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REPLIES TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE EDUCATION OFFICER QUOTING

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London County Council.

Education Officer's Department,
The County Hall,
Westminster Bridge, S.E. 1.

14 July, 1927.

Dear Mr. Robinson,

Wandsworth County School.

As the Governors are not meeting again before the holidays, I thought you would wish to know the result of their recommendations regarding the fees to be charged when the school is opened next September.

In regard to pupils now in attendance at the Wandsworth Technical Institute Secondary School, who will be transferred to the Wandsworth County School at the commencement of the autumn term, the Education Committee have decided that they shall be allowed to attend the new school at the same scale of fees they are now paying and under other conditions in accordance with the undertakings already signed on their behalf.

In regard to new pupils, however, the Committee felt that, having regard to the character of the district in which

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the school is situated and to the fees charged at neighbouring schools, they were unable to agree to the recommendation of the Governors that the somewhat low scale of fees now in operation at the Wandsworth Technical Institute Secondary School should be continued for new entrants, and decided that the scale of fees for new entrants should be the same as that at Bec School, that is to say, £12 12s. 0d. a year for pupils under 12 years of age on admission, and £15 15s.0d. a year for those admitted afterwards, with a reduction of one-third of the fee for each brother after the first if the brothers concerned are fee-paying pupils.

This decision was arrived at subject to the approval of the Board of Education and of the Finance Committee. The Board have already signified their approval, but we are still awaiting the decision of the Finance Committee.

Yours faithfully,

P. Fawell

WANDSWORTH TECHNICAL INSTITUTE.

SECONDARY SCHOOL.

Transfer of the School. 5th July, 1927.

As from the commencement of next term the School will occupy the new buildings in Sutherland Grove and from that time will be under the direct control of the London County Council.

The general arrangements regarding fees, free places, etc., made by the present Governing Body, will continue to hold for all boys now in the School and resident in the Administrative County of London. In the case of boys whose parents remove from the London area, the "out-county" fee of £36 a year will be charged.

The scale of fees for new pupils will be:-

For pupils admitted at the beginning of the school year in September :-

Age on previous 31st July.	Fee per Annum.
Under 12 years	£12. 12. -.
Over 12 "	£15. 15. -.

When two or more brothers (paying pupils) attend the School simultaneously the first will be charged the full ordinary fee; the second, third etc., will each be charged two-thirds of the ordinary fee provided he enters the School before the age of twelve years.

When a boy matriculates at the General School Examination his fee will be reduced to £4.10s. per annum if his parents agree that he shall take a full Advanced Course extending over two years.

These fees apply only to pupils whose parent reside in the Counties of London and Kent and to pupils over 11 years of age whose parents reside in Middlesex. The fee for those not coming within these residential qualifications is £39 a year.

Hours of Attendance.

The hours of attendance will be 9.10 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 3.45.

Mid-day Dinner.

An adequate "Kitchen block" has been provided completely equipped for the preparation of mid-day dinners. Particulars are being sent on a separate sheet.

Examination for Admission.

An examination for the admission of new paying pupils will be held at the Technical Institute on Wednesday, July 13th at 9.30a.m. Early application should be made to the Head Master.

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Head Master.

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Education Officer's Department,
The County Hall,
Westminster Bridge, S.E. 1.

22nd July, 1927.

Dear Sir,

With reference to previous correspondence on the question of the fees at Wandsworth County School, the Education Committee on 6th July, 1927, resolved as follows:-

(a) That until further notice, and subject to the conditions laid down in the rules of the Education Committee, the fees to be charged to new entrants at Wandsworth County School be as follows:-

For pupils under twelve years of age on admission.	12 guineas a year
For pupils twelve years of age and over on admission.	15 " "
Where two or more brothers are fee-paying pupils attending the school at the same time, the fee for each brother after the first shall be two-thirds of the appropriate fee under the foregoing scale.	

(b) That pupils in attendance at the Wandsworth Technical Institute Secondary school, who are transferred to Wandsworth County School at the commencement of the autumn term, 1927, be allowed to attend Wandsworth County School at the scale of fees and under other conditions in accordance with the undertakings already signed on their behalf.

The Finance Committee of the Council have concurred in these decisions, and the Board of Education have also approved the proposals in question.

Yours faithfully,

J.H. Yates

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Education Officer.

The Head Master,
Wandsworth County School.

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London County Council.

Education Officer's Department,
The County Hall,
Westminster Bridge, S.E.1.

H.2/2

12th April, 1929.

Dear Sir,

Fees - Remission in respect of absence.

As you are aware, the Rules of the Education Committee have hitherto provided that a pupil who has been absent through certified illness or other grave cause for at least six weeks continuously during a term or for the whole of a term, the fees for which have been paid in full, might be admitted for a subsequent term at half fees or without fees respectively.

No remission was provided for in the case of a pupil whose absence had been for not less than six continuous school weeks but occurring partly at the end of one term and partly at the beginning of the next. The Education Committee have, however, now modified the rule to permit of a remission of half fees in this case also.

The new rule reads as follows:-

> A pupil who is continuously absent from school on account of personal illness, infectious disease at home, or other sufficient cause, for a period of at least six school weeks, exclusive of school holidays, is admitted to the school for the whole of a subsequent term at half fees, provided that -
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> (i) The fees for the term or terms in which the absence occurred were paid in full.
> (ii) A medical certificate satisfactorily accounting for the whole of the absence is produced, if the case is one of personal illness or infectious disease at home.
> (iii) The half fees for the subsequent term's attendance are paid at the beginning of that term.

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Wandsworth County School.

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The rule as to remission of the whole of a subsequent term's fees in the case of a pupil who has been absent (in appropriate circumstances) for the whole of the term, remains as before.

Yours faithfully,

W. Slater.

Education Officer.