

Cemetery is here.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES

PLEASE CONTACT

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Tariff of charges

Please note that the charges below relate to anyone resident in Pershore, Drakes Broughton or Wadborough, or a person who resided in these parishes within the preceding 5 years. In all other cases the exclusive rights of burial, interment and memorial fees will be doubled.

Interment

Interment of child under 12	No
Interment of person over 12	£135
Interment of cremated remains	£120
Purchase of full size grave plot	£260
Purchase of plot for cremated remains	£145
Purchase of large family plot (cremated remains)	£177
Purchase of grave for child under 12	£ 85

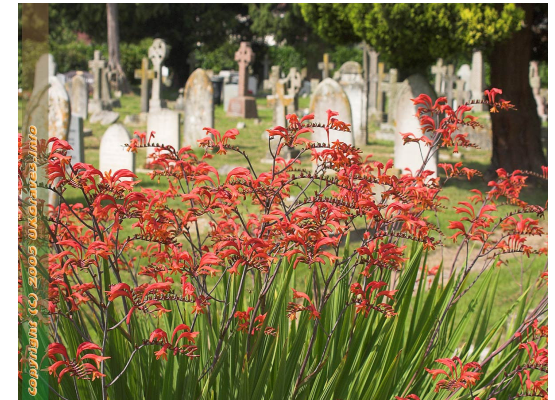
Memorials

Flat Stone	£135
Headstone up to 4ft high	£150
Footstone	£ 30
Kerbstone	On application
Flat stone	£135
Vase with inscription	£ 55
Stone with vase and inscription	£ 80
Flatstone in Garden of Remembrance	£100
Use of chapel and keyboard	£ 75



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Types of Graves

Interments

When considering burying a loved one, it is important to remember that there are two types of grave space, purchased and unpurchased. If a grave space is purchased, the purchaser has the "Exclusive Right" to decide who is buried there for 100 years. This ensures that the grave will not be opened without your permission or that of any person inheriting your estate. Please note that the land remains in the ownership of the Council; it is the burial rights that are sold. If you purchase the grave rights you are also entitled to erect a memorial. A request for permission to erect a memorial can be sent to the Town Clerk and, provided the memorial is of an appropriate design, the memorial mason will arrange for its installation.

If it is decided not to purchase the "Exclusive Right" to the grave space, no headstone may be erected and the grave may be used for other burials at any time. Your funeral director will also guide you through this process.

Cremated remains

A separate part of the cemetery is laid out as a Garden of Remembrance. Here relatives can also purchase areas for the burial of cremated remains. This can again be done either by purchase of "Exclusive Rights" or non purchase when any ashes may be buried.

Cemetery Rules

The Town Council manages the

cemetery and can be contacted on 01386 561561.

The cemetery gates are generally open from 9.00am to 5.00pm although may be later in summer.

Authorised memorial planting

Weather conditions permitting, all graves will be turfed within six months of a burial. Any plants that have been planted the full length of the grave will be replanted at the head of the grave and excess plants disposed of.

When tending a grave please note the following:-

On the lawn section of the cemetery, full length planting is not permitted. Planting should be restricted to within 18 inches of the headstone, including planting of early flowering spring bulbs. If relatives wish the whole of the grave to be covered, please ensure a flat stone is installed that enables mowing to take place and you are then welcome to place floral displays on this stone.

Trees or shrubs planted without permission may be pruned or removed at the discretion of the Council.

In a few areas of the cemetery full kerb sets are allowed and if you wish to be able to have this type of memorial, it is suggested you advise the curator when choosing your grave space so that this can be accommodated.

Any kerb borders fixed outside the allotted area are considered unauthorised memorials and as serious tripping hazards, may be removed, without notice, at the discretion of the Council.

Please also note:-

Dogs brought into the cemetery must be kept on a lead. Please clean up after your dog.

Children under the age of 14 years old are only allowed in the cemetery in the company of an adult.



MEMORIALS

When purchasing a memorial please remember:-

- Ensure you will be able to obtain permission to erect a memorial. It is only possible to place a memorial on a grave for which an exclusive right of burial has been purchased.
- Pay the appropriate fee to the Council for the type of memorial you require, remembering the restrictions in various areas of the cemetery.
- Having spoken to your chosen Mason, please ensure permission is applied for and received BEFORE he starts work on the memorial.