

# **Northwick Park Primary and Nursery Academy**

## **Fundraising Policy**

### **Principle and Purpose of the Policy**

This policy is to ensure that the fundraising activities undertaken at Northwick Park Primary and Nursery Academy are a rewarding experience and a source of pride to all concerned.

### **Aims of the Policy**

At Northwick Park our fundraising activities aim to:

- encourage innovation either by helping our school to undertake new activities, or by helping our school to undertake existing activities better;
- be realistic in scope;
- be a cost-effective use of the time of teachers and volunteer helpers;
- take account of the needs and beliefs of others;
- be evenly spaced out throughout the school year;
- help to create a sense of ownership and closer partnership within the whole school and local community;
- wherever possible, engage pupils, parents and others outside the school to share the learning benefits gained.

### **Exclusions**

At Northwick Park we will not:

- seek fundraising from sources that it believes to be damaging to children;
- place excessive demands on parents;
- charge for school events not specifically designed as fundraising activities;
- ask pupils to hand over parental contributions or other contributions in view of other pupils;
- expect any volunteer helpers to pay for fundraising expenses out of their own pockets.

A review of fundraising will be continuous and on-going.  
A review of this policy will be carried out in 2017.

