

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
Hollinwood Crematorium (Oldham)	£980.00	Mon - Fri, 9:30am - 3:30pm	£592.00	Mon - Fri, 9:00am and 9:15am	not offered	not offered
Rochdale Crematorium	£839.40	Mon - Fri, 9:50am - 3:00pm	£504.90	Mon - Fri, 9:00am	not offered	not offered
Blackley Crematorium (Yew - Centre Chapel)	£1,326.00	Mon - Fri, 10:00am - 3:00pm	£530.00	Mon - Thur, 8:30am - 10:00am	£718.00	Mon - Thur, 9:00am and 9:20am
Blackley Crematorium (Elm - Side Chapel)	£921.00	Mon - Fri, 10:00am - 3:00pm	£530.00	Mon - Thur, 8:30am - 10:00am	£718.00	Mon - Thur, 9:00am and 9:20am
Boarshaw Crematorium	£839.40	Mon - Fri, 9:50am - 3:00pm	£504.90	Mon - Fri, 9:00am	not offered	not offered

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.

# OLDHAM CREMATORIUM & CEMETERIES FEES FROM 1st April 2024 (Inc. of VAT)

Cheque to be made payable to: 'OLDHAM M.B.C.' and Chip and Pin facilities available

\*FEES FOR UNDER 18YRS ARE FUNDED BY THE GOVERNMENT

	Resident	Non-Resident
<b>BURIALS</b>		
New grave for 1 or 2 interments	£1,101.00	£1,651.00
New grave for 3 interments	£1,167.00	£1,743.00
New grave for 1 or 2 interments including foundation	£1,313.00	£1,858.00
New grave for 3 interments including foundation	£1,371.00	£1,947.00
New grave for 1 or 2 interments including foundation and timber lining	£1,551.00	£2,096.00
Plot for cremated remains - Crompton	£992.00	£1,473.00
Plot for cremated remains - Hollinwood	£474.00	£697.00
Appointment to choose a new grave or locate a grave with staff assistance	£47.00	£47.00
Interment fee - full depth burial. (under 18yrs funded by Government)	£1,076.00	£1,606.00
Exhumation Fees	£1,480.00	£1,480.00
Monday to Friday between 2.30pm and 4.00pm	£66.00	£66.00
Monday to Friday after 4.00pm	£267.00	£267.00
Saturday, Sunday, Bank Holidays	£595.00	£595.00
Ashes Interment in Earth or Vault (NB ashes buried in earth at 2ft, not suitable where future full burials are required). See Interment fee above for full depth burial.	£287.00	£287.00
Strewing of cremated remains	No Charge	£65.00
<b>MONUMENTAL FEES</b>		
Permission to erect a memorial not exceeding 3' in height	£225.00	£318.00
Permission to install kerbs (maximum 6ft x 3ft) designated areas only	£327.00	£327.00
Permission to add an additional inscription	£60.00	£60.00
Permission of memorial under 2'	£86.00	£86.00
<b>MISCELLANEOUS FEES</b>		
Bricked Grave for 1 or 2 interments, plus new grave and interment fee	£967.00	£1,432.00
Bricks and Flags – to seal grave	£141.00	£141.00
Timber lining of single graves	£238.00	£238.00
Test dig to confirm depth	£86.00	£86.00
Certified extracts from burial register	£31.00	£31.00
Transfer of grant of exclusive right of burial	£88.00	£125.00
Issue replacement of grant of exclusive right of burial	£86.00	£132.00
Re-open niche	£86.00	
Grave search	£22.00	
Register search	£53.00	
Certified extracts from crematorium register	£28.00	
<b>MEMORIAL PLAQUES</b>		
Bronze memorial plaque lease for 10 years	£357.00	
Renewal of memorial position for 10 years	£226.00	
Renewal of memorial position for 5 years	£132.00	
Bronze memorial plaque including lettering (including 20% VAT)	£172.00	
Double Bronze memorial plaque including lettering (including 20% VAT)	£222.00	
Granite memorial plaque including standard lettering (including 20% VAT)	£313.00	
<b>CREMATION FEES</b>		
Cremation Fee. (includes 3 pieces of music or use of the organ) Chapel is available for 5 minutes to enter, 20 minutes for the service and 5 minutes to exit. Extended services can be arranged cost shown below. (Under 18yrs funded by the Government)	£832.00	
Unattended Cremation Fee (available at 9.00am and 9.15am Mon-Fri)	£472.00	
Cremation environmental levy charge (Mercury Abatement legislation)	£69.00	
Medical Referee Charge	£39.00	
Cremation times after 3.30pm, Extended services (additional 30mins and over 3 pieces of music) or cost for over running allotted time, additional fee	£123.00	
Live streaming of service	£50.00	
Use of Crematorium Chapel (includes 3 pieces of music or use of the organ) Chapel is available for 5 minutes to enter, 20 minutes for the service and 5 minutes to exit.	£263.00	
<b>BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE</b>		
Standard 2 line entry	£118.00	
5 line entry	£213.00	
8 line entry	£347.00	
5 line entry with floral emblem	£428.00	
5 line entry with badge, crest, shield or illuminated capital.	£524.00	
8 line entry with floral emblem	£524.00	
8 line entry with badge, crest, shield or illuminated capital.	£561.00	
8 line entry with full coat of arms	£584.00	
Memorial card - Standard 2 line entry	£63.00	
Memorial card - 5 line entry	£71.00	
Memorial card - 8 line entry	£96.00	
Memorial card - 5 line entry with motif	£117.00	
Memorial card - 8 line entry with motif	£134.00	

