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# CREMATORIUM & CEMETERIES PRICE LIST

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**All correspondence and enquiries should be addressed to:**

Landican Cemetery Office

Arrowe Park Road, Woodchurch, Wirral CH49 5LW

[www.wirral.gov.uk/burials-and-cremations](http://www.wirral.gov.uk/burials-and-cremations)

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***This table of charges covers the following sites.***

Landican Cemetery & Crematorium, Arrowe Park Road, Woodchurch, Wirral CH49 5LW

Frankby Cemetery, Frankby Road, Frankby, Wirral CH48 1QJ

Heswall Cemetery, Irby Road, Pensby, Wirral CH61 6UZ

Plymyard Cemetery, Bridle Road, Bromborough, Wirral CH62 8BP

Wallasey Cemetery, Rake Lane, Wallasey, Wirral CH45 5DE

Grange Cemetery, Blackhorse Hill, West Kirby, Wirral CH48 6DS

Bebington Cemetery, Town Lane, Bebington, Wirral CH63 5JF

Flaybrick Memorial Gardens, Tollemache Road, Birkenhead, Wirral CH41 0DG

**All listed services and products are subject to availability, and we reserve the right to change or discontinue products with reasonable notice served, where required.**

## Cremation Fees

In accordance with legislation introduced by the Competitions and Marketing Authority 2021, please see below price information for the services we provide. The information is structured to help you compare with other services providers and make informed choices with regards to your funeral requirements.

Wirral Council operates one crematorium within Landican, offering the following service types:

### **Direct Cremation Service** (no service and unattended cremation)

A funeral where family and friends do not attend the crematorium (a ceremony, event of service for the deceased may take place elsewhere or not at all).

### **Attended Cremation Service**

A funeral where family and friends have a ceremony, event or service in our chapel followed by a cremation. Service times for the chapels include time for arrival & departure.

All our prices for Cremation services include Administration, registration, environmental surcharge (*set by Crematoria Abatement of Mercury Emissions Organisation*), medical referee fees, ashes container (*and the storage of ashes for up to one month*), non-witnessed scattering of the ashes within the designated memorial gardens of Landican Crematorium or a disposal certificate. All cremations are carried out in accordance with current legislation and statutory requirements.

### **Crematorium and Gardens of Remembrance Fees**

Direct Cremation Service ~ Tues - Thurs 8:30am	<b>£475.00</b>
Early Service (off peak) Cremation ~ 20 minute service Mon - Fri 9:00 and 9:30	<b>£620.00</b>
Standard Attended Cremation ~ 40 minutes service Mon – Fri 9:30 to 16:00	<b>£978.00</b>
<b>An additional 20 or 40 minutes within the chapels can be arranged in advance. This service is subject to the current service provision levels</b>	
Additional 20-minute period or use of chapel only	<b>£223.00</b>
Additional 40-minute period or use of chapel only	<b>£347.00</b>

### **Cremation of Children (stillborn – under 18 years)**

The Government introduced the Children's Funeral Fund in 2019, this fund allows Wirral Council to claim our fees for the cremation. Please follow the link below for further details.

[www.gov.uk/child-funeral-costs](http://www.gov.uk/child-funeral-costs)

**No  
Charge**

### ***Visual Tributes & Webcast Via Wesley Media***

Webcasting of Service	<b>£51.00</b>
Webcasting and Recording (audio and visual) of service – excluding visual tributes.	<b>£83.00</b>
Recording (audio and visual) requested after funeral service – excluding visual tributes	<b>£39.00</b>
Recording (audio and visual) requested after funeral service – including visual tributes	<b>£45.00</b>
Single photo – A single photo (shown throughout)	<b>£18.00</b>
Simple slideshow – Up to 25 photos	<b>£38.00</b>
Simple slideshow with music – Up to 25 photos	<b>£66.00</b>
Extended slideshow – Up to 50 photos	<b>£58.00</b>
Extended slideshow with music – Up to 50 photos	<b>£85.00</b>
Video Tribute – up to 5 minutes – as part of slideshow	<b>£18.00</b>
Video Tribute – up to 5 minutes – Not part of slideshow	<b>£30.00</b>
Webcast Keepsake (DVD or USB)	<b>£50.00</b>
Webcast Keepsake (DVD or USB) including Visual Tributes	<b>£65.00</b>

