

OKEHAMPTON EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION
ANNUAL REPORT AND UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

OKEHAMPTON EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

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Dr M Ireland
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TRUSTEES' REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

The trustees present their annual report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out in note 1 to the financial statements and comply with the charity's governing document, the Charities Act 2011 and "Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019)".

Objectives and activities

The first purpose of the charity is to apply not more than a one third part of the net yearly income (or such part as the Commissioners approve from time to time) in providing special benefits of any kind not normally provided by the Local Educational Authority, for Okehampton College (formerly Okehampton Comprehensive School) or, if the said income is not required for that school, for such County or Voluntary Primary Schools in the area of benefit as may be agreed from time to time between the trustees and the Governors of Okehampton College after consultation with the said authority.

The remainder of the yearly income is applied in one or more of the following ways:

- Scholarships and bursaries for beneficiaries at university or further education college
- Bursaries, including travel allowances, for beneficiaries on leaving school to prepare for or enter a profession, trade or calling
- Providing facilities of any kind not normally provided by the LEA for recreation and social and physical training for young persons who are receiving primary education in the area of benefit
- Providing financial assistance to enable beneficiaries to study music or other arts
- In otherwise promoting the education of beneficiaries

Beneficiaries are young people who have not attained the age of 25 years and who, or whose parents, reside within the area of benefit (the Parishes of Okehampton and Okehampton Hamlets).

The trustees have paid due regard to guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit and in deciding what activities the charity should undertake. These objectives are met by following the schemes rules for the application of income. This is generally achieved by responding to applications for specific grant awards from educational institutions and for scholarships and bursaries applications from individual young people. The charity uses an application form for other organisations to ensure that if the organisations are not charities, the charitable purpose is clear.

Individuals (or their parents) and organisations applying to the charity are required to confirm their residency or state the proportion of the organisation's beneficiaries that reside in or are educated within the area of benefit. If organisations operate outside the area of benefit, grants are restricted pro rata.

Achievements and performance

In 2021 the allocations of income to support educational institutions in Okehampton were made in proportion to the head-count in each. The amounts that were allocated to be awarded for future specific projects were; for Okehampton College; £54,176 including a one-off grant from Okehampton United Charity of £30,000 for the provision of laptops, Okehampton Primary School; £9,910 and St James CoE Primary School £1,851.

During the year the charity awarded 147 scholarships and bursaries totalling £97,200 to young persons for their educational support. 96 scholarships were awarded to young people attending degree courses at higher education institutions, 39 Bursaries to young people attending post-16 further education courses (including those courses not available at Okehampton College) and 12 Bursary+ to young persons to assist in undertaking apprenticeships.

A grant of £11,000 was awarded to Community Links for the provision of the Music Hub .

Details of grants made are shown in note 6 to the financial statements.

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The Trustees are satisfied that all grants made in the year satisfy one or several of the charitable purposes set out in Charities Act 2011 subject to the limitations imposed by the charity's Scheme. The Trustees are also satisfied that the grants provide benefits to residents of the Parishes of Okehampton and Okehampton Hamlets.

Financial review

Total income during the year was £175,380 (2020: £149,815) including a one-off grant from Okehampton United Charity of £30,000 to Okehampton College for the provision of home working laptops during the Covid-19 pandemic.

Expenditure on charitable activities including administration was £182,137 (2020: £151,974).

Governance costs were £900 (2020: £900).

Net expenditure for the year was £7,657 (2020: £3,059).

At 31 December 2021 the Income fund balance was £29,921 (2020: £37,578).

The trustees have assessed the major risks to which the charity is exposed, and are satisfied that systems are in place to mitigate exposure to the major risks.

The charity has an income fund reserve for the purpose of:
providing a contingency fund to cover for unforeseen changes in the number of 16-25 year old young people eligible for scholarships and bursaries each year and to provide a working capital reserve to cover for grant award commitments.

