

Entry Fees – June 2020 series

WJEC has completed a review of its fees for the summer 2020 examination series. In light of the cancellation of the summer examinations, we recognise that we will be able to make some cost savings this year. As an awarding body and charity committed to supporting our centres, we are pleased to pass those savings back to you. Consequently, for the relevant qualifications which have been impacted by the cancellation of this summer's examinations and reduced assessment activities this year, we are pleased to be able to make a reduction of 23% to our [published entry fees](#).

The reduction in fees has been calculated by considering the direct cost savings associated with the summer series and any additional associated costs linked to the impact of the pandemic on our qualifications.

Fees that have been charged:

Linear schemes

(Eduqas GCSE and GCE, some WJEC GCSE, Level 1/2 Latin and Additional Maths, Entry Level, Extended Project, Foundation Art and Design and Language Pathways)

- A reduction of 23% has been applied to the published entry fee for these qualifications.
- If entries were made but the centre was unable to provide a centre assessment grade, no charges have been applied.

Unitised schemes

(Level 1/2 Vocational Awards and Certificates; Applied Level 3 Certificates and Diplomas, WJEC GCSE and GCE, Iaith ar Waith, Gwaith Cymraeg, Entry Pathways, and Welsh Bacalaureate)

- A reduction of 23% has been applied to the published unit entry fee for these qualifications.
- The reduced entry fee has been applied to all units entered in the June 2020 series that contributed to a cash-in for certification of an overall qualification.
- If unit entries and a cash-in were made but the centre was unable to provide a centre assessment grade, no charges have been applied. For WJEC GCE, if unit entries and cash-ins had been made for AS and A2 but a centre assessment grade was only provided for AS, none of the A2 units have been charged.

Other qualifications

The entry fees for the Essential Skills Wales qualification have not been adjusted as the assessment process has remained largely unchanged. The fees for this qualification are charged at the rates published in our [fees document](#).

Details regarding fees for the Health & Social Care Wales suite will be published in due course.

Fees that have not been charged:

We have not applied any entry fees where:

- a candidate has been entered and subsequently withdrawn
- a unit has been entered without a cash-in and therefore no centre assessment grade has been collected*
- a non-grade outcome has been submitted by the centre. This includes Private candidate entries where the centre has been unable to submit a grade, or where the private candidate has transferred to another centre, cash-in only entries, administrative error (e.g. the candidate should have been withdrawn) or other extenuating circumstances.

No late or very late penalties have been applied regardless of when the entry was made.

Process

Invoices have been run using information in our systems from a specific point after the final deadline for submission of centre assessment grades of 19th June. Any late changes relating to entries or centre assessment grade submissions will not have been captured and will be processed at a later date. *

We will be issuing invoices to centres electronically from the end of June, and we would be grateful for the settlement of invoices as soon as possible. Please note that no hard copies will be provided by post.

Remittances should be e-mailed to accounts@wjec.co.uk

Queries

Please contact accounts@wjec.co.uk if you have any queries regarding fees or your invoice.

Please contact entries@wjec.co.uk if you have any queries regarding your entries.

*The later window for collection of unit level centre assessment grades for Level 1/2 Vocational Awards and Certificates means those units for which centres submit a centre assessment grade will be invoiced at a later date.