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THE PARK FEDERATION ACADEMY TRUST (A company limited by guarantee)

ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2014

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The Park Federation Academy Trust Reference and Administrative Details

Members

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Peter Dollimore

Adrian Ingham

Kuldeep Lakhmana

Jon Reekie

Obaid Siddique

Directors/Trustees

Dr Martin Young

Chief Executive Officer

Mr Peter Dollimore

Chair of the Board (resigned 31/08/2014)

Dr Adel Rouz

Oversight of Operations

Mr Anoop Ghai

Oversight of Finance

Mr Muralee Nair

Vice Chair/ Chair of Wood End Park Academy Council

(appointed Chair of the Board

31/08/2014)

Mrs Ravinder Chander

Chair of Cranford Park Academy

Council

Mr Julian King-Harris

Chair of James Elliman Academy

Council (resigned 11/06/14)

Mrs Margaret Inniss

Mr Deepaman Prabhakar

Chair of Montem Academy Council

(appointed 01/12/13) (appointed 01/09/14)

Jon Reekie

Mrs Dawn Tagg

(appointed 01/09/14)

(appointed 01/09/14)

Cranford Park Academy Council

Ravinder Chander

Chair and Parent Governor

Sarah Evans

Academy Principal

Raji Nair

Staff Governor (resigned 31/08/14)

Evelyn McCarthy

Staff Governor (resigned 31/12/13)

Tasneem Sattar

Parent Governor

Kully Singh

Community Governor (resigned 24/01/14) **Community Governor**

Kevin Biggs

(appointed 24/01/14)

Saeed Khan

Community Governor

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Community Governor

The Park Federation Academy Trust Reference and Administrative Details (continued)

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(resigned 21/06/14)
Liz Herod Academy Principal
Mandy Wilcox Staff Governor
Stephanie Weber Staff Governor
Yvette Sylvain Parent Governor
Rani Kaur Parent Governor

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Rashid Arbi Parent Governor
Wendy Skelton Community Governor
(resigned 03/02/14)

Jon Reekie Community Governor (appointed Chair on the

resignation of Julian King-Harris)

Mary Acland Clerk

Montem Academy Council Margaret Inniss Community Governor Chair

(appointed 01/12/13)

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28/01/14)

Jane Nicholls Staff Governor (appointed

01/12/13)

Lynda Bussley Staff Governor (appointed

24/01/14)

Ann Probert Academy Principal

Adam Martin Parent Governor (appointed

21/01/14)

Asad Ali Noon Parent Governor (appointed

21/01/14)

Zaheer Abbas Parent Governor (appointed

21/01/14)

Kay Lathey Clerk

Western House Academy Council Dawn Tagg Chair (appointed 01/08/14)

Surject Johra Executive Principal

Suki Rani Parent Governor (appointed

01/08/14)

Kay Lathey Clerk

Wood End Park Academy Council Muralee Nair Chair and Parent Governor

Surjeet Johra Academy Principal
Karen Bridges Staff Governor
Avril Littlechild Staff Governor
Paul Carpenter Parent Governor
Rick Wilms Parent Governor
Maryama Warsama Parent Governor

Maryama Warsama Parent Governor
Yasmin Noor Community Governor
Anne Helm Community Governor

Kay Lathey Clerk

The Park Federation Academy Trust Reference and Administrative Details (continued)

Executive Management Team Dr Martin Young Chlef Executive Officer and

Federation Principal
Mr Jas Sohal Chief Operating Officer
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The Trustees of The Park Federation Academy Trust are referred to as Directors throughout this document.

The Park Federation Academy Trust Trustees' Report

The Directors present their annual report together with the financial statements and auditor's reports of the charitable company for the year 1 September 2013 to 31 August 2014. The annual report serves the purposes of both a trustees' report, and a directors' report under company law.

Structure, Governance and Management

Constitution

The academy trust is a company limited by guarantee and an exempt charity. The charitable company's memorandum and articles of association are the primary governing documents of the academy trust. The Directors of the Park Federation Academy Trust are Directors of the charitable company for the purposes of company law. The charitable company is known as The Park Federation Academy Trust.

Details of the Directors who served during the year are included in the Reference and Administrative Details on page 1.

Members' Liability

Each member of the charitable company undertakes to contribute to the assets of the charitable company in the event of it being wound up while they are a member, or within one year after they cease to be a member, such amount as may be required, not exceeding £10, for the debts and liabilities contracted before they ceased to be a member.

Trustees' Indemnities

The Trust insurers indemnify against any claims in respect of any civil liability and which arises out of the conduct of the insured in their personal capacity as Director, Academy Council member or Officer of the Trust. Such qualifying third party indemnity insurance remains in force at the date of approving this report.

Principal Activities

The Academy Trust's principle objective is to advance, for the public benefit, education in the United Kingdom, in particular but without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing by establishing, maintaining, carrying on, managing and developing a Trust offering a broad and balanced curriculum.

To promote for the benefit of the communities of Hayes and Slough and the surrounding area the provision of facilities for recreation or other leisure time occupation of individuals who have need of such facilities by reason of their youth age, infirmity or disablement, financial hardship or social and economic circumstances or for the public at large in the interests of social and economic circumstances or for the public at large in the interest of social welfare and with the object of improving the condition of life of the said residents.

Method of Recruitment and Appointment or Election of the Board of Directors

The management of the Trust is the responsibility of the Board of Directors who are elected and coopted under the terms of the Articles of Association.

Employment Policy

The Academy Trust depends on the skills and commitments of its employees to perform well. Selection and development procedures are designed to ensure equal opportunities exist for all applicants and employees regardless of gender, marital status, race, age or disability, decisions being

based on an individual's aptitude and ability. Employees are kept well informed and encouraged to discuss matters of concern.

Disabled Persons

The Academy Trust's policy is to give full and fair consideration to applications for employment made by disabled persons, having regard to their particular aptitudes and abilities. Employees who become disabled are retained in existing posts where possible.

Procedures relating to training, career development and promotion are adapted to ensure that the employment policies outlined below are fully available equally for disabled and non-disabled employees.

Policies and Procedures Adopted for the Induction and Training of Trustees

All Members, Directors and Academy Council members are provided with copies of procedures, minutes, accounts, budget plans and other documents that they will need to undertake their respective roles.

They have access to a range of training programmes coordinated by the Clerk to the Board of Directors.

Organisational Structure

The Directors have agreed a scheme of delegation for how decisions are made and who has delegated responsibility for them. The Directors are organised into the whole Board of Directors and sub-committees with delegated responsibility.

During the period a unified structure was introduced and consists of three levels of governance:

Members Board of Directors / Trustees Academy Councils

Senior Management Teams report to the Board of Directors, its sub committees and the Academy

The aim of the structure is to devolve responsibility and encourage involvement in decision making at all levels.

The Board of Directors are responsible for setting strategic policy, adopting an annual plan and budget, monitoring the Trust's performance by use of budgets and making major decisions about the direction of the Trust, capital expenditure and senior staff appointments (e.g. Chief Executive Officer, Chief Operating Officer, Principals, and Heads of School).

The Senior Managers are the Chief Executive and Federation Principal, Chief Operating Officer, and Principals of each academy. These managers control the Trust at an executive level, implementing the policies laid down by the Board of Directors and reporting back to them. As a group the Senior Managers are responsible for the authorisation of spending within agreed budgets and the appointment of staff, though appointment boards for posts at Vice Principal and Deputy Principal always contain a board director. Spending control is devolved to the management team (budget holders), with agreed limits as per the Trust's financial procedures.

Objectives and Activities

Objects and Aims

The Academy Trust's principle objectives are: - to advance, for the public benefit, education in the United Kingdom, in particular but without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing by establishing, maintaining, carrying on, managing and developing schools (the academies) offering a broad and balanced curriculum which reflects British values (e.g. democracy; the rule of law; individual liberty; mutual respect; and tolerance of those of different faiths and beliefs).

To promote for the benefit of the inhabitants of Hayes and Slough and the surrounding area the provision of facilities for recreation or other leisure time occupation of individuals who have need of such facilities by reason of their youth age, infirmity or disablement, financial hardship or social and economic circumstances or for the public at large in the interests of social and economic circumstances or for the public at large in the interest of social welfare and with the object of improving the condition of life of the said inhabitants.