Rochdale Borough Council  
Environmental Management – Bereavement Services  
Burial and Cremation Fees and Charges – w.e.f 1 April 2025

**Cemeteries**

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**Purchase of New Grave**

Exclusive Right of Burial (Full Grave)	Resident	1164.80
Exclusive Right of Burial (Full Grave)	Non-Resident	2096.10
Exclusive Right of Burial (Crem Remains)	Resident	766.00
Exclusive Right of Burial (Crem Remains)	Non-Resident	1384.10

**Burials**

Private Grave		
Up to 17 years		NIL
Adult	Resident	1007.80
Adult	Non-Resident	1511.60
	Timber Chamber	374.30
	Sedum Matting	142.80
Public Grave	Adult	238.70
Cremated Remains	Resident	271.30
	Non-Resident	488.60
	Scatter Under Turf	59.20
	Wooden Casket	62.20

**General Charges**

Use of Cemetery Chapel	120.40
Concrete Heading	267.20
Numberstone	108.10
Search Fee (per half hour)	44.90
Accompanied Selection of Grave	54.10
Transfer of Ownership	79.60
Indemnity (lost grave deed)	31.60

**Summary of Grave Charges (resident)**

New grave and burial (Adult)	2547.90
New Crem rems grave and burial	1412.60
New grave and burial (timber chamber)	3065.00

**Crematoria**

**Cremation Fees**

Standard Cremation Fee	839.40
No Service Cremation Fee (9am)	504.90
Scatter of Remains from elsewhere	72.40
Scatter of Remains cremated here	31.60
Obitus Live streaming plus 28 day playback	52.00
Obitus Keepsake (USB/DVD)	58.10
Obitus Basic Slideshow	50.00
Obitus Music Tribute	75.00
Obitus Themed Tribute	95.00
Obitus Extra Single Photo	10.00
Obitus Late Fee	22.00
Obitus Family Supplied Tribute	32.00

**Obitus fees**

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Memorialisation Fees and Charges – w.e.f 1 April 2025

