



FRIENDS OF STOKE GABRIEL



## SCHOOL (FOSS)

Supporting Our Children • Strengthening Our School • Building Our Community



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## Welcome to Stoke Gabriel Primary School

A massive welcome to **Stoke Gabriel Primary School**.

We are **Friends of Stoke Gabriel School (FOSS)**, a registered charity run by parents and teachers. Our aim is simple: to make the time our children spend at Stoke Gabriel Primary & Pre-School as fun-filled, enriching and memorable as possible.

Every penny we raise goes directly back into supporting our children—improving learning resources, enhancing play and wellbeing opportunities, and upgrading school facilities so that Stoke Gabriel Primary & Pre-School continues to be a wonderful place to learn, play and grow.

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## What Your Support Helps Fund

This year our fundraising will support projects including:

- ✓ **New Chromebooks and learning resources** to strengthen digital learning
  - ✓ **Front playground improvements** to create safer and more inclusive play spaces
  - ✓ **Hive weatherproofing and infrastructure upgrades** to future-proof key school areas
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## Events & Fundraising Throughout the Year

We run a mixture of community events and simple fundraising activities, including:

- Wassail
- Halloween Disco
- Fireworks Night & Carnival BBQs
- Sports Day Tea & Cakes
- Christmas Cards & Gifts
- Millpond Challenge
- FOSS Raffle
- Community initiatives such as **The Big Shed Clear Out** and Apple Picking
- Individual fundraising efforts from members of the community

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## How You Can Help

Even if you're short on time, there are lots of ways to get involved:

**Volunteer** - Give just **30–60 minutes** at an event helping with set-up, serving refreshments, running stalls or tidying up

**Donate** - Bake a cake for Sports Day or donate raffle prizes, vouchers, hampers, experiences or new items.

**Spread the Word** - Share our social media posts and/or invite friends and family to attend events

**Support Funding Applications** - Tell us about potential grant opportunities or help out with funding applications

**Join an Event Team** - Be part of a small sub-committee for a single event which requires limited commitment, but has a big impact.

**Every contribution, no matter how small, makes a real difference.**

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## Thank You

We are incredibly grateful for the support of our families and the wider community. Together, we can create an even better learning and play environment for every child at Stoke Gabriel Primary & Pre-School.

Keep an eye out for event dates, sign-up links and volunteer opportunities throughout the year.

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## Get Involved

If you have any questions or would like to get involved, we would love to hear from you.

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*Thank you*  
**FOSS**