The aim of the Trust is to provide a quality education in a caring and disciplined community.

Our ethos is:

"The Park Federation ethos is one of high academic ambition in a well-disciplined, caring and inclusive environment. We will work closely with all children – whatever their starting points and individual needs – to help them realise their full potential. Each child and family will be valued and respected. We will harness the energy, commitment and trust of the local community and combine it with the exceptional teaching and organisational skills of our staff team. Together we will create a great academy, full of pride, success and kindness."

Objectives, Strategles and Activities

The main objectives of the Academy during the year ended 31st August 2014 are summarised below

- To ensure that every pupil enjoys the same high quality education in terms of resourcing, tuition and care
- To raise the standard of educational achievement of all students
- To improve the effectiveness of the Trust by keeping the curriculum and organisational structure under continual review
- To provide value for money for the funds expended
- To comply with all appropriate statutory and curriculum requirements
- To maintain close links with business
- To conduct the Academy Trust's business in accordance with the highest standards of integrity, probity and openness.

Public Benefit

The Directors confirm that they have referred to the guidance contained in the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit when reviewing the Academy Trust's objectives and aims and in planning future activities. The Directors consider that the Academy Trust's alms are demonstrably to the public benefit.

Strategic Report

Achievements and Performance

Overview and key performance indicators

The original Trust academies -- Cranford Park Academy and Wood End Park Academy -- are judged as "good" schools by Ofsted.

James Elliman Academy in Slough joined the Trust on 1st April 2013 and at the end of the academic year 2013/14 achieved extremely impressive progress in Key Stage Two. It is presently graded by Ofsted at "satisfactory" (June 2012). When The Park Federation began support work at James Elliman in 2010, it was in "Special Measures" (lowest Ofsted inspection category). It is a sponsored academy.

Montem Academy in Slough joined the Trust on 1st December 2013. There has been a demonstrable improvement in attainment at the end of Key Stage One and Key Stage Two. Nine months before joining The Park Federation Montem was graded by Ofsted as "requires improvement" (February 2013). This is the most recent Ofsted grading. Montem is a sponsored academy.

Western House Academy joined the Trust on 1st August 2014. It is a three-form-entry primary academy with a Nursery. Four months before joining The Park Federation Western House was graded by Ofsted as "requires improvement" (March 2014). This is the most recent Ofsted grading. Western House is a sponsored academy.

Lake Farm Park Academy in London will join the Trust on 1st September 2014. It is a brand new three-form-entry primary academy in Hayes. In the first year of operation (2014/15) it will only admit children into its Nursery and Reception classes. Lake Farm Park is a "basic needs" academy built to help cater for the increasing number of primary-age children in London.

Pupil Premium

The Trust received funding under the pupil premium scheme. This has been utilised to improve the outcomes of these pupils by ensuring that their needs are understood and addressed. The Trust provided programmes and other support services for these children, including booster classes before, during, after school, and during the weekends and holidays.

Pupil Premium Allocation

James Elliman Academy

Montem Academy

Cranford Park Academy £270,246

£162,816

£235,488

Wood End Park Academy £368,692

Western House Academy £10,508

Trust Total £1,047,450

Going Concern

After making appropriate enquiries, the Board of Directors has a reasonable expectation that the academy Trust has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. For this reason it continues to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial

statements. Further details regarding the adoption of the going concern basis can be found in the Statement of Accounting Policies.

Financial Review

The majority of the Trust's Income is obtained from the Department for Education in the form of recurrent grants, the use of which is restricted to particular purposes. The grants received from the DfE during the year ended 31 August 2014 and the associated expenditure are shown as restricted funds (non-fixed assets) in the statement of financial activities.

Each academy also received grants for fixed assets from the DfE. In accordance with the Charities Statement of Recommended Practice, "Accounting and Reporting by Charities" (SORP 2005), such grants are shown in the Statement of Financial Activities as restricted income in the fixed asset fund.

The restricted fixed asset fund balance is reduced by annual depreciation charges over the expected useful life of the assets concerned.

The Trust held total fund balances at 31 August 2014 of £45,542,000 comprising of an unrestricted fund of £2,707,000, restricted fixed asset funds of £47,030,000, restricted general funds of £338,000 and a pension reserve deficit of £4,533,000.

During the year ended 31 August 2014, totals expenditure of £15,196,000 was met by recurrent grant funding from the DfE and other government bodies together with other incoming resources. Total incoming resources for the year of £32,173,000 included the transfer of net assets from Slough Borough Council of £12,087,000 and gifted assets from the London Borough of Hillingdon of £3,910,000.

The excess of income over expenditure for the year, excluding the fixed assets fund and pension reserve, was £1,416,000.

The combined deficit in the Local Government Pension Scheme (LGPS) is recognised on the balance sheet in accordance with FRS17. At 31st August 2014 the deficit stood at £4,533,000. The existence of the pension scheme deficit does not mean an immediate liability crystallises and is addressed over a series of years through pension contributions recommended by the pension scheme actuaries during subsequent valuations of the scheme.

Financial and risk management objectives and polices

The main objective is to ensure the Trust operates within its allocated budget and settles its liabilities as they fall due. The largest creditor within the balance sheet is the pension scheme deficit. Such a liability does not crystallise immediately but the Trust ensures scheme contributions are paid as they fall due in line with those recommended by the pension scheme actuaries.

In accordance with the Trust's statutes, the Board of Directors and senior staff are responsible for the administration and management of the Trust's affairs. They are responsible for setting objectives and policies to ensure that:

- There is an effective system of internal control and that accounting records are properly kept;
- There are appropriate financial and management controls in place to safeguard the assets of the Trust and prevent and detect fraud;
- The Trust secures economical, efficient and effective management of its resources and expenditure.

Reserves Policy

Subject to Education Funding Agency's constraints on permitted balances, the Academy's policy is to carry forward a prudent level of resources. The Trust aims for a 5% - 12% reserve, It believes this is a prudent figure for a number of reasons, including the structural age of buildings, age of heating systems, capital investment plans and pension liabilities.

The reserves of the Trust are reviewed regularly and are considered to be sufficient for the Trust's requirements

Investment Policy

Under the Articles of Association, the Academy Trust has the power to invest any funds not immediately required for the furtherance of its objects while ensuring that due regard is made to ensure that any investments are prudent and suitable to its needs.

Principal Risks and Uncertainties

The Board of Directors have assessed the major risks to which the Trust is exposed, in particular those related to the operations and finances of the Trust and each individual Academy. The Board of Directors have implemented a number of systems to assess risks that the Trust faces especially in the operational areas (e.g. in relation to teaching, health and safety, bullying and school trips) and in relation to the control of finance. They have introduced systems, including operational procedures (e.g. vetting of new staff and volunteers, supervision of school grounds) and internal financial controls (see below) in order to minimise risk. Where significant financial risk still remains, they have ensured they have adequate insurance cover.

The Trust has an effective system of internal financial controls.

Plans for the Future

Key Performance Indicators for 2014/15:

- Match national attainment for the children in Trust academies at the end of Key Stage One and Two:
- · Better than expected progress by children in Trust academies;
- Improvement in the percentage of children across the Trust achieving the required standard in the Year 1 Phonics Check;
- Improvement in the standards achieved by children at the end of the Foundation Stage;
- Any academy inspected by Ofsted during the academic year 2014/15 graded at least "good":
- Pupil attendance at least 95% in each Trust academy.

The Park Federation Academy Trust is consolidating its position during 2014/15 while it considers its next phase of development.

Auditor

In so far as the Directors are aware:

there is no relevant audit information of which the charitable company's auditor are unaware, and
the Directors have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as to make themselves
aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of that
information.

The auditors, Kingston Smith LLP, are deemed to be reappointed under section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006.

The Trustees' Report, incorporating a strategic report, was approved by order of the board of trustees, as the company directors, on 17th December 2014 and signed on the board's behalf by:

Mr Muralee Nair Chair of Directors

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The Park Federation Academy Trust Governance Statement

Scope of responsibility

As Directors, we acknowledge we have overall responsibility for ensuring that the Park Federation Academy Trust has an effective and appropriate system of control, financial and otherwise. However such a system is designed to manage rather than eliminate the risk of failure to achieve business objectives, and can provide only reasonable and not absolute assurance against material misstatement or loss.

