

GOVERNOR'S FUND APPEAL

YOUR SCHOOL NEEDS YOU!



Dear Parents and Carers

You only have to look at the news to know that funding for education nationwide is limited. Being part of a Multi Academy Trust makes us more financially robust than if we were a single entity, however, we must continuously generate funds to meet any shortfall, and to guarantee we provide the best education and environment for the children in our school. The school receives funding from 3 main channels:

- Central funding from the Department for Education (managed by the Trust)
- The incredible work of the Friends of St Cuthbert Mayne
- Governors Fund voluntary contributions

Traditionally, the Friends' fundraising has contributed to purchasing resources that directly support the children's learning as well as bigger capital expenditure projects such as the wonderful playground.

The Governors Fund pays for projects which ensure the school remains an attractive and safe environment for the children including a rolling programme of refurbishment, new technologies and other capital expenditure.

Governors School Development Fund

We are incredibly blessed with the generosity of our school community and would like to express our sincere thanks to all the parents and carers who make regular voluntary contributions to the Governors School Development Fund during these austere times.

The leadership team plans for continuous improvement of the learning areas of the school. Imminent plans include:

- A concertina partition wall in the hall to make the space more dynamic and expand the After School and Breakfast Club capacity
- New furniture for KS1 classrooms
- iPads to support in classroom learning

The recommended contribution for 2023/24 is between £12 & £25 per month per family which can be paid via SCOPAY. If you are not able to commit to this, the Governors will be very grateful for any contribution you can donate to the school. You can complete an online Gift Aid declaration via SCOPAY, if you are a UK tax payer, to have your donation uplifted by HMRC.

·To access the Gift Aid form, click 'Your Info' in the menu at the top right of the main page and select 'Gift Aid' from the menu on the left hand side of the page. Please note this form can only be completed when accessing www.scopay.com through an internet browser NOT via the SCOPAY App.

·The Governors Fund Donation is in Products on SCOPAY, listed under 'Trips and Events'. During the checkout process you can choose to set up a recurring 'Future Pay' payment monthly, quarterly or as a one-off payment to suit you.

We understand the difficulties many families have endured during the cost of living crisis, and we really are extremely grateful for any contribution you can make to help us realise these important developments.

Should you have any issues or questions relating to SCOPAY please contact the school office on 01483 274961 or email info@stcuthbert-mayne.surrey.sch.uk

Yours Sincerely



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