**Disclaimer: While issues are rare, due to the nature of the internet, no guarantee is given that live streaming and audio/visual data delivered over the internet will be uninterrupted or error-free**

### ***Disposal of Ashes in our Gardens of Remembrance***

Scattering of ashes – not attended (cremated at Landican)	<b>No charge</b>
Scattering of ashes – cremated at another crematorium (not attended)	<b>£126.00</b>
Witnessed scattering Tuesday to Thursday (by appointment only)	
For a person cremated at Landican	<b>£45.00</b>
For a person cremated at another crematorium	<b>£126.00</b>
Temporary storage of ashes per month after 3 months	<b>£50.00</b>
Collection of ashes by authorised party – instead of your Funeral Director	<b>£45.00</b>
Collection of ashes – next working day	<b>£100.00</b>
Delivery of ashes	<b>POA</b>
Extract of Cremation Register	<b>£51.00</b>

***Additional Charges***

Cremation of coffin 7ft (or greater) in length or 29 inches (or greater) width (external coffin size).

**This charge is additional to the stated cremation fee above.**

Direct Cremation	<b>£156.75</b>
Early (off peak) Cremation	<b>£204.60</b>
Standard Cremation	<b>£322.74</b>

***Assistance with arranging a funeral.***

A member of our team will assist with the arrangements of the core elements of the funeral which includes booking, guidance on registration, completion of the statutory forms, structure of funeral (including music) and what will be expected on the day of the funeral for example: sufficient mourners to transfer the coffin from the vehicle to the catafalque, music etc

**£250.00**

# Cemetery Fees for Residents of Wirral

Wirral Council subsidise the ongoing maintenance of cemeteries. This is funded through payment of council tax and residents are provided with a reduction on the full cost of the service. The fees shown below include this reduction.

## A resident is defined as

- Any person who has, or at the time of death had, a permanent address within the boundary of Wirral Council, or who had lived permanently within Wirral **in the preceding 5 years.**
- In the case of a child, a parent who meets the above criteria.
- Any person in the care of Wirral Council, Social Care.

## *Purchase of Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial*

### Lawn Grave

A grave which permits full burial and an 18-inch planting area with the remainder of the grave grassed. Price includes the Right to erect a headstone)

***All tributes must be placed within the 18-inch planting area and are not permitted on the grassed part of the grave.***

Grave for two burials **£1,260.00**

Grave for three burials **£1,511.00**

### Traditional Grave

A grave which permits full burials and allows for a separate full kerb set to be applied for and erected by a registered stonemason.

***All tributes must be placed within the area of the kerb and are not permitted outside of the kerbs.***

Grave for two burials **£3,310.00**

Grave for three burials **£3,528.00**

### Natural Burial Grave – for a period of 50 years

Graves within our Natural Burial area are prepared to accept two full interments and up to two sets of cremated remains.

**These graves are planned to recreate an eco-friendly environment and to encourage and protect wildlife and as such do not contain traditional memorials.**

Grave for two burials **£1,545.00**

## Cemetery Fees for Residents of Wirral

### Cremated remains Lawn Grave

A reduced size grave for the burial of ashes only and an 18-inch planting area with the remainder of the grave grassed. Price includes the Right to erect a headstone) **£910.00**

***All tributes must be placed within the 18-inch planting area and are not permitted on the grassed part of the grave.***

### Cremated remains – Rock Niche Grave (Frankby Cemetery only)

A rockery style grave only available within Frankby Cemetery for the burial of ashes and includes the right to place an approved plaque. **£910.00**

**Grave can accommodate up to 3 sets of ashes**

### Individual Baby Grave

A smaller grave which will enable the burial of a baby up to the age of 1 year old.

For babies who are stillborn or lived up to the age of 1 year of age, the Government introduced the Children's Funeral Fund in 2019, this fund allows Wirral Council to claim our fees for the burial. **£354.00**

Please follow the link below for further details.

[www.gov.uk/child-funeral-costs](http://www.gov.uk/child-funeral-costs)

### Selection of Grave

An appointment can be made to enable a grave to be chosen from a selection of available graves **£55.00**

The Exclusive Right of Burial allows the right of burial within a grave for a period of 99 years (unless otherwise stated). The ownership of the cemetery land, including the grave surface, remains with Wirral Council and are subject to Council Policy and the Cemetery Rules and Regulations.