The Board of Directors has delegated the day-to-day responsibility to the Chief Executive and Federation Principal, as Accounting officer, for ensuring financial controls conform with the requirements of both propriety and good financial management and in accordance with the requirements and responsibilities assigned to it in the funding agreement between The Park Federation Academy Trust and the Secretary of State for Education. They are also responsible for reporting to the Board of Directors any material weaknesses or breakdowns in internal control.

Governance

The information on governance included here supplements that described in the Directors' report and in the Directors' responsibilities statement. The Board of Directors have formally met seven times during the year. Attendance during the year at meetings of the governing body was as follows:

Directors/Trustees	Meetings attended	Out of a possible
Mr A Ghai	4	7
Dr M Young CEO	7	7
Mr P Dollimore Chair	4	7
Mr M Nair Vice Chair	7	7
Dr A Rouz	7	7
Mrs R Chander	3	7
Mr Julian King-Harris (appointed 1 April 2013 and resigned	4	5
21 June 2014)		
Mrs Margaret Inness (appointed 1 December 2013)	3	5

The Finance Committee, Operations Committee, and Audit Committees are sub-committees of the main Board of Directors. Their purpose is to carry out its roles under the Governors' scheme of delegation. The Finance Committee, and Operations Committee assist the decision making of the Board, by enabling more detailed consideration to be given, fulfilling the Board's responsibility to ensure sound management of each academy's finances and resources, including proper planning, monitoring and probity. The main areas of work in the period have been the issues under its remit in the conversion to Academy status ensuring we are compliant with the Academy Financial Handbook. The Audit Committee continues to monitor the Trust's internal controls and external reports issued by the Auditor.

Finance Committee attendance during the year:

Directors	Meetings attended	Out of a possible
Dr M Young CEO	6	6
Mr A Ghai Chair	6	6
Mr M Nair Vice Chair since 19.1.13	6	6
Operations Committee attendance during the year:		
Directors		
Dr M Young CEO	4	4
Dr Adel Rouz Chair	4	4
Mr. Jas Sohal Chief Operating Officer	4	4

The Park Federation Academy Trust Governance Statement (continued)

The Purpose of the System of Internal Control

The system of internal control is designed to manage risk to a reasonable level rather than to eliminate all risk of failure to achieve policies, aims and objectives; it can therefore only provide reasonable and not absolute assurance of effectiveness. The system of internal control is based on an on-going process designed to identify and prioritise the risks to the achievement of Academy Trust policies, aims and objectives, to evaluate the likelihood of those risks being realised and the impact should they be realised, and to manage them efficiently, effectively and economically. The system of internal control has been in place in the Trust for the year ended 31 August 2014 and up to the date of approval of the annual report and financial statements.

Capacity to handle risk

The Board of Directors has reviewed the key risks to which the Trust is exposed together with the operating, financial and compliance controls that have been implemented to mitigate those risks. The Board of Directors is of the view that there is a formal on-going process for identifying, evaluating and managing the Trust's significant risks that has been in place for the year ended 31 August 2014 and up to the date of approval of the annual report and financial statements. This process is regularly reviewed by the Board of Directors.

The risk and control framework

The Trust's system of internal financial control is based on a framework of regular management information and administrative procedures including the segregation of duties and a system of delegation and accountability. In particular, it includes comprehensive budgeting and monitoring systems with an annual budget and periodic financial reports which are reviewed and agreed by the Board of Directors;

- regular reviews by the Finance Committee of reports which indicate financial performance against the forecasts and of major purchase plans, capital works and expenditure programmes:
- setting targets to measure financial and other performance;
- clearly defined purchasing (asset purchase or capital investment) guidelines;
- · delegation of authority and segregation of duties;
- identification and management of risks;

Mr Jon Reekie was appointed Responsible Officer and was supported by Kingston Smith LLP (Auditors) to ensure compliance with published guidance. This role includes giving advice on financial matters and performing a range of checks on the Trust's financial systems on a quarterly basis. A report is produced which is presented to the Board of Directors on the operation of the systems of control and on the discharge of the Directors' financial responsibilities.

Review of effectiveness

As Accounting Officer, the Chief Executive and Federation Principal has responsibility for reviewing the effectiveness of the system of internal control. During the period in question the review has been informed by:

- The work of the Responsible Officer;
- The work of the external auditor;
- The work of the Senior Management Teams within the academies who have responsibility for the development maintenance of the internal control framework

The Accounting Officer has been advised of the implications of the result of their review of the system of internal control by the Finance Committee and a plan to address weaknesses and ensure continuous improvement of the systems in place.

Approved by order of the members of the Board of Directors on 18th December 2014 and signed on its behalf by:

Mr Muralee Nair Chair of Board of Directors Dr Martin Young / Accounting Officer

The Park Federation Academy Trust Statement on Regularity, Propriety and Compliance

As accounting officer of The Park Federation Academy Trust I have considered my responsibility to notify the Board of Directors and the Education Funding Agency of material irregularity, impropriety and non-compliance with EFA terms and conditions of funding, under the funding agreement in place between the Trust and the Secretary of State.

As part of my consideration I have had due regard to the requirements of the Academies Financial Handbook.

I confirm that I and the Academy Trust Board of Directors are able to identify any material irregular or improper use of funds by the Academy Trust, or material non-compliance with the terms and conditions of funding under the Academy Trust's funding agreement and the Academies Financial Handbook.

I confirm that no instances of material irregularity, impropriety or funding non-compliance have been discovered to date. If any instances are identified after the date of this statement, these will be notified to the board of trustees and the EFA.

Dr Martin Young Accounting Officer

18th December 2014

The Park Federation Academy Trust Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

The Directors (who act as governors of The Park Federation Academy Trust and are also the trustees of the charitable company for the purposes of charity law) are responsible for preparing the Directors' report and the financial statements in accordance with the Annual Accounts Direction issued by the Education Funding Agency, United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) and applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the Directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under company law the Directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company and of the incoming resources and application of resources, including the income and expenditure, of the charitable company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the Directors are required to:

- · select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles of the Charities SORP;
- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any
 material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charitable company will continue in business.

The Directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charitable company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charitable company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charitable company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The Directors are responsible for ensuring that in its conduct and operation the charitable company applies financial and other controls, which conform with the requirements both of propriety and of good financial management. They are also responsible for ensuring grants received from the EFA/DfE have been applied for the purposes intended.

The Directors are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the charitable company's website. Legislation in the United Kingdom governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

Approved by order of the members of the Board of Directors on 17th December 2014 and signed on its behalf by:

Muralee Nair Director

Independent Auditor's Report on the Financial Statements to the Members of The Park Federation Academy Trust

We have audited the financial statements of The Park Federation Academy Trust for the year ended 31 August 2014 which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities, the Balance Sheet, Cash Flow Statement and the related notes. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

This report is made solely to the charitable company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charitable company's members and trustees those matters which we are required to state to them in an auditors' report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to any party other than the charitable company and charitable company's members as a body for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and auditor

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities, the directors (who are also the trustees of the charitable company for the purposes of charity law) are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view.

Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of: whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the charity's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed; the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the trustees; and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition we read all the financial and non-financial information in the Annual Report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements and to identify any information that is apparently materially incorrect based on, or materially inconsistent with, the knowledge acquired by us in the course of performing the audit. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

Opinion on the financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charitable company's affairs as at 31 August 2014 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice;
 and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Strategic Report and the Trustees' Annual Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

Independent Auditor's Report on the Financial Statements to the members of The Park Federation Academy Trust (continued)

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- the charitable company has not kept adequate accounting records, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the charitable company's financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns;
- certain disclosures or trustees' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- · we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- the trustees were not entitled to prepare the financial statements in accordance with the small companies
 regime and take advantage of the small companies exemption in preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and
 from preparing a Strategic Report.

