

Child's Funeral

Our colleagues will carefully guide you through all the arrangements and listen to you to understand your thoughts and wishes. They'll gently suggest unique ways to add personal touches to the day and be right by your side before, during, and even after the funeral.

The free services we provide are:

Our funeral director's services

Our funeral directors will support you through everything you need to do, including completing all the paperwork and making all the arrangements for the funeral.

Use of our chapel of rest

We have private rooms where you can come to visit your child if you want to. You can spend as much time with them as you need. If you'd prefer them to be at home before the funeral, we can help you with this.

Other free services include:

-) *a hearse (or a limousine if your child is less than 12 months old)*
-) *a wooden fully lined and fitted coffin with a soft interior*
-) *your choice of route for the funeral procession*
-) *personnel to conduct the funeral*
-) *use of the funeral home for service where available*

Children's Funeral Fund for England

The Children's Funeral Fund is a scheme to provide funding for the fees charged for a cremation or burial of a child under the age of 18 or stillborn after the 24th week of pregnancy.

If you want to choose a different coffin to the one included for free, if you live in England, we can claim back the first £300 of the cost from the Children's Funeral Fund for England (CFF) on your behalf and you won't be charged

Burial and Cremation Fees

In England, cremation and burial fees, including doctors' fees for cremation documents, and the cost of a burial plot, will be claimed back from the Children's Funeral Fund on your behalf.

In Wales, burial and cremation fees are not charged.

If you live in England, Scotland or Wales your local authority will not charge for a standard burial or cremation of a child under the age of 18, but this might not include the cost of the grave.

Things you'll need to pay for:

You'll need to pay for minister or officiant fees (if applicable) and any additional products and services that are not included in our free children's funeral services.

You can choose to add other products or services to the funeral at an additional cost:

-) *personal floral tributes*
-) *funeral stationery, memorial books*
-) *obituary notices, acknowledgements*
-) *fingerprint keepsakes - handprints, footprints and fingerprints available*
-) *caskets, urns and keepsakes*
-) *headstones and masonry*
-) *catering*
-) *alternative hearse*
-) *additional limousines*