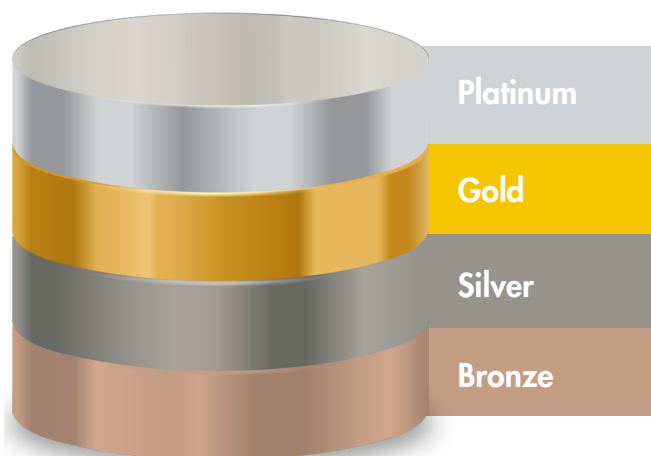


# Guardianship Costs 2026 27



## Platinum

All students requiring full guardianship and parents requiring English/local language support

## Gold

All students requiring full guardianship including hosting

## Silver

All students requiring emergency support and transport arrangements

## Bronze

For students requiring emergency support only

**We can advise the best guardianship package for your child**

## Guardianship fees schedule

|                                                | Platinum | Gold   | Silver | Bronze |
|------------------------------------------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| Registration fee one off payment <sup>1</sup>  | £295     | £295   | £195   | £195   |
| Guardianship fee per school year <sup>2</sup>  | £3,185   | £2,495 | £1,695 | £1,295 |
| Guardianship fee per school term <sup>3</sup>  | £1,095   | £895   | £595   | £450   |
| Guardianship fee per holiday week <sup>4</sup> | £75      | £75    | £75    | £75    |
| Student Expense Account <sup>5</sup>           | £2,000   | £1,500 | £750   | £500   |

### Definitions and Payment Terms

All rates inclusive of taxes.

1. Registration fee is a single payment for student registration, access to student and parent portal and ongoing host disclosure monitoring.
2. Guardianship fee is the annual payment, invoiced in advance, for the school year of 3 terms, excluding holidays between terms.
3. Guardianship fee is the termly payment, invoiced in advance, for a student that comes for less than one school year.
4. Holiday Guardianship applies when a student requires guardianship during the Christmas, Easter or Summer holidays.
5. Student Expense Account (SEA) is held on the Student's behalf to pay any additional expenses incurred as outlined in the Expenses schedule. Expenses are available in real time on your parent portal. When the balance is low, you will be invoiced to restore your SEA to the agreed balance. At the end of the Student's guardianship, you will receive your final SEA statement and link to our Bank Transfer Details form. For full reimbursement of your SEA balance, accurately complete your Bank Transfer Details form within 4 weeks of receipt. If Academic Families is unable to transfer the SEA balance, it reserves the right to retain any remaining SEA balance as a charitable donation or as income at our discretion.

Fees will be invoiced in advance prior to the start of each year. SEA top up will be invoiced in advance as required.

Full and exact payment must be received within 14 days of invoice date.

Payments should be made using Flywire – the non £ currency service provider - using your non £ debit or credit card; or local bank transfer.

Cancellation notice period for Guardianship service is one full term's notice in writing to [hello@academicfamilies.com](mailto:hello@academicfamilies.com)

Cancellation notice period for Homestay accommodation is 3 weeks' notice in writing. Cancellation between 7 days and 3 weeks incurs a 50% charge and less than 7 days incurs a 100% charge.

Booked Short courses, Tuition and 3rd party services are subject to 3rd party terms and conditions.

The registration fee is non-refundable in the event of cancellation after the guardianship agreement has been signed.

All packages will be upgraded automatically if additional services are required.

## Expenses schedule

### Homestay per day

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| Homestay accommodation + 3 meals*                              | £70  |
| - less than 24 hours notice                                    | +£20 |
| - Greater London                                               | +£10 |
| - Festive period - 24 <sup>th</sup> Dec to 2 <sup>nd</sup> Jan | +£15 |

\*some hosts can provide special menus for a pre-agreed additional charge

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| Travel per mile | £1 |
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### Parents' Meetings

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| Pre meeting questionnaire, meeting attendance, report & follow up | £100<br>+ travel |
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### Ad hoc meetings

|                                     |                 |
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| School, medical etc - up to 4 hours | £100            |
| each additional hour                | £20<br>+ travel |

### Pocket money transfers

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| 2 transfers per term     | No fee |
| each additional transfer | £10    |

### Mobile contract

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| Unlimited UK data, calls and texts plus European roaming (25GB per trip) - 12 month contract | £450 |
| replacement SIM card                                                                         | £10  |

### Luggage storage

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| 3rd party or Academic Families depending on location | £50<br>+ storage fee |
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### Short course application

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| Short course selection and application support | £150<br>+ course fee |
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### Revision course application

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| Advice and booking tutors and revision courses | £100<br>+ course fee |
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### Student 1:1 English tuition

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| 1:1 English tuition can be arranged in person or online | £50<br>~ £70 per hour |
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### Parent 1:1 English course application

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| Homestay with a teacher close to school - learn English & visit your child - in person then online | £100<br>+ course fee |
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### Other services prices on request

Activity day

Unaccompanied Minor (UM)

Airport Assistance

Transfers

Half term trips

Homestay activities

Shopping

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