Dear Parents

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS – ST JOHN'S NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT

We know that times are challenging for our whole school community and we are grateful, as always to parents for the support you and your children continue to give to our school.

Along with many other schools up and down the country St. John's is facing substantial gaps in our budget.

It means the Annual Contribution you make to support our school is more important than ever and governors are writing to ask that you continue, if you are able to do so financially, to make those payments. If you have not paid before please consider joining the Annual Contribution scheme. It will make a difference to the experience of all children at our school.

The voluntary contribution enables the school to enhance the curriculum and offer the additional opportunities enjoyed by your children. It currently stands at £14 per month per child or £168 per year per child.

Included in that is an amount of £100 which goes towards the costs of our pool and the on-site and regular swimming lessons that the children, unlike many in Barnet, are so fortunate to benefit from.

Like the other highly regarded and sought-after Church of England schools in the area, St John's has a financial obligation to the London Diocesan Board for Schools (LDBS). This is a non-negotiable amount based on the number of pupils.

The Governing Body appreciate that times are difficult and that should there be any circumstances that prevent you from paying the Annual Contribution you can, should you wish, contact me via the school or by email arynhold.302@lgflmail.org. All correspondence will be dealt with in the strictest confidence.

Also enclosed with this letter is a Gift Aid Declaration Form which enables the school to benefit by a further 20% on donations made. Again I urge you to complete and return this form to the school.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me using the email address above.

Yours faithfully

Adam Rynhold

Treasurer to St. John's School Governors

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Standing Order Mandate

Gift Aid Declaration Form