

School Vision Statement

Our vision is to cultivate excellence and enjoyment in learning and teaching, within a stimulating and caring environment, where the achievements of all are celebrated.

To achieve our vision we will:

- create a rich, varied and safe learning environment where children and staff develop their skills and abilities
- celebrate the cultural diversity of our school community through an inclusive curriculum
- nurture the spiritual, moral, social and physical development of the children
- work in partnership with parents/carers, governors and the wider community
- cater for the different ways children learn
- recognise the links between all aspects of a child's well being and their ability to learn
- use ICT as a learning and teaching tool in order to raise standards across the whole curriculum
- encourage children to respect the ideas, values and feelings of others enabling them to build positive relationships
- enable children to be happy, confident and independent individuals
- have high expectations in everything we do.

Our school motto is 'PER ARDUA AD ASTRA' which we interpret to mean 'WORK HARD TO SUCCEED'.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO TAKE PART IN THE GIFT AID SCHEME PLEASE COMPLETE THE FORM WITHIN THIS BROCHURE

Gift Aid forms are available through the school office or website. Email:office@gsjs.barnetmail.net www.gardensuburbschools.co.uk

> Gift Aid Scheme Garden Suburb School PTA Charity No. 288398

As our school vision statement indicates, we have very high aspirations for all the children.

Our children are lucky enough to enjoy the facilities of a modern school. However, along with other schools we feel that extra resources can really help to enhance the quality of teaching and learning within the school. The PTA have, over the years, raised a substantial amount of money, organising fairs, discos and many other events. The school has been able to spend this money in many different areas including the installation of interactive whiteboards in all classrooms, new curtains and stage lighting for our school hall as well as carpets and new furniture for the classrooms.

Some parents/carers find it difficult to attend fund raising events due to other commitments, so we are now following the path of many other state schools by pursuing a second strand of fund raising, by asking parents to contribute small sums regularly. This may appeal to those parents who do not have time to actively participate in fund raising but want to want to make a contribution.

The Gift Aid scheme is voluntary. There is no obligation to participate. Gift Aid is administered by the school PTA and details of any payments are not shared with school teaching staff.

The fund makes it easy to make regular monthly donations. 'One off' donations are also welcome. If you are a UK tax payer, for every pound that you donate, we will be able to claim back 25p basic tax rate. If you would like to support the 'Gift Aid' scheme, please complete the form and return to the junior office.

Fund raising helps us to buy special resources for your children to enjoy!



New curtains for the hall September 2008 New stage lighting June 2009 New carpets and furniture in classrooms September 2009

What we would like to target in 2009/10

- Redecoration of the classrooms including the installation of new sinks areas and carpets in all classrooms
- Development of the outdoor environment
- ICT resources

Garden Suburb Junior PTA, Child's Way, London, NW11 6XU Registered Charity number 288398

| Please complete the form and return to the school office Tell us who you are: Child's name: |
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| Your name: |
| Address: |
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| Post Code |
| Tell us about your donation (tick appropriate choice) Regular giving (please complete standing order form below) One off gift—I enclose a donation of £ Please make cheques payable to 'Garden Suburb School PTA' Employer matching scheme/GAYE (speak to your employer and Mrs Malik for further details). |
| Gift Aid—Your Donation If you are a UK taxpayer, we can get an extra 25p from the Government for every £1 you give. So if you want your donation to go further, Gift Aid it! (To qualify for Gift Aid, what you pay in income tax or capital gains tax must at least equal the amount we will claim in the tax year.) I want all donations made since 6th April 2000 and all future donations to be made within the Gift Aid scheme until further notice. |
| Signed: Date: |
| Standing Order Form (please complete all fields) TO: Manager Bank name: |
| Address: |
| Account no.: Sort Code: |
| Please pay the sum of £ on a monthly/quarterly/ annually (delete as appropriate) |
| From (starting date) until further notice to |
| Garden Suburb School PTA (Gift Aid).Account no.31543776 Sort code 40.03.11 at HSBC, Cross Roads,897 Finchley Road,London, NW11 7NX |
| Please use my name as the reference. |
| Signed Date |