The Registered owner of a grave is the only person entitled to request for a burial to take place or for any memorial work to take place.

**Interment (Burial)** – This can only be arranged where the Exclusive Right of Burial has been purchased.

**Note: The interment fee includes**

- Excavating of the grave
- Supplying lowering webbing and grass matting
- An allocation of 20 minutes for a service held at the graveside.
- Re-filling and mounding the grave and leaving tidy of the area.
- Topping up of the grave during settlement period and the levelling and grass seeding of the grave after full settlement.

Burial within a full-sized grave – person aged 18 or over

Single depth burial **£906.00**

Double depth burial **£976.00**

Treble depth burial **£1,048.00**

***Where two persons are interred in a single grave at the same time (excluding cremated remains) the second interment will be reduced by 25%***

Burial of Ashes – person aged 18 or over

Standard casket **£295.00**

Double sized casket **£410.00**

*For scattering of ashes on a private grave please refer to fees on page 3. Please ensure that the required forms and payment are received 2 working days before the service. (Appointment required)*

**Children (Stillborn – under 18 years)**

Our fee will be claimed from The Children's Funeral Fund for England where applicable.

**No charge**

Baby under 24 weeks gestation

**No charge**

Organs and other body parts (no use of chapel)

**£295.00**

Additional fee where the coffin :

Width is 28 inches or greater **£295.00**

Length is 6ft 11inches or greater **£295.00**

Weekend burial fee

**Plus 50%**

Use of Landican or Frankby Cemetery chapel per 20-minute service time

**£223.00**



## Cemetery Fees for Non-Residents of Wirral

### A non-resident is defined as

- Any person who has, or at the time of death not had, a permanent address within the boundary of Wirral Council, or who had not lived permanently within Wirral **in the preceding 5 years.**

### ***Purchase of Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial***

#### **Lawn Grave**

A grave which permits full burial and an 18-inch planting area with the remainder of the grave grassed. Price includes the Right to erect a headstone)

***All tributes must be placed within the 18-inch planting area and are not permitted on the grassed part of the grave.***

Grave for two burials **£1,890.00**

Grave for three burials **£2,266.00**

#### **Traditional Grave**

A grave which permits full burials and allows for a separate full kerb set to be applied for and erected by a registered stonemason.

***All tributes must be placed within the area of the kerb and are not permitted outside of the kerbs.***

Grave for two burials **£4,959.00**

Grave for three burials **£5,292.00**

#### **Natural Burial Grave – for a period of 50 years**

Graves within our Natural Burial area are prepared to accept two full interments and up to two sets of cremated remains.

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Grave for two burials **£2,318.00**

#### **Cremated remains Lawn Grave**

A reduced size grave for the burial of ashes only and an 18-inch planting area with the remainder of the grave grassed. Price includes the Right to erect a headstone)

**£1,360.00**

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## Cemetery Fees for Non-Residents of Wirral

### **Cremated remains – Rock Niche Grave** (Frankby Cemetery only)

A rockery style grave only available within Frankby Cemetery for the burial of ashes and includes the right to place an approved plaque.

**£1,360.00**

**Grave can accommodate up to 3 sets of ashes**

### **Individual Baby Grave**

A smaller grave which will enable the burial of a baby up to the age of 1 year old.

For babies who are stillborn or lived up to the age of 1 year of age, the Government introduced the Children's Funeral Fund in 2019, this fund allows Wirral Council to claim our fees for the cremation.

**£531.00**

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### **Selection of Grave**

An appointment can be made to enable a grave to be chosen from a selection of available graves

**£55.00**

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## Cemetery Fees for Non-Residents of Wirral

**Interment (*Burial*)** – This can only be arranged where the Exclusive Right of Burial has been purchased.

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- An allocation of 20 minutes for a service held at the graveside.
- Re-filling and mounding the grave and leaving tidy of the area.
- Topping up of the grave during settlement period and the levelling and grass seeding of the grave after full settlement.