The trustees consider that it is prudent to maintain an income fund cash reserve equivalent to 10% of the scholarships & bursaries included in the budget each year of £9,000, plus a sum of £21,000 for general reserve purposes. The total income fund reserve is set at £30,000.

The Covid-19 pandemic has had no direct impact on the financial performance of the charity in 2021. The charity's primary source of income is the allocation from Okehampton United Charity and consequently the income is directly linked to the income of Okehampton United Charity.

The forecast income budget for 2022 is at a similar level to 2021 and the trustees have reviewed the Reserves Policy and consider that the current level of general reserves are adequate.

The trustees recognise that the educational institutions structure in Okehampton continues to change and that in the future the needs of the planned special school will be taken into account when deciding upon allocations of income to educational institutions. The trustees have reviewed the policy for scholarships and bursaries and a new set of rules are to be put in place for 2022.

The trustees will continue to actively promote the objectives of the charity to individual students.

Structure, governance and management

The Governing instrument is the Scheme dated 27th August 1975 and the charity is an unincorporated association managed by the Trustees of the Okehampton United Charity (Registration Number 202686).

The trustees who served during the year and up to the date of signature of the financial statements are listed below.

Mr R Campbell	Co-opted	
Mr D Chapman	Co-opted	Chair of the Board of Trustees
Rev S Cook	Ex-officio	
Mrs M Cooper	Nominated	OHPCC
Mr W Cornish (retired 19 August 2021)	Co-opted	

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

Mr P Davies (appointed 27 October 2021)	Nominated	OHPCC
Mr A Ewen (retired 20 March 2021)	Co-opted	
Mr A Fisher	Nominated	OTC
Mrs J Gibbons	Co-opted	
Dr M Ireland	Nominated	OTC
Mrs C Marsh	Co-opted	
Mrs J Morgan (appointed 31 March 2021)	Co-opted	
Dr P Murray (appointed 29 September 2021)	Co-opted	
Mr R Tolley (appointed 26 May 2021)	Ex-officio	
Mr D Webber (retired 29 September 2021)	Nominated	OHPCC
Mrs J Yelland	Ex-officio	

The Board of Trustees consists of:

- 3 ex-officio Trustees: The Mayor and immediate past Mayor of Okehampton and Team Rector of Northmoor Churches, Okehampton
- 2 nominated Trustees by Okehampton Town Council
- 2 nominated Trustees by Okehampton Hamlets Parish Council
- 6 co-opted Trustees appointed by the Board of Trustees as each vacancy occurs

The trustees other than ex-officio, are appointed for a period of four years. On appointment trustees are provided with a Trustee Manual which includes a brief history of the charity, copy of minutes, a copy of the last set of accounts, a copy of the Scheme and copies of policies and procedures. The trustees are also provided with a copy of the Charity Commission guidance 'The Essential Trustee'. The trustees are also offered the opportunity to attend suitable training. A Code of Conduct is signed by all trustees.

All trustees give of their time freely and no remuneration was paid to any trustee in the year. Details of related party transactions are disclosed in a note to the accounts. The trustees are required to disclose all relevant interests and register them with the Clerk and, in accordance with the charity's policy, withdraw from decisions where a conflict of interest arises.

Management

During the year, the charity was administered by the Treasurer and Clerk of Okehampton United Charity and the charity makes a payment for a share of these services. Regular meetings of the full Board of Trustees are held each month. The trustees have also established a sub-committee to advise the full Board on issues relating to grant administration and governance. The charity's decisions are only made at the full Board of Trustees meetings.

Plans for the future

The trustees recognise that the educational institutions structure in Okehampton is changing and that in the future the needs of St James Primary School will be taken into account when deciding upon allocations of income to educational institutions.

The trustees will continue to actively promote the objectives of the charity to individual students.

The trustees' report was approved by the Board of Trustees.

