



ST. AIDAN'S

CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL

Academic Year 20/21

Dear Parents,

Parents' Gift Aid Scheme

We are delighted that you chose St. Aidan's Church of England High School for your child's education and thank you for your support of the School.

As a Church of England School St. Aidan's enjoys a distinctive status among other secondary schools in the area. You may also know that St. Aidan's is an Academy and as such our Gift Aid Scheme, which has been in place since 1968, continues to be absolutely essential to enable us to pay some of our building and capital costs.

Even in a large school like St. Aidan's, funding has never been tighter. We remain hugely ambitious for our school and hence for your child's education. St. Aidan's has gone through massive changes in recent years and much of the school has been rebuilt.

There is an urgent need for us to replace the temporary classrooms that are long past their useful life and to update, maintain, repair and raise the standard of the rest of the school. Each of these projects has relied on the generosity of our parents. Future improvements are only made possible by regular or one-off donations to the School's Gift Aid Scheme.

If you feel that you would like to contribute, please complete the section at the end of this letter and return to School along with the Gift Aid declaration available [here](#).

Please be assured that all donations are entirely voluntary and confidential and are not known to anyone other than the Finance administration team and HMRC.

If you are a taxpayer, you can make your contribution to the school more valuable by completing the enclosed Gift Aid Declaration, which will add 25% to the value of your donation at no extra cost to yourself.

If you have any queries about this scheme, please contact finance@staidans.co.uk.

Thanking you in anticipation of your generous support of the work at St. Aidan's.

Yours sincerely

Christopher Burt
Executive Headteacher

Jo Wicks
Chair of Governors

Headteacher: Mr C Burt

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Please complete the section below and return with a completed Gift Aid declaration Form and Banker's order.

Name of student:.....Form:.....

Please find enclosed:

A completed Gift Aid declaration form

A completed Banker's Order for

Amount of donation
£10 / £20 / £50 / other £_____

Frequency annually/monthly

Please circle the frequency and amount you wish to donate. You are of course welcome to specify another amount.

Please return by email to finance@staidans.co.uk or post to:
The Finance Office
St. Aidan's CE High School, Oatlands Drive, Harrogate, HG2 8JR