Old Fashioned Education's
Official Position
on Buying & Selling
Curriculum Resources

Old Fashioned Education curriculum is meant to be free. It was created with the intention that everyone and anyone could use it with no strings attached. Therefore our official policy is that no money can be charged for the texts, not even shipping and handling. This means that if you want to give your books away, that as the **Giver** you **must pay to ship them to the Receiver**. The Receiver is not responsible for paying for them. If the Receiver is pleased to accept your generosity then they are welcome to extend the same courtesy to other users of the OFE curriculum. It's a method of "Paying Forward" instead of "Paying Back." If you cannot afford shipping and handling then you are a Receiver instead of a Giver. If you can afford shipping and handling then you can be both a Giver and a Receiver.

This policy is based on the idea of Christian Giving.

"Freely ye have received, freely give." Matthew 10:8.

We give to others out of the abundance that God gives to us. We give without expecting anything in return. We give because it's the right thing to do and we want to teach our children that giving to others is something to be encouraged.

Actual published books, for instance *Little Women*, or *Frankenstein* or *Peter Jenning's 20th Century History* may be bought and sold through other means such as E-Bay or Curriculum Swap sites. They may not be bought or sold on any official OFE group or message board. They may be given away however, just like the home-printed texts.

If a Receiver feels moved by the Lord to make a donation to the Giver then that is between them and God. It should be handled privately. Donations are neither expected nor required. Thank-you cards are always appreciated.

While this policy may seem controversial, it is the only requirement OFE makes of it's users. Please understand the spirit of this requirement and give it the respect it is due.

Thank-You,
-Maggie,*Owner and Creator of OFE*
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