<b><u>Cemeteries</u></b>		£
Right to Erect Memorial on Grave		149.90
Additional Inscription on Grave		44.90
Headstone with kerbs up to 3 foot		298.90
Headstone with kerbs up to 4 foot 6		448.80
Headstone with kerbs up to 6 foot		598.70
(where kerbs are required and existing headstone has been permitted minus £149.90 from fee)		
<b><u>Crematoria</u></b>		
Book of Remembrance	2 lines	114.20
	5 Lines	154.00
	8 lines	214.20
	Floral designs	114.20
	Other designs	200.90
	Memorial Card 2 Lines	41.80
	Memorial Card 5 Lines	54.10
	Memorial Card 8 Lines	74.50
Memorial Stone Vase	10 years lease	580.40
	Renewal of Lease 10 years	289.90
	Replacement plaque	134.70
Rochdale Memorial Schemes	Rose and Plaque	164.20
	Memorial Wall Plaque	152.00
	Children's Garden Plaque	152.00
	Replacement Plaque	82.60
	Glass Mulberry tree leaf 5 years	204.00
Rochdale Niche	Mini Maple leaf	117.30
	Blossom Tree flower 5 years	204.00
	Small 20 years	311.10
	Large 20 years	446.80
	Re-open	67.30
	Urn	55.10
	Per Letter black	4.10
	Per Letter gold	4.10
	Re-letter black per letter	1.10
	Re-letter gold per letter	2.00
Middleton Bronze Plaque		195.80
Middleton Vault	10 year lease inc. 80 letters	949.60
	20 year lease inc. 80 letters	1273.00
	30 year lease inc. 80 letters	1564.70
	50 year lease inc. 80 letters	2227.70
	Extra letters per letter	3.10
	7 x 5cm ceramic photo	111.20
	Standard motif	31.60
	Other designs	P.O.A
Memorial Tree Renewal only		204.00
Public Grave Marker		140.80
Bench		1005.70

## Bereavement Services Price List 2025/26

Please note:

The basic costs of cremation or burial of a child under 18 will be met by the Children's Funeral Fund.

PRODUCT	GRAVE OWNER	DECEASED	PRICE
NEW GRAVES			
BIRCH New Grave & Burial	Both Resident		£2283
	Combination		£3021
	Both Non-Resident		£3863
BEECH New Grave & Burial with Chapel	Both Resident		£2497
	Combination		£3299
	Both Non-Resident		£4194
PRIVATE BABY GRAVE Direct to Grave	Both Resident		£557
	Combination		£1206
	Both Non-Resident		£1793
Please Note: The fees for a Private Baby Grave do not include the Right to Erect a Memorial and Installation of a Foundation. See costs below.			
BURIAL IN EXISTING GRAVE			
CHESTNUT Re-open, Direct to Grave	Resident		£1048
	Non-Resident		£1781
WHITEBEAM Re-open with Chapel	Resident		£1190
	Non-Resident		£2002
PUBLIC GRAVES			
Burial in Shared Public Grave	Resident		£226
	Non-Resident		£1781
Burial in Shared Public Grave with Chapel	Resident		£351
	Non-Resident		£2002
NVF Burial in Shared Public Grave (Coffin up to 3ft)	Resident		£91
	Non-Resident		£171

**THE WOODLANDS AND MEADOWS BURIALS**

New Grave and Burial in The Woodlands or The Meadow	Both Resident	£1974
	Combination	£2349
	Both Non-Resident	£2533
Burial in Existing Grave in The Woodlands or The Meadow	Resident	£876
	Non-Resident	£1099

**MUSLIM BURIALS**

New Grave and Burial in Muslim Plot	Both Resident	£2702
	Combination	£3584
	Both Non-Resident	£4568

**JEWISH GRAVES**

New Grave and Burial in Jewish plots	Both Resident	£2140
	Combination	£2826
	Both Non-Resident	£3609
Burial in Jewish Plots (Re-open)	Resident	£1122
	Non-Resident	£1906

**BURIAL WEEKEND & BANK HOLIDAY ADDITIONAL CHARGES**

Interments - 30 Minute Slot (Bookings are Dependent on Review, Consideration and Management Approval and Any Request Must Be Received Before 12 Noon)	Direct to Grave (Southern Cemetery Only)	Standard Fee plus £490
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**PRE-PURCHASE OF GRAVE OR CREMATION PLOT**