Mr D Chapman (Chair)

Trustee

Dated: 30 March 2022

Mrs C Marsh

Trustee

Dated: 30 March 2022

OKEHAMPTON EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT

TO THE TRUSTEES OF OKEHAMPTON EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

I report to the trustees on my examination of the financial statements of Okehampton Educational Foundation (the charity) for the year ended 31 December 2021.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the trustees of the charity you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act).

I report in respect of my examination of the charity's financial statements carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act. In carrying out my examination I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act.

Independent examiner's statement

Your attention is drawn to the fact that the charity has prepared financial statements in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) in preference to the Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice issued on 1 April 2005 which is referred to in the extant regulations but has now been withdrawn.

I understand that this has been done in order for financial statements to provide a true and fair view in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Practice effective for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2015.

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

- 1 accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 130 of the 2011 Act; or
- 2 the financial statements do not accord with those records; or
- 3 the financial statements do not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a true and fair view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the financial statements to be reached.

Mr J L Coombs MA (Cantab) FCA

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Dated: 30 March 2022

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES INCLUDING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

	Notes	Unrestricted funds 2021 £	Total 2020 £
<u>Income from:</u>			
Donations and legacies	3	175,371	149,747
Investments	4	9	68
Total income		<u>175,380</u>	<u>149,815</u>
<u>Expenditure on:</u>			
Charitable activities	5	174,137	143,974
Other	9	8,900	8,900
Total resources expended		<u>183,037</u>	<u>152,874</u>
Net expenditure for the year/ Net movement in funds		(7,657)	(3,059)
Fund balances at 1 January 2021		<u>37,578</u>	<u>40,637</u>
Fund balances at 31 December 2021		<u><u>29,921</u></u>	<u><u>37,578</u></u>

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.

All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

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BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2021

	Notes	2021 £	£	2020 £	£
Current assets					
Debtors	10	39,031		32,970	
Cash at bank and in hand		73,709		66,229	
		<u>112,740</u>		<u>99,199</u>	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	11	(82,819)		(61,621)	
Net current assets			<u>29,921</u>		<u>37,578</u>
Income funds					
Unrestricted funds			29,921		37,578
			<u>29,921</u>		<u>37,578</u>

The financial statements were approved by the Trustees on 30 March 2022

Mr D Chapman (Chair)
Trustee

Mrs C Marsh
Trustee

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

1 Accounting policies

Charity information

Okehampton Educational Foundation is a public benefit entity and a registered charity in England and Wales and is unincorporated. The address of the principal office is PO Box 109, Okehampton EX20 9BF.

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the charity's governing document, the Charities Act 2011 and "Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019)". The charity is a Public Benefit Entity as defined by FRS 102.

The charity has taken advantage of the provisions in the SORP for charities applying FRS 102 Update Bulletin 1 not to prepare a Statement of Cash Flows.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the charity. Monetary amounts in these financial statements are rounded to the nearest £.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

1.2 Going concern

At the time of approving the financial statements, the trustees have a reasonable expectation that the charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Thus the trustees continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements.

1.3 Charitable funds

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of their charitable objectives.

1.4 Incoming resources

Income from Okehampton United Charity is recognised as the annual allocation of that charity's net income as specified in its charitable objects.

Bank interest is recognised when received.

1.5 Resources expended

Expenditure is recognised once there is a legal or constructive obligation to transfer economic benefit to a third party, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement, and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably.

Grants awarded are recognised in the financial statements when a commitment has been made, and there are no conditions to be met relating to the grant which remain in the control of the charity. Grants with performance conditions are only recognised in the financial statements once the recipient of the grant has provided the specified service or output.

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1 Accounting policies

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1.6 Financial instruments

The charity has elected to apply the provisions of Section 11 'Basic Financial Instruments' and Section 12 'Other Financial Instruments Issues' of FRS 102 to all of its financial instruments.

Financial instruments are recognised in the charity's balance sheet when the charity becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset, with the net amounts presented in the financial statements, when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Basic financial assets

Basic financial assets, which include debtors and cash and bank balances, are initially measured at transaction price including transaction costs and are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the transaction is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial assets classified as receivable within one year are not amortised.

