

Worshipful Company of Gardeners

Membership costs 2026/27

Freemen and Liverymen

Fines

There are fees (known as 'fines') payable on admission:

Admission to the Freedom	£425 incl. VAT
Admission to the Livery	£425 incl. VAT

There are discounted fines for those applying by patrimony:

Admission to the Freedom by patrimony	£20 incl. VAT
Admission to the Livery by patrimony	£370 incl. VAT

And there are also discounted fines for those under 40:

Admission to the Freedom if under 40	£100 incl. VAT
Admission to the Livery if under 40	£175 incl. VAT

(If invited to join the Livery straight away, you'll only pay the Livery admission fine).

Quarterage

The annual subscription, known as 'quarterage', is due once a year on 1 July (if joining in-year, you'll pay pro rata). The rates for 2026/27 are as follows:

Freedom	£355 incl. VAT
Livery	£455 incl. VAT
Under 40s (Freeman or Liveryman)	£175 incl. VAT

The Company Charity

In addition to their quarterage, Freemen and Liverymen are strongly encouraged to make an annual donation to the Worshipful Company of Gardeners of London Charity. The recommended minimum amount is currently £150/year.

Young Gardeners

Annual subscription for Young Gardeners	£30 incl. VAT
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Temporary Members

Annual subscription for Temporary Members	£165 incl. VAT
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Overseas Affiliates

Annual subscription for Overseas Affiliates	£60 incl. VAT
Fine on admission as an Overseas Affiliate	£105 incl. VAT