<b>ASH</b> Pre-Purchase of Grave OR Cremation Plot	Resident	£1891
	Non-Resident	£3276

<b>CREMATIONS</b>	
<b>ELM:</b> Cremation and Service with Side Chapel	£854
<b>YEW:</b> Cremation and Service with Centre Chapel (One-Hour Minimum Booking)	£1259 (Per Hour)
Environmental Surcharge (Mercury Abatement)	£67
<b>DIRECT CREMATION</b> (Selected Times)	£463
<b>SIMPLICITY CREMATION</b> (Selected Times)	£651
<b>Side Chapel - Additional Fees</b> Please Note: Where a service exceeds the allocated time slot, a grace period of 5 minutes will apply, anything over the grace period will incur an additional fee	Full cost of a 30-minute slot, less the environmental surcharge will be applied and retrospectively invoiced
<b>Centre Chapel - Additional Fees</b> Please Note: Where a service exceeds the allocated time slot, a grace period of 10 minutes will apply, anything over the grace period will incur an additional fee	Full cost of a 30-minute slot, less the environmental surcharge will be applied and retrospectively invoiced

<b>CREMATION WEEKEND &amp; BANK HOLIDAY ADDITIONAL CHARGES</b>		
Cremation - 30 Minute Slot (Bookings are Dependent on Review, Consideration and Management Approval)	Blackley Crematorium (Saturday Only)	Standard Fee plus £490

<b>BURIAL OR STREWING OF CREMATED REMAINS</b>		
<b>WALNUT</b> Strewing Under Turf on Existing Grave		£150
<b>HAZEL</b> Strewing Cremated Remains in Remembrance Gardens/Lawn from MCC Blackley Crematorium		£105
<b>HAZEL</b> Strewing Cremated Remains in Remembrance Gardens/Lawn from Another Authority		£135
<b>SYCAMORE</b> Burial of Ashes in an Existing Grave or Cremation Plot	Resident	£365
	Non-resident	£602
<b>PINE</b> New CP with Burial Package (Includes - Headstone, Kerbs, Inscription of up to 70 Letters and First Interment within 4 Weeks of Purchase or 4 weeks of Headstone/Kerb Installation)	Both Resident	£2267
	Combination	£2740
	Both Non-resident	£3293
CP Burial Package after PWI (Includes - Headstone, Kerbs, Inscription of up to 70 Letters and First Interment within 4 Weeks of Purchase or 4 weeks of Headstone/Kerb Installation)	Both Resident	£1602
	Combination	£2052
	Both Non-resident	£2579
<b>Please Note:</b> If the interment has not taken place within the 4-week period provided by the package, an additional burial fee will apply.		

<b>MEMORIALS AND OTHER SALES</b>		
Book Of Remembrance	2 lines	£158 (Inc. VAT)
	5 lines	£200 (Inc. VAT)
	8 lines	£276 (Inc. VAT)
	Emblem	£175 (Inc. VAT)
New Granite Bench including up to 70 letters Inscription (Lease for 10 years)	£1366	
Bench Lease Renewal (Lease for 10 years)	£1038	
New/Replacement Bench Plaque on Existing Wooden Bench	£555	
Replacement Bench Plaque on Granite Bench	£250	
Kerb Plaque (Lease for 10 years)	£455	
Kerb Plaque Renewal (Lease for 10 years)	£376	
Ceramic Photo	£191	
Laser Engraved Photo (Bench/Lawn Tablet):		
5 Inch	£304	
10 Inch	£362	
Motif/Emblem (Bench/Lawn Tablet)	£65	
Replacement Tree/Rose Plaque (Ground Marker Only)	£131	
Woodland's Sandstone Plaque (Lease for 5 years)	£359	
Woodland's Sandstone Plaque Renewal (Lease for 5 years)	£170	
Wall Plaque + Inscription (Lease for 5 years)	£470	
Wall Plaque Lease Renewal (Lease for 5 years)	£345	
Columbarium (Lease for 10 years)	£958	
Memorial Tower Niche (Lease for 10 years)	£912	
Columbarium Renewal (Lease for 10 years)	£790	
Memorial Tower Niche Renewal (Lease for 10 years)	£752	
Columbarium Additional Placing & Added Inscription on Existing Plaque (up to 50 letters)	£269	
Columbarium Additional Placing & New Plaque, Plus Inscription of up to 50 letters	£594	
Additional Inscription Lettering (Per Letter on all Memorials)	£3.78 plus GOA	
Cleaning	£243.00	
Re-Black/Re-Gold Lettering (Per Letter on all Memorials)	£2.91 plus GOA	
Replacement Granite Desktop Stone	£849	
Replacement Granite Cremation Plot Kerbs	£614	
Marker Stone + Inscription	£175	