Basic financial liabilities

Basic financial liabilities, including creditors and bank loans are initially recognised at transaction price unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the debt instrument is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial liabilities classified as payable within one year are not amortised.

Debt instruments are subsequently carried at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method.

Trade creditors are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of operations from suppliers. Amounts payable are classified as current liabilities if payment is due within one year or less. If not, they are presented as non-current liabilities. Trade creditors are recognised initially at transaction price and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Derecognition of financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are derecognised when the charity's contractual obligations expire or are discharged or cancelled.

2 Critical accounting estimates and judgements

In the application of the charity's accounting policies, the trustees are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised where the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods where the revision affects both current and future periods.

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3 Donations and legacies

	Unrestricted funds	Total
	2021 £	2020 £
Distribution from Okehampton United Charity	175,371	149,747

The distribution from Okehampton United Charity includes a one-off grant of £30,000 to Okehampton College for the provision of home-working laptop computers made in 2020 during the covid-19 pandemic. This distribution was in addition to the normal annual three sevenths net income allocation.

4 Investments

	Unrestricted funds	Total
	2021 £	2020 £
Interest receivable	9	68

5 Charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds	Unrestricted funds
	2021 £	2020 £
Income allocation to Okehampton College	54,176	31,001
Income allocation to Okehampton Primary School	9,910	13,810
Income allocation to St James' Church of England Primary School	1,851	1,691
	<u>65,937</u>	<u>46,502</u>
Grant funding of activities (see note 6)	108,200	97,472
	<u>174,137</u>	<u>143,974</u>

The number of allocations made to educational institutions during the year was 3 (2020: 3). These had an aggregate value of £65,937 (2020: £46,502) including the one-off retrospective grant to Okehampton College, of £30,000, for home-working laptop provision during the covid-19 pandemic.

During the year, no specific grant awards were made to Okehampton College. Specific grant awards were made to Okehampton Primary School of £10,630 for a roof canopy and to St James' Primary School £1,929 for out-door equipment relating to covid-19.

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6 Grants payable

	Unrestricted funds 2021 £	Unrestricted funds 2020 £
Grants to institutions:		
Covid-19 Education Packs	-	1,500
Mary Budding Trust	-	1,322
Community Links for Music Hub	11,000	-
	<u>11,000</u>	<u>2,822</u>
Grants to individuals	97,200	94,650
	<u>108,200</u>	<u>97,472</u>

The number of awards made to individual young persons during the year was 147 (2020: 149). These awards had an aggregate value of £97,200 (2020: £94,650).

7 Trustees

No remuneration, or reimbursed expenses directly or indirectly out of the funds of the charity, was paid or payable for the year to any Trustee or to any person or persons known to be connected with any of them.

8 Employees

The charity has no employees and the management and administration of the charity's affairs is carried out by the Treasurer and Clerk of Okehampton United Charity.

9 Other

	Unrestricted funds 2021 £	Total 2020 £
Share of Treasurer & Clerk costs	8,000	8,000
Accountancy	900	900
	<u>8,900</u>	<u>8,900</u>

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10 Debtors	2021	2020
	£	£
Amounts falling due within one year:		
Other debtors	39,031	32,970
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
11 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2021	2020
	£	£
Other creditors	81,919	60,721
Accruals and deferred income	900	900
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	<u>82,819</u>	<u>61,621</u>
12 Related party transactions		

Okehampton Educational Foundation is directly linked with Okehampton United Charity (Reg no 202686) and is managed by the same trustees as those of Okehampton United Charity. During the year, under the terms of the Okehampton United Charity Trust deed, £175,371 (2020: £149,747) was distributed to Okehampton Educational Foundation. At 31 December 2021 Okehampton Educational Foundation was owed £39,031 (2020: £32,970) by Okehampton United Charity.