Date: 18/12/2014

Shivani Kothari (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Kingston Smith LLP, Statutory Auditor

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Independent Reporting Accountant's Report on Regularity to The Park Federation Academy Trust and the Education Funding Agency

In accordance with the terms of our engagement letter dated 6 October 2014 and further to the requirements of the Education Funding Agency (EFA) as included in the Academies Accounts Direction 2013 to 2014, we have carried out an engagement to obtain limited assurance about whether the expenditure disbursed and income received by The Park Federation Academy Trust during the period 1 September 2013 to 31 August 2014 have been applied to the purposes identified by Parliament and the financial transactions conform to the authorities which govern them.

This report is made solely to The Park Federation Academy Trust and the EFA in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to The Park Federation Academy Trust and the EFA those matters we are required to state in a report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than The Park Federation Academy Trust and the EFA, for our work, or for the conclusion we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of The Park Federation Academy Trust's accounting officer and the reporting auditor

The accounting officer is responsible, under the requirements of The Park Federation Academy Trust's funding agreement with the Secretary of State for Education dated 31 August 2012 and the Academies Financial Handbook, extant from 1 September 2013, for ensuring that expenditure disbursed and income received is applied for the purposes intended by Parliament and the financial transactions conform to the authorities which govern them.

Our responsibilities for this engagement are established in the United Kingdom by our profession's ethical guidance and are to obtain limited assurance and report in accordance with our engagement letter and the requirements of the Academies Accounts Direction 2013 to 2014. We report to you whether anything has come to our attention in carrying out our work which suggests that in all material respects, expenditure disbursed and income received during the period 1 September 2013 to 31 August 2014 have not been applied to purposes intended by Parliament or that the financial transactions do not conform to the authorities which govern them.

Approach

We conducted our engagement in accordance with the Academies Accounts Direction 2013 to 2014 issued by the EFA. We performed a limited assurance engagement as defined in our engagement letter.

The objective of a limited assurance engagement is to perform such procedures as to obtain information and explanations in order to provide us with sufficient appropriate evidence to express a negative conclusion on regularity.

A limited assurance engagement is more limited in scope than a reasonable assurance engagement and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in a reasonable assurance engagement. Accordingly, we do not express a positive opinion.

Our engagement includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the regularity and propriety of the academy trust's income and expenditure.

The work undertaken to draw to our conclusion includes:

- Enquiry
- · Inspection and review
- Observation and reperformance

Independent Reporting Accountant's Report on Regularity to The Park Federation Academy Trust and the Education Funding Agency (continued)

Conclusion

In the course of our work, nothing has come to our attention which suggests that in all material respects the expenditure disbursed and income received during the period 1 September 2013 to 31 August 2014 has not been applied to purposes intended by Parliament and the financial transactions do not conform to the authorities which govern them.

Kingston Smith Llf

Date: 18/12/2014

Shivani Kothari (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Kingston Smith LLP, Statutory Auditor

Middlesex House 800 Uxbridge Road Hayes Middlesex UB4 0RS

Statement of Financial Activities For the year ended 31 August 2014

(including Income and Expenditure Account and Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses)

		Unrestricted Funds	Restricted General Funds	Restricted Fixed Asset Funds	Total 2014	Total 2013 restated
	Note	£000	£000	£000	€000	£000
Incoming resources						
Incoming resources from						
generated funds:	_	40		0.040		4.4
Voluntary income	2	18	*	3,910	3,928	14
Voluntary income - transfer from Local Authority on conversion	27	858	(1,335)	12,564	12,087	28,619
Activities for generating funds	3	267	(1,330)	12,504	267	26,619
Investment income	4	3			3	1
Incoming resources from	•	v			•	•
charitable activities:						
Funding for the academy trust's						
educational operations	5	168	15,446	274	15,888	9,525
Total incoming resources		1,314	14,111	16,748	32,173	38,377
Resources expended						
Cost of generating funds:						
Costs of generating voluntary income		11	8	S#	11	2
Fundralsing trading		· · ·	2		2	62
Charitable activities:						
Academy trust educational operations	7	*	14,626	437	15,063	9,158
Governance costs	8	22	122		122	186
Total resources expended	6	11	14,748	437	15,196	9,408
Net incoming / (outgoing)						
resources before transfers		1,303	(637)	16,311	16,977	28,969
Gross transfers between funds	17		(778)	778	<u>*</u>	141
Net Income/(expenditure) for the year		1,303	(1,415)	17,089	16,977	28,969
Other recognised gains and losses						
Actuarial losses on defined benefit pension schemes	24	~	(334)		(334)	(70)
Net movement in funds		1,303	(1,749)	17,089	16,643	28,899
Reconciliation of funds						
Total funds brought forward at 1 September 2013	17	1,404	(2,446)	29,941	28,899	(*)
Total funds carried forward at 31 August 2014	17	2,707	(4,195)	47,030	45,542	28,899
	••	,,,,,,	(1,100)	11,000		20,000

The academy trust has no recognised gains or losses other than those shown above for the two financial periods. In addition, a prior period adjustment resulting in a cumulative increase in reserves brought forward as at 1 September 2013 of £3,401k was made as detailed in Note 1.

All of the academy trust's activities derive from continuing operations during the above two financial periods.

The notes on pages 22 to 38 form part of these accounts.

Balance Sheet As at 31 August 2014

	Notes	2014	2014	2013 as restated	2013
		£000	£000	€000	0003
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	13		47,030		29,941
Current assets					
Stock	14	2		*	
Debtors	15	592		357	
Cash at bank and in hand		3,838		1,632	
		4,432		1,989	
Liabilities					
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	16	(1,387)		(360)_	
Net current assets		_	3,045		1,629
Total assets less current liabilities			50,075		31,570
Pension scheme llability	24		(4,533)		(2,671)
Net assets including pension liability		50 	45,542		28,899
Funds of the academy trust: Restricted income funds					
Fixed asset fund	17	47,030		29,941	
General fund	17	338		225	
Pension reserve	17	(4,533)		(2,671)	
Total restricted funds			42,835		27,495
Unrestricted income funds					
General fund	17	2,707		1,404	
Fotal unrestricted funds			2,707		1,404
Total funds		£==	45,542		28,899

The financial statements on pages 19 to 38 were approved by the trustees, and authorised for issue on 17th December 2014 and are signed on their behalf by:

Mr Muralee Nair

Chair of Board of Directors

Company registration no: 08146330 (England & Wales)

Cash Flow Statement For the year ended 31 August 2014

	Notes	2014 £000	2013 £000	
Net cash inflow from operating activities	19	2,086	507	
Returns on investments and servicing of finance	20	3	1	
Capital expenditure	21	(777)	(189)	
Cash transferred on conversion to an academy trust		894	1,313	
Increase in cash in the year	22	2,206	1,632	
Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement in net funds				
Net funds at 1 September 2013		1,632	*	
Net funds at 31 August 2014		3,838	1,632	

Notes to the Financial Statements For the year ended 31 August 2014

1 Statement of Accounting Policies

Basis of Preparation

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention in accordance with applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards, the Charity Commission 'Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities' ('SORP 2005'), the Academies Accounts Direction 2013 to 2014 issued by the EFA and the Companies Act 2006. A summary of the principal accounting policies, which have been applied consistently, except where noted, is set out below.

Prior year adjustment

A prior year adjustment was made to correct the valuation of the land and buildings at James Elliman Academy received on conversion on 1 April 2013. A valuation was received in March 2014 which gave a more accurate estimate of the value of the assets transferred. This resulted in an increase in tangible fixed assets of £3,401.

Going Concern

The trustees assess whether the use of going concern is appropriate i.e. whether there are any material uncertainties related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the ability of the company to continue as a going concern. The trustees make this assessment in respect of a period of one year from the date of approval of the financial statements.

Incoming Resources

All incoming resources are recognised when the academy trust has entitlement to the funds, certainty of receipt and the amount can be measured with sufficient reliability.

Grants Receivable

Grants are included in the Statement of Financial Activities on a receivable basis. The balance of income received for specific purposes but not expended during the period is shown in the relevant funds on the balance sheet. Where income is received in advance of entitlement of receipt its recognition is deferred and included in creditors as deferred income. Where entitlement occurs before income is received, the income is accrued.

