

Dear Parents

Parental Giving Scheme

At The Blue School we take every opportunity we can to enhance the learning experiences that our students have. Like any good school, we want our students to be engaged and energised by the opportunities that we can give them. Much of this happens within the school budget but we are always looking at different ways to secure additional funding so that we can over deliver as often as possible.

One of the ways we do that is by asking parents to consider supporting our Blue School Parental Giving Scheme. As a Church of England School, we are committed to contribute £9000 per annum to the London Diocesan Maintenance Fund. Under this scheme, each school contributes to a fund held by the Board and, when a need for a repair arises, a claim is made. Improvements to our school would not be possible without the Maintenance Fund contributions.

We invite all parents/guardians to participate and contribute. It is the aim of this scheme to fully meet the cost to the London Diocesan Maintenance Fund. Unfortunately, over recent years parental giving has fallen short of the annual subscription cost and this shortfall has to be found from the existing school purse.

How much?

The suggested level of contribution is £50 per child, per school year. This can be a one-off payment or a standing order commitment. Plus, if you are a UK taxpayer, we can also reclaim 25p per £1 contribution by completing a Gift Aid form. (Gift Aid Forms are available on the website).

How to Pay

There is never a good time to make this payment. Therefore, a standing order of £5 per month (per child) for 10 months may be a lot more affordable than a single large payment. If you select this method of payment, please inform your bank personally as we are unable to create this mandate.

Barclays Bank PLC
Sort Code 20-42-73
Account Name Blue School PGS Account
Account Number 50178373

If you would like to contribute on an ad hoc basis to the Blue School Parental Giving Scheme, you can do so on ParentPay at any time.

All donations received are in the strictest of confidence and note that this is also a voluntary commitment. If you have any queries, please do contact the School Office.

Thank you for your continued and valuable support.