuming previously scattered remains on grave and re-interment into grave for future interments.	
	Single depth	510.00
	Double depth interment	600.00
n)	Concrete chamber (Dudley New Cemetery) (Muslim section only)	640.00

6. Memorials and inscriptions

Book of remembrance

a)	Entry in book of remembrance	2 lines	100.00
		5 lines	140.00
		8 lines	175.00
		Badges	140.00

Memorial card

b)	Purchase of memorial card	2 lines	68.00
		5 lines	95.00
		8 lines	115.00
		Badges	140.00
c)	Subsequent inscription on memorial card	per line	42.00

Memorial garden seat - subject to availability

d)	Right to affix a memorial plaque to a garden seat for a period of 10 years (when available)	1,575.00
	Additional plaque for residue of period	230.00
	Renewal fee for a further 10 years	385.00

Bush roses

e)	Right to affix a plaque beside a memorial rose bush for a period of 5 years	155.00
	Subsequent plaque for residue of period	63.00
	Renewal fee for a further 5 years	155.00

Standard roses

f)	Right to affix a memorial plaque by a standard rose tree for a period of 5 years	215.00
	Subsequent plaque for residue of period	63.00
	Renewal fee for a further 5 years	215.00

		£
	Bronze wall plaque	
g)	Right to affix a bronze plaque on a memorial wall for a period of 10 years	215.00
	Renewal for a further 10 years	110.00
	Slate or granite wall plaque	
h)	Right to affix an inscribed granite or slate plaque on a memorial wall for a period of 10 years	
	Single	465.00
	Double	875.00
	Renewal fee for 10 year period	
	Single	185.00
	Double	260.00
	Treble	340.00
i)	Memorial tree/bush (Gornal Wood) - when available	
	Right to place a plaque beside a memorial tree/bush for a period of 10 years (including first plaque)	800.00
	Renewal fee for further 10 years	335.00
	Replacement plaque for additional inscription for residue of period	63.00
	Memorial tree (Stourbridge) - when available	
	Right to place a plaque beside a memorial tree for a period of 10 years (including first plaque)	800.00
	Renewal fee for further 10 years	335.00
	Additional/replacement plaque for residue of period	63.00
j)	Family columbarium niche (Gornal Wood) - when available	
	Right to place cremated remains in columbarium for a period of 10 years (including first plaque)	1,220.00
	Replacement plaque for residue period	125.00
	Renewal fee for further 10 years	335.00
	Photo	155.00
k)	Family columbarium niche (Stourbridge) - when available	
	Right to place cremated remains in columbarium for a period of 20 years (including first plaque)	1,430.00
	Additional inscription fee	115.00
	Motif	105.00
	Photo	155.00
	Posy holder	40.00

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l) Memorial granite planter (Stourbridge)	
Right to place a plaque on granite planter	600.00
Motif	105.00
Small photo	155.00
Renewal fee for a further 10 years	230.00
m) Memorial kerb block (Stourbridge) new garden - <i>when available</i>	
Right to place a plaque on a kerb block for a period of 10 years	675.00
Motif	105.00
Small photo	155.00
Renewal fee for a further 10 years	250.00
Replacement plaque	115.00
n) Memorial granite book (Stourbridge) - <i>when available</i>	
Right to place a plaque on a granite book for a period of 10 years	460.00
Motif	105.00
Small photo	155.00
Renewal fee for a further 10 years	180.00
o) Memorial Garden Plaque (Gornal Wood)	
Right to fix a plaque on memorial wall for a period of 10 years	285.00
Motif	105.00
Small photo	155.00
Renewal fee for a further 10 years	125.00
Replacement Plaque	62.00
p) Memorial leaf on a remembrance tree (Gornal Wood)	
Right to affix a memorial leaf to the remembrance tree for a period of 10 years	115.00
q) Memorial granite kerb block plaque (Gornal Wood) - <i>when available</i>	
Right to fix a plaque to a granite kerb block for a period of 10 years	500.00
Motif	105.00
Small photo	155.00
Replacement Plaque (photo/motif extra)	62.00
r) Memorial kerb block - old garden - <i>when available</i>	
Right to affix a plaque to a memorial kerb block for a period of 10 years	410.00
Photo	155.00
Renewal fee for a further 10 years	155.00
Replacement plaque	62.00

