

Gambia Education & Teaching Support (GETSuk) Reg Charity No 1110998
Sponsorship Application

Please provide full contact details – we guarantee not to pass your details to any other organisation
Do remember to let us know when any of these details change!

Full Name (capital letters please)	
Address	
County	
Postcode	
Telephone	
Email	
Membership Number (see notes)	

To simplify sponsor payments we have indicated the **minimum** annual costs to cover the costs of school fees and uniforms. These are inclusive of Membership Fee and 10% administration charge.

	Monthly Cost	Annual Cost
Nursery		
Age 3 to 7	£12.50	£150
Primary		
Age 7-11	£15.00	£180
Secondary		
Age 11-18+	£17.50	£210
Name and educational level of student – if known		
For new student sponsorships please indicate age range and preferred sex		

Project or Teacher Sponsorship

Project name		
Amount donated		
Monthly Payments	Annual Payments	
Complete the standing order payment on the next page and take it to your bank. Please send this completed page to:-	Please send this completed page and a cheque for the full amount to:-	

Dawn Webster, Greenacres, Broadstreet Common, Nash, Newport NP18 2AZ

If you are a UK tax payer, would you please consider making your contributions gift aided?

This will increase the amount of your contribution as the tax that you have already paid on your money is returned to us by the UK Government.

If you are a UK tax payer and choose to gift aid:-

The tax you have paid in the year must be at least equal to the tax we will reclaim - currently 28p in the £. You can cancel this declaration at any time by notifying treasurer@getsuk.org

If you pay tax at a higher rate, you can claim further tax relief in your self assessment form.

I wish Gambia Education and Teaching Support to treat this payment, and all past and future payments made to this charity, as gift aided.

Signed.....Date.....

Form for standing order payments

For security reasons the account number is not given in the form below

**Please email treasurer@getsuk.org for the account number –
then put the account number in the relevant box
before taking this form to your bank**

**** Membership Reference**

**This is made up of your initials & postcode and is
ESSENTIAL for our identifying any payments
made by standing order**

Alliance Leicester Commercial Bank

Standing Order

To		Bank Name
		Branch Name

Please pay:-	Branch	Sort Code
Alliance & Leicester Commercial Bank PLC	BOOTLE	72-00-05

For the Credit of	Account Number	Quoting Reference
Gambia Education & Teaching Support (GETSuk)		<div style="border-bottom: 1px dashed green; width: 100%;"></div> **

The sum of:-		Initials - Your Postcode - PLEASE FILL IN
Amount in figures	Amount in words	
£		

Commencing	
Date of first Payment	Amount of first payment
	£

and thereafter every
Due Date & Frequency

Date &/or Monthly or Annually

Until further notice in writing

and debit my/our account accordingly

Name of account to be debited	Account number
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Name/s _____
BLOCK CAPITALS PLEASE

Signature _____

Address _____

Signature _____
For joint accounts where both signatures are required

Postcode _____

Date _____

**AFTER COMPLETION PLEASE FORWARD THIS FORM TO
THE BANK BRANCH WHICH LOOKS AFTER YOUR ACCOUNT**

NOTES FOR SPONSORS

The AGM is held in August and all members are welcome to attend.

GETSuk operates a policy of transparency of all its dealings.

All money donated is accounted for and its use fully monitored.

Only Gambian staff are paid wages. All other helpers and volunteers do so at their own expense. GETSuk directly sponsors individual students and runs or administers 3 closely monitored Nursery Schools

Membership Number

Your membership number is made up of your initials and postcode.

Example – Francis Glynn FG-RG249PF

Standing Order Reference

In order to make identification of Standing Order payments easier, please put your surname (and the name of your student if you are sponsoring more than one) as well as your membership number.

Sponsorship

Sponsorship includes full GETSuk membership and this amount will be deducted from your account each year. A further 10% of your donation is deducted to contribute towards the cost of the monitoring staff in Gambia.

Your money will be used to pay the annual tuition fees and book bills, then money left will go towards –

2 uniforms per annum
1 pair shoes per annum
1 school bag per school

The exchange rate continues to affect the value of the £ in Gambia & as a result we are forced in some cases to make a contribution towards the cost of these items rather than fund them totally.
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In some circumstances, students may have additional costs. For instance, students living in rural areas may have transport costs or may require a bicycle to get to school. Some schools may have a feeding programme which provides a hot midday meal and for secondary students there will be examination fees in their final year. Your money will not be used for these costs unless specifically agreed with you. You may need to increase your donation to cover them. Please contact the sponsorship secretary who will obtain details of specific costs for your student, if applicable.

Any money unused in a student's account at the end of each school year will be carried forward.

We will make every effort not to increase the annual amount you have agreed to donate. It may be necessary when students move from Primary to Secondary education to re-assess the donation.

Accounting

GETSuk has a balance sheet for every student and enters each amount paid by the sponsor. All payments made on the student's behalf in Gambia are recorded.

We aim to send accounts to the sponsor at least once each year.

Monitoring and Feedback

Every student is visited at the start of each term. The GETSuk website will include a summary of each student's progress, as well as a photograph.

Queries

Please contact Sheila Plaister, Sponsorship Secretary Sponsorship@getsuk.org