

Wollongong Memorial Gardens

Basic Adult Ashes and Burial Interment Fees and Charges 2025-2026

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Price breakdown for Basic Ash Interment

Price breakdown element	Description of this element	Operator specific (if relevant)	Price (GST applicable element, includes GST)	Price (GST not applicable, excludes GST)
Right to inter (place) ashes in a particular location in a cemetery				
Administration – Interment right	Preparation of key documentation and associated activities to issue an interment right (the right to place (inter) ashes in a particular location) including: - Consumer Contract (also acts as Interment Right Certificate)	Includes an administration processing fee of \$149		\$870
Land value	Relevant proportion of the cost of purchasing land for the cemetery	Land purchased by Wollongong City Council in the 1950's		N/A
Site development	Cost of developing land for the cemetery, or the specific area of the cemetery	Site continually developed based on master plan, market trends and community requests		N/A
Maintenance	Cost of activities required to maintain the site and the cemetery.	All Wollongong Memorial Gardens and Cemeteries sites are perpetual, and grounds maintenance is completed by Wollongong City Council staff (this excludes memorials/monuments)		N/A
Subtotal (Shared Rose Garden Single Site) including above items: \$870				

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Price breakdown element	Description of this element	Operator specific (if relevant)	Price (GST applicable element, includes GST)	Price (GST not applicable, excludes GST)
Memorial (if applicable)				
Memorial plaque, or other item installed on a site to commemorate or identify	Placement of a memorial plaque at interment site	Plaque is supplied through Wollongong Memorial Gardens Office	Tier 2 Bronze Photoset - \$436	
Religious, Cultural or Spiritual (if applicable)				
Religious, cultural or spiritual requirements	Details of religious, cultural or spiritual requirements included and an explanation of the components of the price.	This is specific to each family and is discussed at the time of interment	N/A	
Additional fees, services or products (if applicable)				
Items or components that are not included in the above sections e.g. flowers, chapel hire, catering	Any additional fees that may be included are discussed with each family and included within the contract. The NSW government ash placement levy is included as an additional fee but there may also be other fees such as chapel hire and catering.		Interment Levy (Ashes) - \$69.30	
Subtotal			GST applicable subtotal	GST not applicable subtotal
			\$505.30	\$870
Total price for Basic Ash Interment (including GST where it is applicable): \$1,375.30				

Price breakdown for Basic Adult Burial

Price Breakdown Element	Description of this Element	Operator Specific (if relevant)	Price (GST applicable element, includes GST)	Price (GST not applicable, excludes GST)
Right to inter (bury) <i>bodily remains</i> in a particular location in a cemetery				
Administration – Interment right	Preparation of key documentation and associated activities to issue an interment right (the right to place (inter) ashes in a particular location) including: - Consumer Contract (also acts as Interment Right Certificate)	Includes an administration processing fee of \$149		\$2500
Land value	Relevant proportion of the cost of purchasing land for the cemetery	Land either originally Crown Land or land purchased by Wollongong City Council in the 1970's		N/A
Site development	Cost of developing land for the cemetery, or the specific area of the cemetery	Site continually developed based on master plan, market trend and community requests		N/A
Maintenance	Cost of activities required to maintain the site and the cemetery. Operator to specify whether perpetual maintenance (future) is included.	All Wollongong Memorial Gardens and Cemeteries sites are perpetual, and grounds maintenance is completed by Wollongong City Council staff (this excludes memorials/monuments)		N/A
Subtotal (Basic Adult - Lawn Beam) including above items: \$2,500				
Burial or placement of bodily remains in grave or built structure				
Burial, or Placement (Weekday only)	Burial of bodily remains in the ground, including excavation (digging a grave to the appropriate size and depth) and landscaping the site after burial, or Placement of bodily remains elsewhere than in the ground (e.g. crypt, mausoleum).		\$1,900	
Administration - Burial	Administrative costs associated with the burial.		N/A	
Subtotal (Interment Fee - Burial): \$1,900				

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Price Breakdown Element	Description of this Element	Operator Specific (if relevant)	Price (GST applicable element, includes GST)	Price (GST not applicable, excludes GST)
Memorial (if applicable)				
Plaque, monument, headstone, or other item installed on a site to commemorate or identify	Engraving and/or placement of a memorial	Plaques supplied through Wollongong Memorial Gardens Office. Headstones / monuments purchased directly from monumental mason.	Standard Lawn Plaque - \$875 (Starting price)	
Religious, Cultural or Spiritual (if applicable)				
Religious, cultural or spiritual requirements	Details of religious, cultural or spiritual requirements included and an explanation of the components of the price.	This is specific to each family and is discussed at the time of interment	N/A	
Additional fees, services or products (if applicable)				
Items or components that are not included in the above sections e.g. flowers, chapel hire, catering	Any additional fees that may be included are discussed with each family and included within the contract. The NSW government burial levy is included as an additional fee but there may also be other fees such as chapel hire and catering.		Interment Levy (Burial) \$171.60	
Subtotal			GST applicable subtotal	GST not applicable subtotal
			\$2,946.60	\$2,500
Total price for Basic Adult Burial (including GST where it is applicable): \$5,446.60				