General Annual Grant is recognised in full in the year for which it is receivable and any unspent amount is reflected as a balance in the restricted general fund. Capital grants are recognised when receivable and are not deferred over the life of the asset on which they are expended. Unspent amounts of capital grant are reflected in the balance in the restricted fixed asset fund.

Sponsorship income

Sponsorship income provided to the academy trust which amounts to a donation is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities in the period in which it is receivable, where there is certainty of receipt and it is measurable.

Donations

Donations are recognised on a receivable basis where there is certainty of receipt and the amount can be reliably measured.

Other Income

Other income, including the hire of facilities, is recognised in the period it is receivable and to the extent the goods have been provided or on completion of the service.

Donated Services and Gifts in Kind

The value of donated services and gifts in kind provided to the academy trust are recognised at their open market value in the period in which they are receivable as incoming resources, where the benefit to the academy trust can be reliably measured. An equivalent amount is included as expenditure under the relevant heading in the Statement of Financial Activities, except where the gift in kind was a fixed asset in which case the amount is included in the appropriate fixed asset category and depreciated over the useful economic life in accordance with academy trust's accounting policies.

Gifted assets from the London Borough of Hillingdon of £3,910,000 were recognised in the year, valued at the cost incurred in the year.

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

Statement of Accounting Policies (continued)

Conversion to an academy trust

The conversion from state maintained schools to an academy trust involved the transfer of identifiable assets and liabilities and the operation of the schools for £nil consideration and has been accounted for under the acquisition accounting method.

The assets and liabilities transferred on conversion from Montem Primary School on 1 December 2013, and from Western House Primary School on 1 August 2014 to an academy trust have been valued at their fair value being a reasonable estimate of the current market value that the governors would expect to pay in an open market for an equivalent item. Their fair value is in accordance with the accounting policies set out for The Park Federation Academy Trust. The amounts have been recognised under the appropriate balance sheet categories, with a corresponding amount recognised in voluntary income as net income in the Statement of Financial Activities and analysed under unrestricted funds, restricted general funds and restricted fixed asset funds.

On conversion, the land and buildings occupied by Montem Primary School and Western House Primary School were assigned to the academy trust under 125 year leases. Land and buildings totalling £11,598k were recognised on a depreciated replacement cost basis in accordance with valuation reports dated 31 March 2014 prepared by Mouchel.

Resources Expended

All expenditure is recognised in the period in which a liability is incurred and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to that category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated on a basis consistent with the use of resources, with central staff costs allocated on the basis of time spent, and depreciation charges allocated on the portion of the asset's use. Other support costs are allocated based on the spread of staff costs.

Coats of Generating Funds

These are costs incurred in attracting voluntary income, and those incurred in trading activities that raise funds.

These are costs incurred on the academy trust's educational operations.

Governance Costs

These include the costs attributable to the academy trust's compliance with constitutional and statutory requirements, including audit, strategic management and trustees' meetings and reimbursed expenses.

All resources expended are inclusive of irrecoverable VAT

Tangible Fixed Assets

Assets costing £1,000 or more are capitalised as tangible fixed assets and are carried at cost, net of depreciation and any provision for impairment.

Where tangible fixed assets have been acquired with the aid of specific grants, either from the government or from the private sector, they are included in the Balance Sheet at cost and depreciated over their expected useful economic life. The related grants are credited to a restricted fixed asset fund in the Statement of Financial Activities and carried forward in the Balance Sheet. Depreciation on such assets is charged to the restricted fixed asset fund in the Statement of Financial Activities so as to reduce the fund over the useful economic life of the related asset on a basis consistent with the academy trust's depreciation policy.

Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets other than freehold land, at rates calculated to write off the cost of each asset on a straight-fine basis over its expected useful life, as follows:

Long leasehold buildings Fixtures, fittings and equipment 50 years

5 years / 10 years

Computer equipment

3 years

Assets in the course of construction are included at cost. Depreciation on these assets is not charged until they are brought into use.

A review for impairment of a fixed asset is carried out if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value of any fixed asset may not be recoverable. Shortfalls between the carrying value of fixed assets and their recoverable amounts are recognised as impairments. Impairment losses are recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities.

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

1 Statement of Accounting Policies (continued)

Stock

Catering stocks are valued at the lower of cost or net realisable value.

Taxation

The academy trust is considered to pass the tests set out in Paragraph 1 Schedule 6 of the Finance Act 2010 and therefore it meets the definition of a charitable company for UK corporation tax purposes. Accordingly, the academy trust is potentially exempt from taxation in respect of income or capital gains received within categories covered by chapter 3 part 11 of the Corporation Tax Act 2010 or Section 256 of the Taxation of Chargeable Gains Act 1992, to the extent that such income or gains are applied exclusively to charitable purposes.

Pensions Henefits

Retirement benefits to employees of the academy trust are provided by the Teachers' Pension Scheme ('TPS') and Local Government Pension Schemes ('LGPS'). These are defined benefit schemes and the assets are held separately from those of the academy trust.

The TPS is an unfunded scheme and contributions are calculated so as to spread the cost of pensions over employees' working lives with the academy trust in such a way that the pension cost is a substantially level percentage of current and future pensionable payroll. The contributions are determined by the Government Actuary on the basis of quinquennial valuations using a prospective benefit method. As stated in Note 24, the TPS is a multi-employer scheme and the academy trust is unable to identify its share of the underlying assets and liabilities of the scheme on a consistent and reasonable basis. The TPS is therefore treated as a defined contribution scheme and the contributions recognised as they are paid each year.

The LGPS' are funded schemes and the assets are held separately from those of the academy trust in separate trustee administered funds. Pension scheme assets are measured at fair value and liabilities are measured on an actuarial basis using the projected unit method and discounted at a rate equivalent to the current rate of return on a high quality corporate bond of equivalent term and currency to the liabilities. The actuarial valuations are obtained at least triennially and are updated at each balance sheet date. The amounts charged to operating surplus are the current service costs and gains and losses on settlements and curtailments. They are included as part of staff costs. Past service costs are recognised immediately in the Statement of Financial Activities if the benefits have vested. If the benefits have not vested immediately, the costs are recognised over the period until vesting occurs. The expected return on assets and the interest cost are shown as a net finance amount of other finance costs or credits adjacent to interest. Actuarial gains and losses are recognised immediately in other gains and losses.

Fund Accounting

Unrestricted income funds represent those resources which may be used towards meeting any of the charitable objects of the academy trust at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted fixed asset funds are resources which are to be applied to specific capital purposes imposed by the Education Funding Agency and local authorities where the asset acquired or created is held for a specific purpose.

Restricted general funds comprise all other restricted funds received and include grants from the Education Funding Agency.

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

Voluntary Income					
		Restricted	Restricted	Total	
	Unrestricted	General	Fixed Asset	Total	Total
	Funds	Funds	Funds	2014	2013
	€000	0003	0003	£000	2000
Donations	18	1400	*	18	
Gifted assets			3,910	3,910	
Other			•		
	18		3,910	3,928	1
Activities for Generating Funds		Restricted	Restricted		
	Unrestricted	General	Fixed Asset	Total	Total
	Funds	Funds	Funds	2014	2013
	£000	£000	£000	0003	£000
10	en		•5	60	2
Hire of facilities	60		**	91	4
Consultancy income	91		•: 27	91	4
Uniform sales Other income	9 107	3	5	107	13
Other income	267			267	21
•	267			207	210
Investment Income		Restricted	Restricted		
	Unrestricted	General	Fixed Asset	Total	Total
		Funds	Funds	2014	2013
	Funds £000	£000	£000	£000	£000
	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000
Interest received	3		1965		
0	3			3	1
Funding for the Academy Trust's Educational Operations					
		Restricted	Restricted		
			Fixed Asset		
	Unrestricted	General		Total	Total
	Funds	Funds	Funds	2014	2013
Diff / FFA grapts	Funds	Funds	Funds	2014	2013
DfE / EFA grants General Annual Grant (GAG)	Funds	Funds £000 12,886	Funds	2014 £000	2013 £000
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Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

