King Edward VI School at Chelmsford Registered Charity No 310861

**Report and Financial Statements** 

Year Ended

31 March 2016

## Details

## Charity name & number

King Edward VI School at Chelmsford - registered charity No 310861

# **Correspondence address**

Clerk to the governors: Mr Leslie GT Retford, 43, The Ridings, Great Baddow, Chelmsford, Essex, CM2 9RR.

## Governors

Mr W Hall JP, Chairman Mr JF Aldridge, Vice Chairman Mr AF Ball **Cllr RL Bass** Mrs DJ Beazeley Mr RL Brooker Mr JP Candler (Passed away 18 April 2016) Mr A Carpenter Mr J Galley Mr KG Heseltine Mr ID Hook Mr PJL Hutchinson Mr GW Miller FCA, Treasurer Mr RJ Shepherd Mr AB Sosin Mr RT Whitehead Dr CJ Willis Mr DM Crook (Associate Governor)

# Bankers

Barclays Bank PLC, High Street Chelmsford

# **Investment advisors**

Walker Crips Stockbrokers Limited, London EC1Y 8LZ

# Independent examiner

Mr Peter Crisp FCMA, CGMA, ACIS. Chelmsford, CM2 8BX

Annual Report of the Governors Year ended 31 March 2016

The Governors of King Edward VI School at Chelmsford ("the Foundation") present their Annual Report for the year ended 31 March 2016.

## Status

The Foundation is a charity originally established in 1551. It is governed by a scheme made by the Secretary of State for Education and Science in 1966 as since amended on four occasions, most recently by the Charity Commission in 2011 (the scheme). The Foundation is distinct from King Edward VI Grammar School, Chelmsford ("the School" - for the benefit of which it exists) which became an academy on 1 April 2011 under the Academies Act 2010-12.

## Objects

The Foundation's objects are detailed in the scheme but may be summarised as including the application of the income of the Foundation for the benefit of the School and those in attendance there. The Governors are also administer certain small scholarship and prize funds.

## Management and governance arrangements

The Foundation has 17 Governors of whom 6 are appointed by the Essex County Council, 4 by Chelmsford Borough Council, 1 by the committee of The Old Chelmsfordians Association, 2 by the parents of pupils of the School with 4 co-opted by the Governors. The Governors also employ the services of a clerk.

The Governors review the risks that the Charity faces, mainly related to investment management, on a bi-annual basis. These risks are ameliorated by the receipt of regular professional investment advice and investments diversified through investment trusts.

# Procedures and policy for charitable expenditure

The Governors have regular meetings with the Head Teacher to consider the support that the Foundation can offer the School. During the year the Foundation sponsored a number of prizes to be awarded for meritworthy pieces of academic work completed outside of the School curricculum.

The Governors continued to designate funds to cover three projects. Two sums of up to £5,000 each are set aside each year; firstly to provide assistance to pupils at the School who otherwise would be excluded from certain educational experiences upon the grounds of cost and secondly to enable the purchase of capital assets which otherwise the School would not be able to afford from its own resources. In addition a sum of up to £10,000 is invested in accumulation funds each year in order to re-instate the investment base of the Foundation which had been depleted previously by, with the consent of the Charity Commission, a donation of £200,000 out of the permanent endowment towards the costs of building the 6th form centre at the School.

A seperate sub-committee has been formed to receive requests for bursaries. Seven bursaries have been agreed and paid in the year.

Other requests for donations are received and evaluated in accordance with available unrestricted funds. On an annual basis the Governors make grants to pupils recommended by the Headmaster from the scholarship funds available for that specific purpose. The Governors also participate in specific building appeals for additions and improvements to the School premises which it owns.

# Annual Report of the Governors (continued) Year ended 31 March 2016

## Investment policy

The Governors are aware of the responsibility to balance the needs of current and future beneficiaries. Investment policy is set to achieve appropriate income whilst protecting the capital value of the endowment fund. All investments are in funds which aim to generate unrestricted income for the Foundation with the exception of the capital replacement fund which is invested for capital growth.

