

Runnymede St Edward's Catholic Primary School

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21st April 2021

Dear Parents,

I hope you all had a restful Easter break.

As we move into a new financial year I wanted to update parents on the generous donations that our school charity has received since September. I am pleased to report that over £10000 has been donated to date and this sum will significantly increase thanks to gift aid donations. This level of generosity, amid so much uncertainty, is truly appreciated and recognises the commitment of parents to ensure that the new Runnymede can endeavour to offer that bit extra to our pupils.

At the request of Miss Peaston, the Governors have recommended to the Charity Trustees that funds are made available to install new playground equipment for use by all age groups. The intention will be to introduce these in a phased way over the coming months as funds are available. Attached to this letter are illustrations of the type of equipment envisaged. Approximate costs for this type of equipment are on average £20,000 per playground.

There is no doubt that the School faces many financial challenges in the years ahead as we adapt from a small independent school into a two form entry maintained school. Parental contributions are essential to enable the School to invest in those extras that are not routinely provided for within the budget. Donations will also enable us to maintain access to the extensive range of facilities across the St Edwards campus.

For those families who are not currently making a regular contribution we would ask, if at all possible, that you consider making one via standing order. In broad terms we would ask you to consider a donation in line with family income (parents with a combined income of over £30,000 are asked to donate £30 per month per child, a family with an income of over £60,000 are asked to donate £60 per month per child and those with an income of over £100,000 to donate £100 per child etc), this is consistent with the donation scheme at St Edwards College. Any affordable level of donation would be gratefully received. If you are eligible to make this a gift aid donation, the School could claim a further 25%.

The nature of your contribution will be strictly confidential (the headteacher and teaching staff would not be privy to these details). The School would acknowledge receipt of your commitment and of course you would be kept updated each year as to how the voluntary donations are benefitting the School.

Attached is a donation mandate we would ask you to return to the School. We would be most grateful for your consideration and generosity. The Governors are acutely aware that the ongoing national circumstances make any financial commitment more difficult and therefore understand that this might not be feasible for some at this stage.

Yours sincerely,

John McCabe

Chair of Governors



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Voluntary Donation

Gift Aid Declaration:

Please complete all **shaded areas** and return in the envelope provided.

I promise to pay Runnymede School per month to the School Fund until further notice.

All donations I have made and all future donations should be Gift Aided until I notify you otherwise.

Title	Forename	Surname
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Child's Name: (identification use only)

Address:

Form:

I confirm I have paid or will pay an amount of Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax for the current tax year (6 April to 5 April) that is at least equal to the amount of tax that all the charities and Community Amateur Sports Clubs (CASCs) that I donate to will reclaim on my gifts for the current tax year. I understand that other taxes such as VAT and Council Tax do not qualify. I understand the charity will reclaim 25p of tax on every £1 that I have given.

Please *✓* indicate

Signed: _____

I want the School to reclaim tax on my donations

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Dated: _____

I am not a taxpayer

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Please Turn Over



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Standing Order Mandate:

Account to be Debited:

Sorting Code:

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Account Number:

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Account Name:

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To: (Full Postal Address of Bank or Building Society)

Bank:

NATWEST

Branch Details:

509 Prescott Road, Liverpool,
L13 3BZ

Sorting Code:

60

15

38

Account Number:

7

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Beneficiary Name:

Runnymede St Edward's
Charity

Reference:

(please quote on all
payments)

Please arrange a Monthly Standing Order commencing

(Date)

In the sum of

£

until further notice

Signed:

Date:

Please give your full name and address

