



A journey for the mind
A home for the heart

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Dear Parents and Carers,

At Millfields Primary School we want your child to have the best possible resources and access to a great range of activities and opportunities. Unfortunately, this costs more than the Local Authority can provide, so we are asking parents to make a voluntary contribution to our School Fund.

What does the school fund pay for?

All the little extras that help make each child's time at our school an enjoyable and rewarding experience. We aim to provide a range of extra-curricular activities and innovative additions to classroom teaching without asking parents to pay for or subsidise each and every event. The fund will help keep the costs of trips, excursions and treats (such as the Christmas and summer parties) to a minimum.

Why is the school fund needed?

Most of the annual budget is committed to the cost of running the school in terms of staffing and overheads. In our drive to raise standards, we direct the remainder of the budget to development activities and projects. We are keen to increase the amount available for such projects and continue to run extra-curricular activities.

How much does it cost?

£10 per family per year. You may, if you wish, make a one-off contribution for the number of years your children have left. Payments can be by cheque, made payable to *Millfields Primary School*, or by cash – whichever is more convenient.

How is this different from the fundraising activities of the Friends' of Millfields?

The work of the Friends of Millfields is essential to the success of our school and your continued involvement and support remains vital. The Friends of Millfields raises funds through organising a wide range of events which offer great fun and great value. The Friends of Millfields never asks parents for straightforward donations and decides in consultation with the school how the funds are spent.

Please contribute to the school fund if you possibly can. Your contribution will benefit your child and the school as a whole and would be greatly appreciated.





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Please complete the form below and return to the school office.

Thank you for your continued support

P Whelan
Headteacher

School Fund Donation

Name of child/children attending Millfields Primary School: _____

- I enclose £10 cash / cheque made payable to Millfields Primary School.
- I have paid £10 online.
- I do not wish to make a contribution to the school fund.