### Burial within a full-sized grave – person aged 18 or over

Single depth burial **£1,360.00**

Double depth burial **£1,465.00**

Treble depth burial **£1,573.00**

***Where two persons are interred in a single grave at the same time (excluding cremated remains) the second interment will be reduced by 25%***

### Burial of Ashes – person aged 18 or over

Standard casket **£443.00**

Double sized casket **£615.00**

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**No charge**

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**No charge**

### Organs and other body parts (no use of chapel)

**£295.00**

### Additional fee where the coffin :

Width is 28 inches or greater **£295.00**

Length is 6ft 11inches or greater **£295.00**

### Weekend burial fee

**Plus 50%**

### Use of Landican or Frankby Cemetery chapel per 20-minute service time

**£223.00**

## Other Cemetery Charges

Burial Vault Liner	POA
Transfer of Right of Burial	£75.00
Production of Statutory Declaration	£50.00
Request for grave search – per each year searched per cemetery	£25.00
Duplicate Exclusive Right of Burial (Grave Deed)	£65.00

### Exhumation

It is important to note that it is unlawful to disturb any human remains (this also includes any ashes) and an exhumation cannot proceed without first obtaining the necessary lawful authority.

The fees stated below include the application to the required authority, the opening of the grave and the exhumation of the coffin

<b>Cremated remains exhumation.</b> Including replacement ashes container	£1,280.00
<b>Full exhumation.</b>	£2,888.00

### Sanctum 12 Vault

<b>25 year lease of Sanctum 12 Vault</b> Including fascia tablet, flower holder and inscribed letters (80 letters)	£950.00
Placing of second set of cremated remains	£90.00
Additional lettering - per letter	£2.70
Standard Motif	£80.00
Photo plaque (7cm x 5cm) inc. proof	£140.00
Special designs on request	POA
Replacement fascia including up to 100 letters	£200.00

### Surrender of Exclusive Right of Burial – Administration Fee

Surrender of an Exclusive Right of Burial can be requested by the registered owner subject to the provision of the original Deed of Grant issued and the grave has not received any burial.

£60.00

Surrender fees to be paid will be calculated based on the fees paid at the time of the original purchase of Exclusive Right of Burial minus the administration fee

## Funeral Director Charges

### Burial

Additional charge for the late arrival of burial to chapel or graveside (20 minutes or more after allocated time)	<b>£150.00</b>
Late submission of statutory paperwork (after 10am on the working day before burial)	<b>£95.00</b>
Burial service exceeding the permitted time within the chapel or late departure of the cortege, or any event which impacts on other funerals	<b>£378.00</b>
Submission of incorrect information relating to burial booking including incorrect coffin size	<b>£95.00</b>

### Cremation

Submission of incorrect information relating to cremation booking	<b>£95.00</b>
Late submission of statutory documentation	<b>£95.00</b>
Cremation service exceeding the permitted time within the chapel, late arrival or departure of the cortege, or any event which impacts on other funerals	<b>£378.00</b>
Failure to finalise music and webcasting schedule for an attended service. Please note that all music and webcast requests must be finalised by 5pm the day before the service.	<b>£55.00</b>
Provision of webcast on the day of the service	<b>£25.00</b>
Removal from Cremator items which should not be placed in a coffin: ie glass, PVC, mobile phones, ceramic mugs etc	<b>£270.00</b>

## Memorial Permits

Please refer to our Cemetery Regulations for guidance on permitted sizes

Headstone or tablet *	<b>£258.00</b>
Rock Niche *	<b>£223.00</b>
Baby Garden headstone or tablet *	<b>£65.00</b>
Kerbstones	
Full kerbs – traditional graves only **	<b>£242.00</b>
Garden kerbs – enclosing 18 inch border on a lawn grave	<b>£190.00</b>
Additional inscription to existing memorial	<b>£56.00</b>
Right to replace a memorial	<b>£140.00</b>
Additional vase or book	<b>£62.00</b>
Memorial Mason Annual Registration	<b>£60.00</b>
Failure to submit Memorial Application and gain relevant permit approval prior to commencement of work	<b>£100.00</b>
Production of retrospective permit	<b>£55.00</b>

### Communal Child Grave Headstone

Inscription on existing headstone	<b>£247.00</b>
Re lettering of name on existing headstone	<b>POA</b>

\* Fee for Headstone or tablet are included within the Purchase of Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial fee for graves purchased from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2007

\*\* Fee for Full Kerbs are included within the Purchase of Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial fee for **Traditional Graves** purchased from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2007