					Restate
	Staff	Non Pay Exp	enditure	Total	Total
	Costs	Premises	Other	2014	2013
	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000
Costs of generating voluntary income	£0	727	11	11	
Costs of activities for generating funds		95.			
Academy's educational operations					
Direct costs	10,230	198	1,040	11,270	6,7
Allocated support costs	1,672	845	1,276	3,793	2,3
	11,902	845	2,316	15,063	9,1
Governance costs including allocated support costs	(*)	120	122	122	1
	11,902	845	2,449	15,196	9,4
Incoming resources for the year include:					
				2014	2013 restate
				£000	£000
Depreciation Fees payable to auditor:				437	2
Audit				15	
EFA audit				28	
Accountancy				8	
Responsible Officer services				2	
Teachers Pension Scheme audit				3	
Advisory services			14	6	
Charitable Activities					
				Total	Total
				2014	2013 restates
				£000	£000
Direct costs - educational operations					
Teaching and educational support staff costs				10,230	6,5
Technology costs				73	
Educational supplies				582	1
				268	
Educational consultancy				37	
Staff development				80	
Staff development				80 11,270	6,7
Staff development Staff related Insurance				11,270	
Staff development Staff related Insurance Support costs - educational operations					
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Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

8 Governance Costs		
	Total	Total
	2014	2013
	0000	£000
Legal and professional fees	60	161
Auditor's remuneration		
Audit of financial statements	15	11
Other audit costs	28	e.
Accountancy	8	6
Responsible Officer services	2	4
Teachers Pension Scheme audit	3	1
Advisory services	6	3
	122	186
9 Staff		
a. Staff costs	2014	2013
Staff costs during the period were:	£000	£000
Wages and salaries	9,407	6,017
Social security costs	613	397
Pension costs	1,381	822
	11,401	7,236
Supply staff costs	493	183
Compensation payments	8	15
• - • •	11,902	7,434

Included in staff costs is an individual non-statutory/non-contractual severance payment totalling £8,229 (2013: £15,000).

c. Staff numbers

The average number of persons employed by the academy during the year expressed as full time equivalents was as follows:

	2014 No.	2013 No.
Charitable Activities		
Teachers	161	107
Administration and support	251	154
Management	24	17
	436	278
d. Higher paid staff		
The number of employees whose emoluments exceeded £60,000 was:	2014	2013
	No.	No.
£60,001 - £70,000	3	2
£120,001 - £130,000	(B)	1
£130,001 - £140,000	1 =	
	4	3
	7.	

All four (2013: three) of the above employees participated in the Teachers' Pension Scheme. During the year ended 31 August 2014 employer's pension contributions for these staff amounted to £47,177 (2013: £36,100).

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

10 Central Services

The academy trust has provided the following central services to its academies during the year:

management services;

financial services;

legal services;

computer support

The trust charges for these services on the following basis:

3.25% of school budget share GAG income

The actual amounts charged during the year were as follows:	2014
• • •	£000
Cranford Park Academy	105
Wood End Park Academy	131
James Elliman Academy	87
Montem Academy	86
Western House Academy	6_
-	415

Funds received by the trust in respect of Lake Farm Park Academy, and the related expenditure from these funds have been recognised as central funds until this school opens on 1 September 2014, at which point such funds will be assigned to the new academy.

11 Related Party Transactions - Trustees' Remuneration & Expenses

The principal and other staff trustees only receive remuneration in respect of services they provide undertaking the roles of principal and staff, and not in respect of their services as trustees. Other trustees did not receive any payments, other than expenses, from the academy trust in respect of their role as trustees. The value of trustees' remuneration was as follows:

Dr Martin Young £135,000 - £140,000 (2013: £125,000 - £130,000)

Ms Surjeet Johra £nil (2013: £35,000 - £40,000)

(Ms. Surject Johra was not a Trustee during the financial year 2013/14. She was, however, a Trustee for part of the previous financial year 2012/13.)

The number of trustees for whom retirement benefits are acruing under the Teachers' Pension Scheme amounted to 1 (2013: 2) Company pension contributions to the Teachers' Pension Scheme in respect of trustees amounted to £19,534 (2013: £23,518)

No trustees claimed reimbursed expenses for their role as trustees.

12 Trustees' and Officers' Insurance

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In accordance with normal commercial practice the academy has purchased insurance to protect trustees and officers from claims arising from negligent acts, errors or ornissions occurring whilst on academy business. The insurance provides cover up to £2,000,000 on any one claim and the cost for the year ended 31 August 2014 was £406 (2013: £300). The cost of this insurance is included in the total insurance cost.

3 Tangible Fixed Assets	Long Leasehold Land and Bulldings £000	Furniture and Equipment £000	Computer Equipment £000	Total £000
Cost				
At 1 September 2013 (restated)	30,035	90	40	30,165
Transfer on conversion	11,598	967	•	12,565
Gifted assets	3,910	:-	-	3,910
Additions	331	399	321	1,051
At 31 August 2014	45,874	1,456	361	47,691
Depreciation		20		
At 1 September 2013 (restated)	201	14	9	224
Charged In year	350	47	40	437
At 31 August 2014	551	61	49	661
Net book values				
At 31 August 2014	45,323	1,395	312	47,030
At 31 August 2013 (restated)	29,834	76	31	29,941

On conversion, the land and buildings occupied by Montern Primary School and Western House Primary School were assigned to the academy trust under 125 year leases. Land and buildings totalling £11,598k were recognised on a depreciated replacement cost basis in accordance with valuation reports dated 31 March 2014 prepared by Mouchel.

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

14	Stock		
		2014 £000	2013 £000
	Catering	2	*
		2	
15	Debtors	2014	0040
		£000	2013 £000
	Trade debtors	50	28
	VAT recoverable	243	164
	Other debtors	38 261	405
	Prepayments and accrued income	201	165
		592	357
16	Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		
		2014 £000	2013 £000
	Trade creditors	516	156
	Taxation and social security	214	141
	Other creditors	98	1
	Accruals and deferred income	559	62
		1,387	360
	Deferred income		2014
			£000
	Deferred Income at 1 September 2013		4
	Resources deferred in the year		353
	Amounts released from previous years	72	(4)
	Deferred Income at 31 August 2014	-	353

Deferred income held at 31 August 2014 represent amounts received in the period for use in future periods.

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

Funds	Restated Balance at 1 September 2013 £000	incoming Resources £000	Resources Expended £000	Gains, Losses & Transfers £000	Balance at 31 August 2014 £000
Restricted general funds					
General Annual Grant (GAG)	225	12,886	(11,373)	(1,400)	338
Start Up Grant	255	115	(115)		
Other DfE/EFA grants	(3)	1,118	(1,118)	**	983
Other restricted funds		1,327	(1,327)	¥1	(2)
Pension reserve	(2,671)	(1,335)	(815)	288	(4,533)
	(2,446)	14,111	(14,748)	(1,112)_	(4,195)
Restricted fixed asset funds					
DfE/EFA capital grants	Œ	274	*	(274)	(4)
Capital expenditure from capital grants	41	+2	(17)	274	298
Capital expenditure from GAG	176	369	(50)	778	904
Gifted assets	3	3,910	*	*	3,910
Transfer from Local Authority on conversion	29,724	12,564	(370)		41,918
·	29,941	16,748	(437)	778	47,030
Total restricted funds	27,495	30,859	(15,185)	(334)	42,835
Unrestricted funds					
Unrestricted funds	1,404	1,314	(11)	<u>5</u> *.	2,707
Total unrestricted funds	1,404	1,314	(11)		2,707
Total funds	28,899	32,173	(15,196)	(334)	45,542

The specific purposes for which the funds are to be applied are as follows:

General annual grant

This includes all monies received from the EFA to carry out the objectives of the academy. It includes the School Budget Share, LACSEG (Local Authority Central Spend Equivalent Grant), insurance and rates grants.

Under the funding agreement with the Secretary of State, the academy trust was not subject to a limit on the amount of GAG that it could carry forward at 31 August 2014.

Start Up Grant

This represents the amount received on conversion to academy status for start up costs.

Other DfE/EFA grants

This represents revenue grants received from the EFA for specific purposes, for example to support individual pupils with a SEN statement.

Other restricted funds

This represents revenue grants received from the Local Education Authorities for specific purposes.