<b>MEMORIALS AND OTHER SALES (CONTINUED)</b>	
Granite Chippings (White) Two Bags	£220
Granite Chippings (Coloured) Two Bags	£252
Granite Lawn Tablet (Lease for 5 years)	£585
Granite Lawn Tablet Renewal (Lease for 5 years)	£423
Memory Tree Leaf & Inscription (Lease for 5 years)	£237
Memory Tree Leaf & Inscription with Motif/Emblem	£267
Memory Tree Leaf Renewal (Lease for 5 years)	£182
Public Stone (New including first basic inscription – Name, Age & DOD)	£215
Public Stone Inscription Only (GOA Admin Fee £102.00 plus £3.78 Per Letter)	£102 Plus Lettering
Temporary Grave Marker + Basic Inscription (Plastic)	£63
Grave Owner Authority Request (GOA) For Additional Inscription on all Headstones (Grave Only)	£102
Grave Owner Authority Request (GOA) For Replacement of Private Headstone (Grave Only)	£142
Grave Owner Authority Request (GOA) For Additional Inscription on CP's (Internal Order/Supplier)	£102 plus Lettering
Right to Erect Stone	£224
Transfer of Exclusive Right of Burial without Statutory Declaration (Probate and Letters of Administration)	£46
Transfer of Exclusive Right of Burial with Statutory Declaration	£102
Extra Grave Width Charge	£316
Late Alterations to Grave Dimensions (Less Than 24 Hours Before Burial)	£414
Removal and/or Reinstatement of Mudstone by MCC Staff	£83
Concrete Foundations	£238
Removing Kerbstones	£374
Wooden Casket (Baby/Child Standard)	£50
Wooden Casket (Adult Standard)	£89
Additional 30 Minutes Use of Side Chapel	£168
Additional 30 Minutes Use of Centre Chapel at Blackley (After 1 Hour Minimum)	£242

<b>MEMORIALS AND OTHER SALES (CONTINUED)</b>	
Early/Late Attendance – Penalty Fee	£50
Duplicate Paperwork Request	£50
Booking Cancellation Fee (within Five Working Days of the Proposed Booking)	£10
Late Paperwork Fee (Received less than 48 hours before Funeral)	£55
Incorrect Paperwork Fee (Returned more than Twice for Update/Amendment)	£55
Grave Mapping Assistance (Site Mapping and Grave Identification)	First Two Requests Free £5 Per Grave After
Memorial Appointment Fee – Customer Care Officers (Applies to all appointments booked over 15 minutes, however the fee will be deducted off the total costs when a memorial is purchased.)	£25

