Burials & Cremations Fees & Charges 2025-26	Current Charge 2024/25	Charge if increased by CPI inflation (*) 2025/26	2025-26 Proposed Charge (increase by 2%)	2025/26 Increase
BURIAL FEES applies to funerals taking place from the 01 April 2024				
Purchase of full-sized grave (Sefton resident)	£1,280	£1,309	£1,306	£26
Purchase of full-sized grave, with foundation (Sefton resident)	£1,335	£1,366	£1,362	£27
Purchase of full-sized grave (non-resident)	£2,370	£2,425	£2,417	£47
Purchase of full-sized grave, with foundation (non-resident)	£2,425	£2,481	£2,474	£49
Purchase of ashes-only grave, with foundation (Sefton resident)	£1,030	£1,054	£1,051	£21
Purchase of ashes-only grave, with foundation (non-resident)	£2,000	£2,046	£2,040	£40
Burial of child under 18 years old (resident or non-resident)	£290 (CFF)	296.67	£296	£6
Burial in full-sized grave/Grave Chamber Fee	£1,050	£1,074	£1,071	£21
Burial of full-sized casket/Grave Chamber Fee	£1,415	£1,448	£1,443	£28
full cap and chamber	£600	£614	£612	£12
Half cap and chamber	£300	£307	£306	£6
Burial of ashes in a grave, in ashes casket or container (Biodegradable)	£265	£271	£270	£5
Deed transfer	£50	£51	£51	£1
Copy Deed	£20	£20	£20	£0
hort notice burial charge – additional to burial fee (Mon-Fri) (subject to availability)	£165	£169	£168	£3
hort notice burial charge – additional to burial fee (Sunday) (subject to availability)	£385	£394	£393	£8
emoval of headstone only	£215	£220	£219	£4
Remove and replace headstone (including ground anchor)	£320	£327	£326	£6
Permit to erect headstone ¹	£225	£230	£230	£5
Permit to erect tablet/vase memorial ¹	£50	£51	£51	£1
ermit to erect Jewish flat stone ¹	£225	£230	£230	£5
ermit fee for additional inscription on headstone	£55	£56	£56	£1
leadstone replacement fee	£115	£118	£117	£2
xhumation of full-sized coffin	£POA	£POA	£POA	£0
xhumation of cremated remains inc. casket	£500	£512	£510	£10
exhumation and reburial of cremated remains inc. casket (to facilitate full burial)	£350	£358	£357	£7
exhumation of cremated remains and reburial to another grave inc. casket	£500	£512	£510	£10

Use of chapel (Single Slot)	£350	£358	£357	£7
Use of chapel (Double slot)	£550	£563	£561	£11
CREMATION FEES				
Child under 18 years of age inc Medical referee Fee	£290 (CFF)	296.67	£296	£6
Cremation fee (standard) inc Medical referee Fee	£970	£992	£989	£19
Direct Cremation (NO SERVICE – drop off at 8:15am)	£380	£389	£388	£8
Direct Cremation ATTENDED	£430	£440	£439	£9
40 minute extension to chapel service	£250	£256	£255	£5
Visual tribute 1: one image (each)	£25	£26	£26	£1
Visual tribute 2: maximum of 25 images (no music) Additional images up to 25	£65	£66	£66	£1
	£25	£26	£26	£1
Visual tribute 3: maximum of 25 images (with music) Additional images up to 25	£90	£92	£92	£2
	£25	£26	£26	£1
Visual tribute 4: family video	£40	£41	£41	£1
Visual Tribute 5: Urgent Service Request for Tributes after 48hr cut off	£85	£87	£87	£2
Plus administration Fee for Above Urgent request	£20	£20	£20	£0
Visual tribute 6: recording of service (on to a memory stick)	£90	£92	£92	£2
Visual tribute 7: webcast of service	£95	£97	£97	£2
Visual tribute 8: downloadable link of VT only	£22	£23	£22	£0
MISCELLANEOUS FEES				
Failure to observe allotted funeral times (burial or cremation)	£285	£292	£291	£6
Scattering ashes from a non-Sefton crematorium	£70	£72	£71	£1
Surcharge for out hours service (providing service can accommodate)	£325	£332	£332	£7
Alteration to burial or cremation arrangements WITHIN 48 HOURS OF SERVICE	£160	£164	£163	£3
Search fees (genealogy – maximum 3 searches)	£25	£26	£26	£1
Late Paperwork Fee (within 48 hours of the service)	£25	£26	£26	£1
MEMORIAL FEES				
Benches (inc. 10 year lease)				
Recycled plastic bench	£1,250	£1,279	£1,275	£25
Granite Bench (light grey) including 2 plaques	£1,250 £1,350	£1,279 £1,381	£1,273 £1,377	£27
Wooden bench discontinued, however, lease renewal (subject to condition of bench)	£380	£389	£388	£8
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Additional wooden bench plaque	£60	£61	£61	£1
Replacement Granite Plaque	£110	£113	£112	£2
Book of Remembrance (available at Southport Crematorium and Thornton Garden of Rest)				
Ma_in book				
2 line entry	£80	£82	£82	£2
3-5 line entry	£130	£133	£133	£3
6-8 line entry	£160	£164	£163	£3
Motif – additional to entry fee (not available with a 2 line entry)	£140	£143	£143	£3
Miniature leather book of remembrance				
2 line entry	£130	£133	£133	£3
3-5 line entry	£150	£153	£153	£3
6-8 line entry	£165	£169	£168	£3
Motif – additional to entry fee (not available with a 2 line entry)	£130	£133	£133	£3
Additional inscriptions in an existing book	Above fees - £25			
Memorial card				
2 line entry	£50	£51	£51	£1
3-5 line entry	£65	£66	£66	£1
6-8 line entry	£90	£92	£92	£2
Motif – additional to entry fee (not available with a 2 line entry)	£130	£133	£133	£3
Memorial plaques (available at both crematoria on a 10-year lease basis unless otherwise stated)				
Plaque	£380	£389	£388	£8
Plaque renewal of lease (per 10 years)	£270	£276	£275	£5
Replacement plaque (for duration of existing lease)	£245	£251	£250	£5
Sanctum/Ash Vault (25 year lease)	£1,350	£1,381	£1,377	£27
Plaque for Public Grave - single metal stand	£110	£113	£112	£2
Plaque for Public Grave - double metal stand	£215	£220	£219	£4
Baby vase plaque plus first 20-year lease (Duke Street Cemetery only)	£400	£409	£408	£8
Baby vase plaque renewal of 20-year lease (Duke Street Cemetery only)	£280	£286	£286	£6
Baby petal plaque plus first 20-year lease (Duke Street Cemetery only)	£280	£286	£286	£6
Baby petal plaque renewal of 20-year lease (Duke Street Cemetery only)	£240	£246	£245	£5
Discontinued memorials (available to existing customers only)				

Kerbstone – reface and full inscription (max 120 standard / 240 small letters)	£450	£460	£459	£9
Kerbstone – reface and half inscription (up to 60 standard / 120 small letters)	£295	£302	£301	£6
Kerbstone – additional inscription (per 60 standard / 120 small letters)	£160	£164	£163	£3
Courtyard stone – reface and full inscription	£295	£302	£301	£6
Shrub tag replacement	£60	£61	£61	£1
Brass plaque replacement	£205	£210	£209	£4
Plaque for existing rose bed/shrub - single metal stand	£110	£113	£112	£2
Plaque for existing rose bed/shrub - double metal stand	£215	£220	£219	£4

(*) CPI Inflation rate @ October 2024

2.30%