# Public benefit

The Governors have taken into account the guidance contained in the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefits when reviewing our aims and objectives. The Governors believe that by adhering to the objects of the Foundation they will continue to provide public benefit.

## Governors recruitment and induction.

The six Governors appointed by Essex County Council may be councillors but it may, at its discretion appoint other persons. The four Governors nominated by Chelmsford Borough Council are all councillors and the Old Chelmsfordians' Association Governor is elected by the committee of that association. The two Parent Governors are elected by the parents of current pupils of the School, the election process being conducted by the School. The remaining four co-opted Governors are found by nomination and election by the rest of the Governing Body.

Each Governor, on taking office receives a copy of "the scheme", the articles setting out the regulations and authority under which the Foundation acts.

Governors are invited to visit the School and involve themselves in school events by invitation. There is no formal induction process however Governors are encouraged to attend induction courses run by the Local Authority.

# Review of the developments, activities, achievements and financial transactions

The Statement of Financial Activities shows net incoming resources for the year of £25,080 (2015: £5,614).

The Foundation made an unrealised loss of £10,955 on it's investments in the year (2015: surplus of £15,685).

A list of the Foundation's investments is shown on page 9. With the exception of monies invested in COIF funds, all investments are made following advice from the Foundation's nominated investment advisors.

#### Signed on behalf of the Governors

**GW Miller FCA** Treasurer Date: 31 January 2017

# Report of the Independent Examiner Year ended 31 March 2016

## Independent examiner's report to the governors of King Edward VI School at Chelmsford

I report on the accounts of the Foundation for the year ended 31 March 2016 as set out on pages 4 to 10

## Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The Charity's Trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The Charity's Trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act)) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act;
- to follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act: and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

#### Basis of independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the Charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as Governors concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a "true and fair view" and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

#### Independent examiner's statement

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention

- 1. which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in, any material respect, the requirements:
  - to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the 2011 Act; and
  - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the 2011 Act

have not been met; or

2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

#### Peter Crisp FCMA, CGMA, ACIS

Galleywood Road Chelmsford CM2 8BX Date: 31 January 2017

Statement of Financial Activities (incorporating the Income and Expenditure Account and Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses) for the year ended 31 March 2016

| Note                               | Un-<br>restricted<br>funds<br>2016 | De-<br>signated<br>funds<br>2016 | Restricted<br>scholarship<br>funds<br>2016 | Other<br>restricted<br>funds<br>2016 | Total<br>funds<br>2016 | Total<br>funds<br>2015 |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Note                               |                                    |                                  |                                            |                                      |                        |                        |
| Incoming resources                 |                                    |                                  |                                            |                                      |                        |                        |
| from generated funds               |                                    |                                  |                                            |                                      |                        |                        |
| Donations and bequests             | 0                                  | 0                                | 0                                          | 0                                    | 0                      | 0                      |
| Investment income                  | 10,153                             | 0                                | 519                                        | 0                                    | 10,672                 | 10,360                 |
| Rent receivable                    | 20,000                             | 0                                | 0                                          | 0                                    | 20,000                 | 20,000                 |
| Building Works Appeal 4            | 0                                  | 0                                | 0                                          | 0                                    | 0                      | 989                    |
| Total incoming resources           | 30,153                             | 0                                | 519                                        | 0                                    | 30,672                 | 31,349                 |
| Resources expended                 |                                    |                                  |                                            |                                      |                        |                        |
| Direct charitable expenditure      |                                    |                                  |                                            |                                      |                        |                        |
| Donation to the School 5           | 0                                  | 0                                | 0                                          | 0                                    | 0                      | 18,340                 |
| Awards made 6                      | 750                                | 1,400                            | 400                                        | 0                                    | 2,550                  | 4,755                  |
| Governance costs                   |                                    |                                  |                                            |                                      |                        |                        |
| Clerk's fee                        | 2,600                              | 0                                | 0                                          | 0                                    | 2,600                  | 2,600                  |
| General expenses                   | 441                                | 0                                | 0                                          | 0                                    | 441                    | 40                     |
|                                    | 3,791                              | 1,400                            | 400                                        | 0                                    | 5,591                  | 25,735                 |
| Total resources expended           |                                    |                                  |                                            |                                      |                        |                        |
| Net incoming/(outgoing) resources  |                                    |                                  |                                            |                                      |                        |                        |
| before transfers                   | 26,361                             | -1,400                           | 119                                        | 0                                    | 25,080                 | 5,614                  |
| Transfers between funds 9          | -21,557                            | 20,557                           | 0                                          | 1,000                                | 0                      | 0                      |
| Net resources before other         |                                    |                                  |                                            |                                      |                        |                        |
| recognised gains and losses        | 4,804                              | 19,157                           | 119                                        | 1,000                                | 25,080                 | 5,614                  |
| Profit/(loss) on investment assets |                                    |                                  |                                            |                                      |                        |                        |
| Realised on disposal               | 0                                  | 0                                | 0                                          | 0                                    | 0                      | 0                      |
| Unrealised on revaluation 2/9      | 0                                  | -557                             | -570                                       | -9,828                               | -10,955                | 15,685                 |
| Net movement in funds for the year | 4,804                              | 18,600                           | -451                                       | -8,828                               | 14,125                 | 21,299                 |
| Total funds at 1 April 2015        | 30,201                             | 63,270                           | 14,885                                     | 286,276                              | 394,632                | 373,333                |
| Total funds at 31 March 2016       | 35,005                             | 81,870                           | 14,434                                     | 277,448                              | 408,757                | 394,632                |