<b>Services provided by Obitus at Blackley Crematorium:</b>		
<i>*not all Obitus fees are covered by the Children's Funeral Fund</i>		<i>Fees inclusive of VAT</i>
<b>Streaming</b>		
Live webcast & On Demand	A professionally live streamed service so that people can still watch and pay their respects virtually, with Live and On Demand families can share the secure link with others to watch as it is happening or view online for a further 28 days. Downloadable file is also included at no extra cost	£57
<b>Keepsakes</b>		
Visual Tribute Copy (Slideshow)	A recording of the Slideshow on a DVD or USB memory stick and sent in a presentation case	£29
Keepsake Copy (DVD/USB stick)	A recording of the webcast on a DVD or USB memory stick and sent in a presentation case.	£58
Video Book	For those who want to revisit their service. A portable video of the service, tribute or both, set in its own A5 electronic screen with functional buttons, encased in a linen wrapped 'book'	£100
Memory Box	Choose up to 25 photos to be professionally printed and delivered in a bespoke linen wrapped box alongside your service, tribute or both, on DVD and USB Memory Stick	£137
<b>Extras</b>		
Additional Keepsake Copies	For each additional copies of the keepsake range:  DVD / USB Video Books Memory Box  Blue Ray or Audio CD available on request	£32 £53 £74
<b>Services for Young People</b>		
Live and On Demand, Single Photo & Basic Slideshow	For young people under the age of 18 we offer free Live and On Demand streaming, a single photo, and a basic slideshow of up to 25 photos.  Alternatively, the value of these products can be credited against a more premium option if preferred.	FREE

**Services provided by Obitus at Blackley Crematorium:***\*Obitus fees are not covered by the Children's Funeral Fund**Fees inclusive of VAT*

<b>Tributes</b>		
Single Photo	A picture of the deceased that can be shown on the screen throughout the service.	Free
Slideshow	Up to 25 photos with simple fade transitions, played on a loop or at a time of your choosing (Does not include music)	£51
Music Tribute (Formerly Pro Tribute)	Up to 25 photos set to music, professionally edited to a timed chosen piece of music with fade transitions	£79
Themed Tribute	Choose from a range of curated themes and have up to 25 photos professionally edited and timed to a chosen piece of music	£100
<b>Extras</b>		
Extra Single Photo	Additional Photos	£13
Tribute Download Link	A downloadable version of the music or Themed Tribute to keep forever	£11
Each Tribute Photos (25)	For each extra 25 photos on a visual tribute	£23
Extra Work/Late Charge	Fee that is applied to any of the standard products for additional work outside the norm e.g. adding a video to a tribute or late amendments	£23
Family Supplied Tribute	Family supplied Video/Photo Tribute used as received with basic quality checks performed by the Obitus team	£32

ROCHDALE BOROUGH COUNCIL  
ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT - BEREAVEMENT SERVICES  
**BURIAL AND CREMATION FEES AND CHARGES SUMMARY**

**With effect from 1 April 2024**

**CREMATION FEES**

Baby and Child up to 17 years	NIL
<b>Adult cremation fee</b> (inc environmental charge and medical referee fee)	£823.00
<b>Direct Adult cremation fee (no service/no attendance)</b> (inc environmental charge and medical referee fee)	£495.00
<b>Scattering of cremated remains (family attending)</b>	£31.00
<b>Scattering of cremated remains (out of town cremation)</b>	£71.00
Live Streaming plus 28 day playback	£51.00
Obitus Keepsake copy of service (USB/DVD)	£57.00

**CEMETERY FEES**

<b>Indemnity (lost grave papers)</b>	£31.00
<b>Transfer of ownership</b>	£78.00
<b>Chapel fee</b>	£118.00

**New grave and burial (Adult)**

Grant of right fee (resident)	£1142.00
Burial fee (adult resident)	£988.00
Concrete foundation	£262.00
Number stone	£106.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>£2498.00</b>

**New Muslim grave and burial (Adult)**

Grant of right fee (resident)	£1142.00
Burial fee (adult resident)	£988.00
Concrete foundation	£262.00
Number stone	£106.00
Timber chamber/Sedum matting	£507.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>£3005.00</b>

**New cremated remains grave**

Grant of right fee (resident)	£751.00
Burial fee (Adult resident)	£266.00
Concrete foundation	£262.00
Number stone	£106.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>£1385.00</b>

**Non-resident fees**

Grant of right fee (if purchaser is non-resident)	£2055.00
Burial fee (Adult non-resident)	£1482.00

A more detailed list of fees and charges is available on request.