

**COMMUNITY USE OF SCHOOLS
USER GROUP CLASSIFICATIONS AND FEES**

Classification	Group Description
Class A Board/School Use	Board or School Sponsored Activities Including: Board or school authorized events including school council events, school dances, school sporting activities and Continuing Education, Catholic Church Services, Masses and Religious Instruction Classes.
Class B Not-for-Profit Youth No User Fee	Not-for-Profit Youth-related Community Groups providing services free of charge
Class C Not-for-Profit Youth With User Fee	Not-for profit Youth- related Community Groups Activities run by local not-for-profit youth groups, groups directly involved with children and youth (Scouts/Guides, YMCA/YWCA, 4H Clubs, Special Olympics and other youth groups where the activities are intended for participants under the age of 18
	Not-for-profit recognized children's sport and recreation service providers Members or affiliates of Provincial sports organizations that are recognized by the Ministry of Tourism
Class D Not-for-Profit Adult or Charitable Groups	Not-for-profit childcare Operations Before and after- school childcare (as in the Child Care and Early Years Act, 2014)
	Other not-for-profit or charitable groups Such as local service clubs, community health associations, senior groups, etc. as determined by Senior Administrative Council. *Niagara Catholic staff members booking a personal event
Class E Profit or Commercial	Religious, Cultural, Service and recognized Political Organizations (Federal/Provincial/Municipal)
	Individuals or groups providing Services and Programs for the Community and Charging Participation or User Fees (paid instruction/supervision) including: music, dancing, arts, drama, gymnastics classes, sports
	Other Groups Including: Driver education programs, partnership in education (colleges and universities), enterprises, general public, Niagara Catholic staff members booking a for-profit event

RENTAL FEE STRUCTURE (as of September 1, 2022)

Rental Type	Class B	Class C	Class D	Class E
Auditorium (performance or rehearsal)	\$0.00	\$10.55/hr	\$35.85/hr	\$84.35/hr
Cafeteria (excluding kitchen)	\$0.00	\$3.60/hr	\$12.25/hr	\$28.85/hr
Classroom	\$0.00	\$1.45/hr	\$4.90/hr	\$11.55/hr
Gymnasium (Regular Use) – Double	\$0.00	\$14.45/hr	\$49.05/hr	\$115.45/hr
Gymnasium (Regular Use) – Single	\$0.00	\$7.20/hr	\$24.55/hr	\$57.75/hr
Gymnasium (Tournament) – Double	\$0.00	\$49.05/hr	-	-
Gymnasium (Tournament) – Single	\$0.00	\$24.55/hr	-	-
Library	\$0.00	\$2.70/hr	\$9.20/hr	\$21.65/hr
Parking Lot (stand-alone use)	\$0.00	\$5.35/hr	\$18.20/hr	\$42.80/hr
Playing fields (Elementary only)	\$0.00	\$10.00/hr	\$14.35/hr	\$33.75/hr
ADDITIONAL FEES				
	Class B	Class C	Class D	Class E
Administration Fee – per permit	\$5.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$25.00
Administration Fee – multi-use permit	-	-	-	\$125.00
Cancellation Fee	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00
Refundable Deposits	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
Access Card Deposit/ Lost or Late Access Card Fee	\$35.00	\$35.00	\$35.00	\$35.00
Custodial Fees, as applicable	See custodial fee chart below			

*The Board may enter into negotiated agreements for defined space requirements. Such agreements may include before and after school programs, licensed childcare centres, elections and polling stations, and reciprocal agreements.

ARTIFICIAL TURF FIELD FEE STRUCTURE (as of April 7, 2026)

	Class C	Class D	Class E
Artificial Turf Field (includes portable washroom fee)	\$90.00/hr	\$110/hr	\$160/hr
ADDITIONAL FEES			
	Class C	Class D	Class E
Administration Fee – per permit	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
Administration Fee – multi-use permit	\$125.00	\$125.00	\$125.00
Cancellation Fee	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00
Refundable Deposits	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
Key Replacement Fee	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
Late Return Fee – Turf Fields	\$100.00/wk	\$100.00/wk	\$100.00/wk
Custodial Fees, as applicable	See custodial fee chart below		

* One (1) key per user group, per field, will be issued.

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ADMINISTRATION FEES

Fees are payable in advance and per facility.

REFUNDABLE DEPOSITS

Deposits are payable in advance and are per facility, per group and per year.

ACCESS CARDS

A refundable deposit for each access card issued may be required.

A fee will apply when cards are lost or returned late.

CUSTODIAL FEES (As of April 23, 2025)

Rate x hours of work – when required (3 hours minimum, if called in to work). Applicable to all groups.

RATES				
Custodian Type	Regular	Saturday	Sunday	Holiday
Casual staff	\$23.93/hr	\$35.90/hr	\$47.86/hr	\$59.83
Permanent Part-Time Staff	\$32.81/hr	\$49.22/hr	\$65.62/hr	\$82.03/hr
Permanent Full-Time Staff	\$49.22/hr	\$49.22/hr	\$65.62/hr	\$82.03/hr

*Facilities may require the use of additional custodial staff during times of community use depending upon the event and at the discretion of the Associate Director of Education – Corporate Services or designate. The permit holder will pay the applicable custodial fee, if additional staff is required.

TECHNICAL EQUIPMENT

Technical equipment such as sound and audio visual is not included as part of permit agreement and approval must be arranged directly with school principal.