All of the above amounts relate to continuing activities There were no other recognised gains or losses other than those stated above.

The notes on pages 6-10 form part of these accounts.

# Balance Sheet 31 March 2016

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Total

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The financial statements were approved by the Governors on 31 January 2017 and signed on their behalf by MR GW Miller FCA

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The notes on pages 6-10 form part of these accounts.

# Notes forming part of the financial statements Year ended 31 March 2016

# **1** Accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of recommended practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities published on 16 July 2014 and the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2015).

## Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the Governors in furtherance of the general objectives of the Charity and which have not been designated for other purposes.

Designated funds are funds established by the Governors from time to time for specific projects or purposes. They are not in any way restricted and any surplus or deficit will be transferred to/from unrestricted funds when the designated fund is closed.

Restricted funds (income and endowment) are funds subject to specific restrictions imposed by donors or by the purpose of the Foundation. The purpose and use of restricted income and endowment funds is set out in the notes to the financial statements

## Incoming resources

Income is recognised in the period in which the Charity is entitled to receipt and the amount can be measured with reasonable certainty

#### Expenditure

Expenditure is included in the accounts on an accruals basis

#### Investments

Other creditors

Listed investments are stated at their mid-market value at the balance sheet date.

# Unrealised investment surpluses/defecits

2 These are shown net in the statement of financial activities

| Investments |                                                    | UK Listed   |      |         |
|-------------|----------------------------------------------------|-------------|------|---------|
|             |                                                    | investments | Cash | Total   |
|             | Market value as at 1 April 2015                    | 337,601     | 551  | 338,152 |
|             | Additions at cost                                  | 21,020      | -40  | 20,980  |
|             | Disposals at 1 April 2015 market value             | 0           | 0    | 0       |
|             | Unrealised surplus on revaluation at 31 March 2016 | -10,955     | 0    | -10,955 |
|             | Market value as at 31 March 2016                   | 347,666     | 511  | 348,177 |
| 3           | assets in the United Kingdom                       |             |      |         |
|             | Creditors: amounts falling due within one year     |             | 2016 | 2015    |

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# Notes forming part of the financial statements (continued) Year ended 31 March 2016

| 4 | Building Works Appeal - net income<br>Incoming resources | 2016  | 2015   |
|---|----------------------------------------------------------|-------|--------|
|   | Covenants and gift aid                                   | 0     | 986    |
|   | Charities Aid Fund                                       | 0     | 0      |
|   | Tax refund                                               | 0     | 0      |
|   | Bank interest                                            | 0     | 3      |
|   | Total incoming resources                                 | 0     | 989    |
|   | Resources expended                                       |       |        |
|   | Direct costs and fees                                    | 0     | 0      |
|   | Net income                                               | 0     | 989    |
| 5 | Donations to the School                                  |       |        |
|   | Special donations                                        | 0     | 8,215  |
|   | From Building Works Appeal                               | 0     | 10,125 |
|   |                                                          | 0     | 18,340 |
| 6 | Awards made                                              |       |        |
|   | Foundation prizes awarded                                | 750   | 700    |
|   | Bursaries paid                                           | 1,400 | 3,655  |
|   | Scholarship awards                                       | 400   | 400    |
|   |                                                          | 2,550 | 4,755  |
|   |                                                          |       |        |

