



Ref: 2/2009-10

7 September 2009

Dear Parents/Guardians

SCHOOL FUND

The money received by schools from local authorities and other government bodies is used to cover the essentials that are required for the education of our pupils.

However, as we are all aware, schools are never awash with money and always have to consider a range of approaches to gain further funding. This is often done through organisations such as parent teacher associations or, as is the case with us, through the "Friends of St Cyres".

Another very effective way is to ask all pupils to contribute toward a school fund as this can enable the school to improve facilities and provide a whole range of extras for the benefit of our pupils.

We therefore invite parents whose children are admitted to the school to make a contribution to our school fund in accordance with the following suggestions:

- one child in school - £3 per year minimum.
- two children or more in school - £2 per year, per child minimum.

Pupils can give this money directly to their form teacher preferably in a sealed envelope marked clearly with the name(s) and form(s) of your child(ren). Cheques should be made payable to St Cyres School. May I also take this opportunity to thank you in advance for any contribution that you make and to emphasise that all contributions are very much appreciated.

As you will be aware from previous correspondence we have entered a fundraising partnership with the Ty Hafan lottery which benefits the school as well as Ty Hafan. If you prefer to sign up for the lottery and have the added benefit of significant potential winnings we would be delighted to accept a completed application form instead of a school fund payment. Forms are available from the school on request.

If you wish to receive further information then please don't hesitate to contact the school.

Yours sincerely

B P Lightman
Headteacher