Pension reserve

This represents the negative reserve in respect of the liability on the LGPS defined benefit pension scheme.

Fixed asset fund

The fund includes the value of the tangible fixed assets of the academy on conversion, and monies transferred from the GAG or other restricted funds specifically for expenditure on tangible fixed assets, and the annual charges for depreciation of these assets.

Transfers between funds

Transfers from the General Annual Grant Fund to the fixed asset fund relate to fixed assets purchased from these funds.

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

17	Funds (continued)					
	Analysis of academies by fund balance					
	Fund balances at 31 August 2014 were allocated as follows	s:				Total £000
						2000
	Cranford Park Academy					6
	Wood End Park Academy					3
	James Elilman Academy					4
	Montem Academy Western House Academy					4
	Central services					1
	Total before fixed assets and pension reserve					3,0
	Restricted fixed asset fund					47,0
	Pension reserve					(4,5
	Total					45,5
	Analysis of academies by cost					
	Expenditure incurred by each academy during the year was					
		Teaching and				
		and Educational	Other		Other Costs	
		Support	Support	Educational	(excluding	
		Staff Costs	Staff Costs	Supplies	depreciation)	Total
		£000	€000	£000	£000	€000
	Cranford Park Academy	3,048	434	145	532	4,15
	Wood End Park Academy	3,034	380	168	562	4,14
	James Eillman Academy	2,256	466	142	493 440	3,3
	Montem Academy	1,767	358 20	125 1	440 18	2,69 16
	Western House Academy	125	20 14	1	230	2
	Central services	10,230	1.672	582	2,275	14,75
	Academy Trust	10,230	1,072			1-411
	Analysis of Net Assets between Funds					
	Fund balances at 31 August 2014 are represented by:				Restricted	
				Restricted	Fixed	
			Unrestricted	General	Asset	Total
			Funds	Funds	Funds	Funds
			£000	£000	€000	£000
	Tangible fixed assets		:(€)	105	47,030	47,03
			4.094	338		4,43
	Current assets					44 60
	Current liabilities		(1,387)	(A 522\	1	(1,36
				<u>(4,533)</u> (4,195)	47,030	(1,36° (4,53° 45,54

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

	Reconciliation of Net Income to Net Cash Inflow from Operating Activities		2014	2013
			0003	as restated £000
	Net income		16,977	28,96
	Depreciation (note 13)		437	22
	Capital grants from DfE and other capital income		(274)	(44
	Interest receivable (note 4)		(3)	(1
	FRS 17 pension cost less contributions payable (note 24)		59	(33
	FRS 17 pension finance income (note 24)		134	80
	Cash transferred on conversion to an academy trust		(894)	(1,313
	Assets transferred on conversion (note 13)		(12,565)	(29,932
	Gifted assets (note 13)		(3,910)	
	Liabilities transferred on conversion		1,335	2,548
	(Increase)/decrease in stock		(2)	
	(Increase)/decrease in debtors		(235)	(357)
	Increase/(decrease) in creditors		1,027	360
	Net Cash Inflow from Operating Activities		2,086	507
20	Returns on Investments and Servicing of Finance			
	Interest received		3	1
	Net cash inflow from returns on investment and servicing of finance		3	1
21	Capital Expenditure and Financial Investment			
	Purchase of tangible fixed assets		1,051	233
	Capital grants from DfE/EFA		(274)	(44)
	Net cash outflow from capital expenditure and financial investment		777	189
2	Analysis of Changes in Net Funds			
		As at		As at 31
		1 September	Cash	August
		2013	flows	2014
		£000	€000	0003
	Cash in hand and at bank	1,632	2,206	3,838

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

23 Members' Liability

Each member of the charitable company undertakes to contribute to the assets of the company in the event of it being wound up while he/she is a member, or within one year after he/she ceases to be a member, such amount as may be required, not exceeding £10 for the debts and liabilities contracted before he/she ceases to be a member.

24 Pension and Similar Obligations

The academy's employees belong to three principal pension schemes: the Teachers' Pension Scheme England and Wales (TPS) for academic and related staff; and the Local Government Pension Schemes (LGPS) for non-teaching staff, consisting of the London Borough of Hillingdon Pension Fund managed by the London Borough of Hillingdon and the Royal County of Berkshire Pension Fund managed by the Royal Borough of Windsor and Maldenhead. These schemes are all defined-benefit schemes.

The LGPS obligation relates to the employees of the academy trust, who were the employees transferred as part of the conversion from the maintained schools and new employees who were eligible to, and did, join the scheme in the period. The obligation in respect of employees transferred on conversion represents their cumulative service at both the predecessor school and the academy trust at the balance sheet date.

The pension costs are assessed in accordance with the advice of independent qualified actuaries. The latest actuarial valuation of the TPS related to the period ended 31 March 2004 and of both LGPS's 31 March 2010.

There were no outstanding or prepaid contributions at either the beginning or the end of the financial year.

Teachers' Pension Scheme

Introduction

The Teachers' Pension Scheme (TPS) is a statutory, contributory, defined benefit scheme, governed by the Teachers' Pensions Regulations (2010). These regulations apply to teachers in schools that are maintained by local authorities and other educational establishments, including academies, in England and Wales. In addition teachers in many independent and voluntary-aided schools and teachers and lecturers in some establishments of further and higher education may be eligible for membership. Membership is automatic for full-time teachers and lecturers and from 1 January 2007 automatic too for teachers and lecturers in part-time employment following appointment or a change of contract. Teachers and lecturers are able to opt out of the TPS.

The Teachers' Pension Budgeting and Valuation Account

Although members may be employed by various bodies, their retirement and other pension benefits are set out in regulations made under the Superannuation Act (1972) and are paid by public funds provided by Parliament. The TPS is an unfunded scheme and members contribute on a "pay as you go" basis – these contributions along with those made by employers are credited to the Exchequer under arrangements governed by the above Act.

The Teachers' Pensions Regulations require an annual account, the Teachers' Pension Budgeting and Valuation Account, to be kept of receipts and expenditure (including the cost of pensions' increases). From 1 April 2001, the Account has been credited with a real rate of return, which is equivalent to assuming that the balance in the Account is invested in notional investments that produce that real rate of return.

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

24 Pension and Similar Obligations (continued)

Teachers' Pension Scheme (continued)

Valuation of the Teachers' Pension Scheme

The latest actuarial valuation of the TPS was carried out as at 31 March 2012 and in accordance with the Public Service Pensions (Valuations and Employer Cost Cap) Directions 2014. The valuation report was published by the Department for Education on 9 June 2014. The key elements of the valuation and subsequent consultation are:

- employer contribution rates set at 16.48% of pensionable pay (including a 0.08% employer administration charge (currently 14.1%);
- total scheme liabilities for service to the effective date of £191,500 million, and notional assets of £176,600 million, giving a notional past service deficit of £14,900 million; and
- an employer cost cap of 10.9% of pensionable pay will be applied to future valuations.

The new employer contribution rate is applicable from 1 April 2015 and will be implemented for the TPS from September 2015. A copy of the valuation report and supporting documentation is on the Teachers' Pensions website.

Teachers' Pension Scheme Changes

Lord Hutton published his final report in March 2011 and made recommendations about how pensions can be made sustainable and affordable, whilst remaining fair to the workforce and the taxpayer. The Government accepted Lord Hutton's recommendations as the basis for consultation and Ministers engaged in extensive discussions with trade unions and other representative bodies on reform of the TPS. Those discussions concluded on 9 March 2012 and the Department published a Proposed Final Agreement, setting out the design for a reformed TPS to be implemented from 1 April 2015.

The key provisions of the reformed scheme include: a pension based on career average earnings; an accrual rate of 1/57th; and a Normal Pension Age equal to State Pension Age, but with options to enable members to retire earlier or later than their Normal Pension Age. Importantly, pension benefits built up before 1 April 2015 will be fully protected.

In addition, the Proposed Final Agreement includes a Government commitment that those within 10 years of Normal Pension Age on 1 April 2012 will see no change to the age at which they can retire, and no decrease in the amount of pension they receive when they retire. There will also be further transitional protection, tapered over a three and a half year period, for people who would fall just outside of the 10 year protection.

