

PARISH COUNCIL OF HARSTON – BURIAL GROUND

These are the tables of fees, payments and sums fixed and settled under the Local Authorities Cemetery Order 1974, by resolution 19-20/111 of Harston Parish Council, acting as the Burial Authority for the said parish dated 3rd October 2019 and 7th November 2019.

The fees, payments and sums set out below apply where the person to be interred or in respect of whom the right is, or before his death was, an inhabitant or parishioner of the Parish of Harston or, in the case of a stillborn child, where the parents or one of them is, or at the time of the interment, were such inhabitants or parishioners.

In all other cases, the fees, payments and sums will be doubled, except that of those set out in Part Four where the Exclusive Right of Burial in the grave in question or the Right of Construction of the Grave was acquired as detailed in Part Two and Part Three.

All graves and cremation plots must be left level after allowing reasonable time to settle.

Part One: Interment

The fees do not include the digging of the grave.

For any interment in a grave	Of the body of a stillborn child, or of a child whose age at the time of death did not exceed one month	£0
	Of the body of a child whose age at the time of death exceeded one month but not twelve years	£0
	Of the body of a person whose age at the time of death exceeded twelve years	£90
For the interment of cremated remains in a grave		£50

Fees for child burials or cremations are no longer to be charged to the family. Local Authorities fees will be met by Government Funding cff@sscl.gse.gov.uk

In the event that the below *Exclusive Right of Burial in Earthen Grave* is not purchased, no memorial may be erected, and the plot may be re-used after a period of 75 years.

Part Two: Exclusive Right of Burial in Earthen Grave

The fees indicated below entitle the purchaser to exclusive burial in a grave for a period not exceeding 99 years.

This right does not entitle the purchaser to choose the plot as all plots must be purchased in succession order i.e. a plot may only be purchased next to the last sold plot. No pre-purchase of graves is allowed in the cemetery.

For the Exclusive Right of Burial for a period not exceeding 99 years	Of a body in an earthen grave 6 feet by 3 feet (1.8m x 900mm)	£250
	Of cremated remains in an earthen grave 4 feet by 3 feet (1.2m x 900mm)	£80

Part Three: Kerbing

For the Right to Construct Kerbing 7ft x 3ft	£80
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The fees indicated in Parts Two and Three above include the Deed of Grant and the expenses thereof.

Part Four: Monuments, Gravestones, Tablets and Monumental Inscriptions

For the right to erect or to place on a grave in respect of which the Exclusive Right of Burial has been granted.

Only headstones are allowed in the new cemetery. These must not exceed 3 feet (900mm) in height but may have the provision for a flower vase at the base.

Only headstones are allowed in the cremation area of the new cemetery. These must not exceed 2 feet (600mm) in height but may have the provision for a flower vase at the base.

Headstones may not be erected until at least nine months from the date of the burial.

No flower vases are allowed on their own for either graves or cremation plots in the new cemetery.

A headstone not exceeding 3 feet (900mm) in height	£80
A headstone not exceeding 2 feet (600mm) in height (cremation plots)	£50
Each subsequent inscription after the first initial inscription	£30

Transfer of Burial Rights	£50
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Please make all fees, payments and sums payable to **Harston Parish Council**.

To arrange a burial or for any further information, please contact the Clerk to the Parish Council.

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Harston Burial Ground Rules

1. No headstone or kerbing of any material is permitted until six months has elapsed from the date of burial.
2. A sketch and measurements of proposed headstone and/or kerbing should be submitted to the Parish Council for approval before work commences.
3. No trees or bushes should be planted on any grave space.
4. At all times grave spaces should not exceed 7ft x 3ft maximum to include headstone and/or kerbing.
5. Three feet to be left between each plot.
6. For the interment of ashes in the area designated the plot size must be kept to 2ft x 2ft.
7. Memorial in interment of ashes area to be left flat.
8. Funeral cars are not permitted in the burial ground.
9. No soil must be dumped in the burial ground.
10. Soil must not be placed on an existing grave.