

GILLOTTS SCHOOL PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

Open to all parents & guardians of children attending Gillotts School

RULES

- 1. That the Association be called Gillotts School Parents' Association
- 2. That the object of the Association is to advance the education and wellbeing of the pupils at the school by providing and assisting in the provision of facilities for education at the School (not normally provided by the Education Authority) and as an ancillary thereto and in furtherance of this object the Association shall:
 - a. Foster more extended relationships between the staff, parents and others associated with the School
 - b. Engage in activities which support the School and advance the education and wellbeing of the pupils attending it
- 3. That the affairs of the Association will be managed by an executive committee consisting of a minimum of three members of the Association
 - a. That the Officers of the Association shall be elected annually by the Executive Committee. The officers shall be:
 - i. Chairman
 - ii. Treasurer
 - iii. Secretary
 - b. That members of the Teaching Staff shall be invited to meetings of the Executive Committee
 - c. That the Executive Committee shall have the power to co-opt
 - d. That three members of the Executive Committee, one of whom shall be an Officer, shall form a quorum
- 4. That the Association shall be self-supporting. Funds to be raised by social effort, subscription and donations. Such funds as are raised by the Association shall be used by decision of the Executive Committee, for the benefit of the school
- 5. That an Extraordinary General Meeting may be called by the Chairman or a group of not less than twenty Association members
- 6. That the Association be non-party and non-sectarian
- 7. That an email of welcome will be sent to the parents and guardians of every pupil, and a copy of the Rules of Association be available on the Gillotts School website, Parents Association page.
- 8. That friends, other than parents of the pupils, may be admitted subject to the approval of the Committee, to Associate membership without voting power, unless co-opted to the Committee (Rule 3)

- 9. That a copy of these Rules be displayed at the Annual General Meeting to be held during the autumn term each year
- 10. That no alteration of the Rules may be made except at the Annual General Meeting or at a Special General meeting called for this purpose. No alteration or amendment shall be made to the objects clause or dissolution clause which would cause the Association to cease to be a charity at law
- 11. That any assets remaining on dissolution of the Association after satisfying any outstanding debts and liabilities shall not be distributed amongst the members of the Association but will be given to the School for the benefit of the pupils at the School in any manner which is exclusively charitable at law

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