# 7 Employees and Governors

The Foundation pays a fee to its clerk. The Governors do not receive any remuneration for their services nor claim reimbursement of expenses.

Owing to the nature of the Foundation's operations and the composition of its Governing Body, it is inevitable that Governors will have links with organisations with an interest in the affairs of the Foundation. During the year ended 31 March 2016 there were no transactions with any party, other than the School itself in which any Governor had a related interest.

# 8 Capital commitments

There were no capital commitments at 31 March 2016 (2015 : Nil).

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# Notes forming part of the financial statements (continued) Year ended 31 March 2016

| 9 Funds                        | At 1 April<br>2015 | Net<br>(outgoing)<br>/incoming<br>resources | Transfers | Other<br>recognised<br>gains and<br>(losses) | At<br>31 March<br>2016 |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Unrestricted funds             |                    |                                             |           | (100000)                                     |                        |
| Income and expenditure account | 30,201             | 26,361                                      | -21,557   | 0                                            | 35,005                 |
| Total unrestricted funds       | 30,201             | 26,361                                      | -21,557   | 0                                            | 35,005                 |
| Designated funds               |                    |                                             |           |                                              |                        |
| Capital replacement fund       | 40,000             | 0                                           | 10,557    | -557                                         | 50,000                 |
| Bursary fund                   | 12,485             | -1,400                                      | 5,000     | 0                                            | 16,085                 |
| Capital donation fund          | 10,785             | 0                                           | 5,000     | 0                                            | 15,785                 |
| Total designated funds         | 63,270             | -1,400                                      | 20,557    | -557                                         | 81,870                 |
| Restricted funds               |                    |                                             |           |                                              |                        |
| Scholarship funds              | 13,844             | 0                                           | 0         | -570                                         | 13,274                 |
| Accumulated scholarship income | 1,041              | 119                                         | 0         | 0                                            | 1,160                  |
| Recoupment capital accounts    | 4,613              | 0                                           | 1,000     | -166                                         | 5,446                  |
| Building Works Appeals         | 0                  | 0                                           | 0         | 0                                            | 0                      |
| Endowment funds                | 281,664            | 0                                           | 0         | -9,662                                       | 272,002                |
| Total restricted funds         | 301,162            | 119                                         | 1,000     | -10,398                                      | 291,882                |
| Total funds                    | 394,632            | 25,080                                      | 0         | -10,955                                      | 408,757                |

# Transfers between funds

On 10 February 2012 the Charity Commission issued a recoupment order, requiring the Foundation to put aside the sum of £1,000 per annum for a term of 130 years.

#### Income from investments

With the exception of income generated by the restricted scholarship funds, all income received from investments is unrestricted as to its use.

# Scholarship funds - capital and accumulated income

# 10 a) Accumulated income

|                       | 1 April Investment |        | 31 March |       |  |
|-----------------------|--------------------|--------|----------|-------|--|
|                       | 2015               | income | Awards   | 2016  |  |
| Movement for the year | 1,041              | 519    | (400)    | 1,160 |  |

Unspent income can be carried forwards to future periods on all funds with the exception of the Mary Abbott Fund where unspent income must be added to the capital.

The capital funds are represented by a single investment and the Governors are deemed to award grants from income attributed to the Mary Abbott Fund before all remaining funds.

