

CEMETERIES

**FEEES FROM
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These charges apply to purchasing the Exclusive Right of Burial (including ashes) before or after death of a resident in the Derbyshire Dales District Council area and in the case of a stillborn child where one of the parents was resident at the time of interment.

Double Fees

Where the Exclusive Right of Burial is purchased for a non-resident of the Derbyshire Dales, fees for all services will be doubled ie for all interments; for the Right to Erect a Memorial; for the right to fix plaques or reserve spaces in a Garden of Remembrance; for the erection of memorials and for additional inscriptions. The fees will not be doubled where the Exclusive Right of Burial was purchased at the single fee at an earlier date. The appropriate Officer of the Council has the discretion to waive these double fees when there are grounds to do so, i.e. past residency in the District or other connections.

(NB: All fees for cemeteries fall outside the scope of VAT, with the exception of Memorial Plaques)

EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL (Deed) (for a period not exceeding 100 years)

	Charges 2022/2023 £
Earthen Graves	
a) grave size 2.4m x 1.2m (single plot – up to 2 interments)	689.75
b) grave size 2.4m x 2.4m (double plot – up to 4 interments; ie max. 2 X 2 side-by-side)	1297.90
Garden of Remembrance	
For the Exclusive Right of Burial of cremated remains for a period not exceeding 100 years, in an earthen grave not exceeding 450mm x 600mm	222.10

INTERMENTS (Burial)

The fees indicated:

- a) include the digging of the grave;
- b) apply only where the interment is made between the hours of:
 - 9:30am – 1.30pm, Mondays – Thursdays;
 - 9.30am – 12.30pm, Fridays (excluding Bank and public holidays)';
 - or on the certificate of a Coroner or Registered Medical Practitioner that immediate interment is necessary.
- c) Apply provided that the interment is made within fifteen minutes of the time arranged with Derbyshire Dales District Council. If not, an additional charge of **£16.40** is payable per fifteen minutes.

INTERMENT IN ANY GRAVE	Charges 2022/23 £
a) of the body of a stillborn child or of a child whose age at the time of death did not exceed one month .	No charge
b) of the body of a child whose age at the time of death exceeded one month but did not exceed 16 years .	122.30
c) of the body of a person whose age at the time of death exceeded 16 years .	774.50
Interment in existing vault or bricked grave	Day work rates apply
Interment of cremated remains	163.00
Turfing of grave after interment on request	51.45

CREMATED REMAINS (Ashes)

SCATTERING OF ASHES	Charges 2022/2023 £
In the case of a purchased grave, or in the Garden of Remembrance an administration fee will be applied for recording the scattering of ashes	57.40

MEMORIALS ON EARTHEN GRAVES	Charges 2022/2023 £
Please Note: Within the designated lawned sections, the only long-term memorial permitted on a grave is a single headstone.	
For the Exclusive Right to Erect a Memorial on a grave (Deed of Consent), for which the Exclusive Right of Burial has previously been purchased. (Please note: an additional fee will be applied to approve the design of memorial – see next fee)	184.00
Approval of design of a memorial headstone not exceeding 1 metre in height and 900mm in width, and including the cost of the foundation already provided	266.00
Approval of design of a memorial headstone not exceeding 1 metre in height and 900mm in width, in those areas where no concrete foundation is provided	85.80
Permission for a flat stone or tablet, level with surrounding ground not exceeding 2.4m x 1.2m, including first inscription	91.10
Approval of design for kerb or border stones enclosing a space not exceeding 2.4m x 1.2m, including first inscription	156.60
Approval of design of a vase not exceeding 300 mm in height, including first inscription	74.55
Approval of each inscription after the first	68.15 Including VAT

MEMORIALS IN GARDENS OF REMEMBRANCE	Charges 2022/2023 £
For the Exclusive Right to Erect a memorial stone on a casket grave (for cremated remains) for which an Exclusive Right of Burial has previously been purchased	74.55
To process application and approve design of a memorial plaque (150mm x 75mm) at ground level	74.55 plus the cost of providing the plaque and VAT as applicable

Supply (by the Council) of a stone level with the surrounding ground for the fixing of a memorial plaque including installation	95.50 plus VAT
Please note: if an alternative stone is to be provided by a memorial mason, details of this must be included in the application to process and approve design of memorial	
To process application and approve design of a vase not exceeding 300mm in height, including first inscription	74.55
Approval of design for kerb or border stones enclosing a space not exceeding 450mm x 600mm including first inscription	74.55
Approval of each inscription after the first on vases, kerbs, border stones, etc.	68.15 Including VAT

Please Note: Within the designated lawn sections, only one stone vase or block is permitted per plot, not exceeding 200mm in height and 200mm in width.

PLAQUES	Charges 2022/2023 £
Reservation of up to 3 plaque spaces under the first plaque on the memorial wall (fee per space)	19.40
To process application and approve design of a memorial plaque (150mm x 75mm) at ground level	74.55 plus the cost of providing the plaque and VAT as applicable

SAFETY INSPECTIONS	Charges 2022/2023
Where a memorial is found to be unsafe following an inspection by the Council, the Council will make no charge if the deed-holder voluntarily makes the memorial safe on a long-term basis as required by the Cemetery Regulations.	

ASSISTED BURIALS	Charges 2022/2023 £
Standard Charge (Minimum)	509.50

RECORD SEARCHES	Charges 2022/2023 £
Record Searches	17.00

(NB: All charges for assisted burials are outside the scope of VAT (VAT Code RS) except for placing 'in memoriam' advertisement in newspapers and entries in books of remembrance).