

**Office of the Chairperson
Committee for Fixation & Regulation of Fee of Private
Schools, J&K (FFRC)**

Order No: QS -FFRC (FF) of 2022
Dated: 04/10/2022

Sub: Fixation and Regulation of fee of A.P.J. International Higher Secondary School, R.S. Pura, Jammu.

A.P.J. International Higher Secondary School, R.S. Pura, Jammu submitted file for fixation and regulation of fee structure of the School, which has been registered in FFRC office under No. FFRC/FF/2021/Jmu/440.

The **fee structure** of the School is being regulated by the Committee for the first time by this order.

The School Principal Submitted record for regulation of Fee Structure, which was received in FFRC on 30.09.2021. The Annual Fee for academic session 2019-20 was projected to be Rs. 5000/- for 11th and Rs. 6000/- for class 12th.

The Principal was asked to provide details of sub heads of Annual Fee with amount being charged under each sub-head.

Now in the fresh documents the Annual Fee for lass 11th is shown to be Rs. 6000/- for academic session 2019-20.

Record also shows that in the first academic session 2018-19 only class 11th was started and Tuition Fee was fixed at Rs. 1000/- and Annual Fee at Rs. 6000/-. However, in academic session 2019-20, the tuition fee for class 11th is fixed at Rs. 900/- and Annual Fee at Rs. 5000/-.

Prima facie the fairness on the part of principal is lacking and it appears that efforts are made to mint the money only.

Record shows that the school management is spending huge amounts on advertisements. School management shall avoid such expenditures as they put unnecessary burden on students/parents.



“Telephone/ Wifi charges and Picnic charges” being current expenses are not component of Annual Fee, but Tuition Fee and are accordingly deleted from Annual Fee.

The record produced and the justification given by the School Management for fixation and regulation of fee structure of the School was examined. The same was considered in accordance with norms set out in various judgements and prescribed by statute. On due consideration of the entire conspectus of the school record and acknowledged parameters and settled norms for regulating the fee structure of the School, material produced by the School Management, income-expenses, income and expenditure of the School and after considering all other relevant factors which govern the subject, the Committee finds it just and proper to regulate the **fee structure** of the School as under:

Session: 2021-22

Fee Head	11 th	12 th
Tuition Fee	900	900
Annual Fee	4950	5100

Session: 2023-24

Fee Head	11 th	12 th
Tuition Fee	980	980
Annual Fee	5170	5170

Session: 2022-23

Fee Head	11 th	12 th
Tuition Fee	940	940
Annual Fee	5050	5050

Session: 2024-25

Fee Head	11 th	12 th
Tuition Fee	1030	1030
Annual Fee	5310	5310

The aforesaid exercise has been undertaken and fee structure regulated in a manner that excluded the commercialization and profiteering of education completely.

An educational institution is being set-up primarily to impart quality education to the students. The school management shall advert its attention and give priority to imparting quality education to the students.

The School Management shall publish only FFRC orders about fee structure and Government Education Department’s notices in newspapers. No publicity through advertisement shall be made about School, same being not a business unit.



Charging and collecting of Admission Fee is prohibited by statutes. The school management is prohibited from charging and collecting Admission Fee from the students.

School Management shall not sell uniforms and books in the school premises. The students will be at liberty to purchase books and uniforms at the place of their choice.

Any land/building/vehicle purchased, or building constructed from out of School Funds, in law will be property of School and shall vest in School.

School Funds have to remain in School Corpus and have not to be transferred to any other account excepting the school account.

The School Management shall maintain an account of School Funds (Fee etc.) in a Schedule Bank, which shall be operated by a person(s) authorized by School Management. Record about all the expenses/expenditures shall be maintained with receipts.

All types of fees shall remain in School account and no amount shall be paid or transferred to Trust/ Association of Persons (AoP)/ Body of Individuals (BoI).

The School management is directed not to charge any other fee from the students other than the fee approved by the Committee.

The School management is further directed not to make any future enhancement in fee structure under any head without permission of the Committee.

The School Management shall also make reasonable annual hike in salary of its employees viz; teaching and non-teaching staff.

Realization of Annual Fee from the students shall be subject to providing the facilities to students and actual expenditure of the school on relevant overheads.



The Annual Fee regulated by this order will be operative after the School reopen and start offline/regular classes. The Annual Fee at that stage will be charged on pro-rata basis in terms of Government Circular No.01 – Edu of 2020 dated 14.05.2020, endorsed by FFRC in its meeting held on 18.03.2021.

The School management shall display this approved fee structure on School notice board, upload it on School website and publish the same in local daily newspapers.

Non-compliance will attract penal action under law.

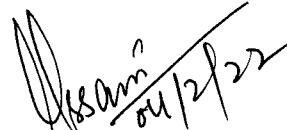
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Justice Muzaffar Hussain Attar
(Former Judge)
Chairperson
Committee for Fixation & Regulation
Of Fee of Private Schools J&K (FFRC)

No. **FFRC/FF/2021/Jmu/440**

Dated: - 04/02/2022

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3. Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government School Education Department (Member Secretary FFRC) for information of the Principal Secretary;
4. P. A. to Chairperson, FFRC for information of the Hon'ble Chairperson, FFRC;
5. Principal, **A.P.J. International Higher Secondary School, R.S. Pura, Jammu** for compliance;
6. I/C Website for uploading the same on official website;
7. Office file.


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04/02/2022