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1st April 2024

Cremation Fees

Service start time	Service length	Monday – Wednesday	Thursday–Friday	Saturday
09:00 09:30	30-minute chapel use providing a 20-minute service	£750	£750	
10:00 11:00 12:00 13:00 14:00 15:00	60-minute chapel use providing a 40-minute service	£950	£1,050	£1,050
16:00 16:30	30-minute chapel use providing a 20-minute service	£750	£750	

Additional time of 60 minutes in the chapel may be booked on the above services +£400

Twilight Service (Mon-Wed, 17:00, 18:00, 19:00, 60-minute chapel use / 40-minute service)	£950
Twilight Service (Thu-Fri, 17:00, 18:00, 19:00, 60-minute chapel use / 40-minute service)	£1,050
Sunday Service (60-minute chapel use providing a 40-minute service)	£1,535
Children (18 and under)	No fee for cremation service
Unattended Direct Cremation ¹	£545

¹ Unattended Direct Cremation is an unattended service with no mourners present, carried out in accordance with the Westerleigh Direct Cremation Protocol: www.merciaforestcrematorium.co.uk/service-information.php

Video Streaming Service of the Ceremony

Live and On Demand streaming service (up to 28 days)	A high-quality live streamed service that can be viewed on the day and watched again for up to 28 days following the service. A downloadable file is also included at no extra cost.	£70
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Visual Tribute and Music Services

Themed Tribute	Photo montage that is professionally edited, timed to music and has range of professional themes and message options.	£95
Music Tribute	Up to 25 photos set to music, professionally edited into a video-style tribute.	£85
Basic Slideshow	Up to 25 photos with simple fade transitions, played on a loop.	£75
Family-supplied Tribute	Checking, preparation and upload of a video created by you.	£30
Additional Single Photo	Additional photo displayed prior/following a tribute/slideshow.	£25
Downloadable Visual Tribute	A digital copy of the visual tribute to be sent following the service.	£15
Single Photo	A complimentary photo shown throughout the service.	No charge
Music	Your choice of music tracks to be played during the service.	No charge



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Keepsakes

Memory Box	Includes 25 photos of size 6"x 9". Comes with USB & DVD of streamed service, tribute, or both.	£150
Video Book	LCD screen with play, pause, fast forward, rewind and volume buttons. USB charger included.	£100
DVD/USB	Keepsake copy of service / visual tribute (or both), sent in a presentation case.	£65

Other Cremation Fees

Chapel use only / Additional time in the chapel - 60 minutes	£400
Ashes exhumation	£265
Scattering or interment of ashes from other crematorium	£50
Provision of bearer	£20
Scattering or interment of ashes from other crematorium with a purchase of new memorial	No Charge

Visual Tribute Supplements

Each extra 25 photos	For each extra 25 photos on a Themed Tribute, Music Tribute or Basic Slideshow.	£30
Additional support services	For any revisions, or major departures from a standard product, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional work/changes on the last working day before the service • Adding video to a Music Tribute • Adding music, converting or editing files for a Family-supplied Tribute • Upgrading a Basic Slideshow to a Music Tribute for a Keepsake. 	£30

All Cremation Fees include:

- The cremation fee includes any environmental levy where applicable.
- All professional fees relating to the administration and registration of the cremation, in line with statutory requirements.
- The use of our chapel and attendance of our Chapel Assistants on the day of the service.
- The use of our media system for music before, during and after the service and a display of a single photo throughout the service. (Please contact the Crematorium Office for details of additional tribute options available).
- The scattering of ashes within our Garden of Remembrance or the preparation of the ashes for their removal, along with a Cremation Certificate. Alternatively we will look after the ashes for a period of up to 2 months before requesting final instructions.

We offer many ways of memorialising a loved one...

Our experienced team of colleagues will be able to assist you with any queries you may have. They will provide exceptional care to guide you every step of the way through the process. To find out more, visit:
www.merciaforestcrematorium.co.uk/memorials



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