# Notes forming part of the financial statements (continued) Year ended 31 March 2016

# 10 Scholarship funds - capital and accumulated income b) Capital

| War                                              | 1,066  |
|--------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Lake                                             | 300    |
| Нау                                              | 508    |
| School                                           | 1,031  |
| French                                           | 549    |
| Mary Abbott                                      | 6,052  |
| Elizabethan                                      | 527    |
| Max Pemberton                                    | 100    |
| Duthie                                           | 750    |
|                                                  | 10,883 |
| Unrealised surplus on investment at 1 April 2015 | 2,961  |
|                                                  |        |

13,844

-570

13,274

# Capital value at 1 April 2015

Unrealised surplus on investment - movement in the year

## Capital value a 31 March 2016

| 11 Schedule of investments at 31 March 2016    | Cost<br>£ | Holding | Market<br>price (p) | Value<br>£ |
|------------------------------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------------|------------|
| Restricted funds                               |           |         | F (F)               |            |
| Permanent endowment fund                       |           |         |                     |            |
| Blackrock Smaller C'os Trust 25p ord           | 18,591    | 7,250   | 869.01              | 63,003     |
| Baillie Gifford High Yeild Bond                | 18,161    | 15,500  | 124.70              | 19,329     |
| City of London Inv Trust 25p ord               | 27,768    | 11,345  | 369.50              | 41,920     |
| Ecofin Water & Power Opportunities £0.001 ords | 21,604    | 17,650  | 113.25              | 19,989     |
| Scottish American Investment Co 25p ord        | 22,098    | 9,000   | 257.00              | 23,130     |
| COIF Income shares                             | 52,267    | 8,582   | 1,213.07            | 104,103    |
| Cash                                           | 511       |         | _                   | 511        |
|                                                | 161,001   |         | -                   | 271,985    |
| 2012 Recoupment fund                           |           |         |                     |            |
| COIF Income shares                             | 3,400     | 416     | 1,213.07            | 5,046      |
| Scholarship capital funds                      |           |         |                     |            |
| COIF Income shares                             | 10,883    | 1,094   | 1,213.07            | 13,274     |
|                                                | 175,284   |         | -                   | 290,305    |
| Designated funds                               | 173,204   |         |                     | 230,303    |
| Capital replacement fund                       |           |         |                     |            |
| COIF Accumulation shares                       | 50,442    | 487     | 11,884.77           | 57,872     |
|                                                |           |         | ,,                  | ,-,=       |
|                                                | 225,726   |         | -                   | 348,177    |

The 2012 recoupment is for £1,000 per annum for 130 years (126 years to go)

Income from the 2012 recoupment order investments may be treated as unrestricted income by the Foundation

# Notes forming part of the financial statements (continued) Year ended 31 March 2016

# 12 Information relating to the year ended 31 March 2015

| Prior year Statement of Financial Activities       | Unrestricted<br>Funds | Designated<br>Funds | Restricted<br>Funds | Total<br>Funds |
|----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Incoming resources                                 |                       |                     |                     |                |
| Investment income                                  | 9,851                 | 0                   | 509                 | 10,360         |
| Rent receivable                                    | 20,000                | 0                   | 0                   | 20,000         |
| Building Works Appeal                              | 0                     | 0                   | 989                 | 989            |
| Total incoming resources                           | 29,851                | 0                   | 1,498               | 31,349         |
| Resources expended                                 |                       |                     |                     |                |
| Donation to the School                             | 0                     | 8,215               | 10,125              | 18,340         |
| Awards made                                        | 700                   | 3,655               | 400                 | 4,755          |
| Clerk's fee                                        | 2,600                 | 0                   | 0                   | 2,600          |
| General expenses                                   | 40                    | 0                   | 0                   | 40             |
| Total resources expended                           | 3,340                 | 11,870              | 10,525              | 25,735         |
| Net incoming/(outgoing) resources before transfers | 26,511                | -11,870             | -9,027              | 5,614          |
| Transfers between funds                            | -13,013               | 12,013              | 1,000               | 0              |
| Profit/(loss) on investment assets                 | 0                     | 4,725               | 10,961              | 15,686         |
| Net movement in funds for the year                 | 13,498                | 4,868               | 2,934               | 21,300         |
| Total funds at 1 April 2014                        | 16,703                | 58,402              | 298,227             | 373,332        |
| Total funds at 31 March 2015                       | 30,201                | 63,270              | 301,161             | 394,632        |