In his interim report of October 2010, Lord Hutton recommended that short-term savings were also required, and that the only realistic way of achieving these was to increase member contributions. At the Spending Review 2010 the Government announced an average increase of 3.2 percentage points on the contribution rates by 2014-15. The increases were to be phased in from April 2012 on a 40:80:100% basis.

Under the definitions set out in Financial Reporting Standard (FRS 17) Retirement Benefits, the TPS is a multi-employer pension scheme. The academy is unable to identify its share of the underlying assets and liabilities of the scheme. Accordingly, the academy has taken advantage of the exemption in FRS 17 and has accounted for its contributions to the scheme as if it were a defined contribution scheme. The academy has set out above the information available on the scheme.

Local Government Pension Schemes

The LGPS' are funded defined-benefit schemes, with the assets held in separate trustee-administered funds. The total contribution made for the year ended 31 August 2013 was £471,000 of which employer's contributions totalled £380,000 and employees' contributions totalled £91,000. The agreed contribution rates for future years are 29.1% for employers and 6.2% for employees for the London Borough of Hillingdon Pension Fund. The contribution rates have been agreed on the basis that the scheme deficit will be closed over a 20 year period. The agreed contribution rates for future years are 17.2% for employers for the Royal County of Berkshire Pension Fund.

Parliament has agreed, at the request of the Secretary of State for Education, to a guarantee that, in the event of academy closure, outstanding local government pension scheme liabilities would be met by the Department for Education. The guarantee came into force on 18 July 2013.

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

24 Pension and Similar Obligations (continued)

Local Government Pension Schemes (continued) Principal Actuarial Assumptions	London Borough of Hillingdon At 31 August 2014	Royal County of Berkshire At 31 August 2014	London Berough of Hillingdon At 31 August 2013	Royal County of Berkshire At 31 August 2013
Rate of increase in salaries	3.40%	4.50%	5.1%*	4.85%
Rate of Increase for pensions in payment/inflation	2.60%	2.70%	2.80%	2.90%
Discount rate for scheme liabilities	3.70%	4.00%	4.60%	4.70%
Inflation assumption (CPI)	**	2.70%	2.90%	2.90%

^{*}Salary Increases are assumed to be 1% p.a. until 31 March 2015 reverting to the long term assumption shown thereafter.

Sensitivity Analysis - London Borough of Hillingdon

The sensitivities regarding the principal assumptions used to measure the scheme liabilities are set out below

Change in assumptions at 31 August 2014;-	Approximate % Increase to Employer Liability	Approximate monetary amount (£000)
0.5% decrease in Real Discount Rate	12.00%	522
1 year increase in member life expectancy	3,00%	127
0.5% increase in the Salary Increase Rate	6.00%	249
0.5% increase in the Pension Increase Rate	6.00%	259

Sensitivity Analysis - Royal County of Berkshire

The sensitivities regarding the principal assumptions used to measure the scheme liabilities are set out below

Impact of change in assumptions at 31 August 2014;-	Approximate monetary amount (£000)	Approximate monetary amount (£000)	Approximate monetary amount (£000)
Adjustment to discount rate	+0.1%	0.0%	-0.1%
Present value of total obligation	3,305	3,385	3,467
Projected service cost	476	490	504
Adjustment to long term salary increase	+0.1%	0.0%	-0.1%
Present value of total obligation	3,417	3,385	3,403
Projected service cost	490	490	490
Adjustment to pension increases and deferred revaluation	+0.1%	0.0%	-0.1%
Present value of total obligation	3,435	3,365	3,337
Projected service cost	504	490	476
Adjustment to mortality age rating assumption	+1 year	None	-1 year
Present value of total obligation	3,270	3,385	3,502
Projected service cost	474	490	506

^{**} This was not provided.

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

24 Pension and Similar Obligations (continued)

Local Government Pension Schemes (continued)

The current mortality assumptions include sufficient allowance for future improvements in mortality rates. The assumed life expectations on retirement age 65 are:

	London Borough of Hillingdon At 31 August 2014	Royal County of Berkehire At 31 August 2014	London Borough of Hillingdon At 31 August 2013	Royal County of Berkshire At 31 August 2013
Retiring today				
Males	22.7	22.7	20.8	23.1
Females	24.7	26.0	24.1	25.7
Retiring In 20 years				
Males	24.3	24.9	22.3	25.1
Females	26.9	28.3	25.7	27.6

The academy's share of the assets and liabilities in the scheme and the expected rates of return were:

	London Boroug	London Borough of Hillingdon		of Berkshire
	Expected return at 31 August 2014	Fair value at 31 August 2014 £000	Expected return at 31 August 2014	Fair value at 31 August 2014 £000
Equitles	6.40%	1,223	6.70%	512
Gilts	0.00%	*3	3.00%	14
Other bonds	3.50%	432	3.60%	179
Property	4.50%	169	5.90%	147
Cash	3.30%	56	2.90%	40
Target Return Portfolio	0.00%		6.70%	202
Commodities	0.00%		6.70%	104
Infrastructure	0.00%	850	3.60%	54
Longevity Insurance	0.00%	700	2.90%	(44)
Total market value of assets		1,880		1,208
Present value of scheme liabilities				
Funded		(4,236)		(3,385)
Deficit in the scheme		(2,356)		(2,177)

The expected return on assets is based on the long-term future expected investment return for each asset class as at the beginning of the period.

The actual return on scheme assets was £224,000 (2013: £120,000).

Amounts recognised in the statement of financial activities

	€000	£000
Current service cost (net of employee contributions)	(679)	(347)
Past service cost	(2)	
Total operating charge	(681)	(347)
Analysis of pension finance income/(costs)		
Expected return on pension scheme assets	124	47
Interest on pension liabilities	(258)	(133)
Pension finance costs	(134)	(86)

2014

2013

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

24 Pension and Similar Obligations (continued)

Local Government Pension Schemes (Continued)

The actuarial gains and losses for the current year are recognised in the statement of financial activities. The cumulative amount of actuarial gains and losses recognised in the statement of financial activities since the adoption of FRS 17 is a £404,000 loss (2013: £70,000 loss).

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Movements in the present value of defined benefit obligations were as follows:		
	2014 £000	2013 €000
At 1 Saptember	4,205	=
Transferred on conversion	1,944	3,479
Current service cost	679	347
Interest cost	258	133
Employee contributions	157	91
Actuarial loss	473	155
Benefits paid	(97)	.∺
Past service cost	2	5
	7,621	4,205
At 31 August	7,021	4,205
Movements in the fair value of academy's share of scheme assets:		
Movements in the fair value of academy's share of actionic assets.	2014	2013
	£000	0003
At 1 September	1,534	
Transferred on conversion	609	931
Expected return on assets	124	47
Actuarial gain	139	85
Employer contributions	622	380
Employee contributions	157	91
Benefits paid	(97)	· ·
At 31 August	3,088	1,534
The estimated value of employer contributions for the year ended 31 August 2015 is £733,000.		
The five-year history of experience adjustments is as follows:		
	2014 £000	2013 £000
Present value of defined benefit obligations	7,621	4,205
Fair value of share of scheme assets	(3,088)	(1,534)
Deficit in the scheme	4,533	2,671
Experience adjustments on share of scheme assets	400.000	
Amount £000	139,000	85,000
Experience adjustments on scheme ilabilities: Amount £000	(229,000)	
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Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) For the year ended 31 August 2014

25 Related Party Transactions

Owing to the nature of the academy trust's operations and the composition of the board of trustees being drawn from local public and private sector organisations, transactions may take place with organisations in which a trustee has an interest. All transactions involving such organisations are conducted at arm's length and in accordance with the academy trust's financial regulations and normal procurement procedures.

No related party transactions took place in the period of account.

26 Events after the balance sheet date

On 1 September 2014 a new academy, Lake Farm Park Academy will be joining the Trust.

27 Conversion to an academy trust

On 1 December 2013 the Montern Primary School converted to academy trust status under the Academies Act 2010 and all the operations and assets and liabilities were transferred to The Park Federation Academy Trust from Slough Borough Council for £nll consideration.

On 1 August 2014 the Western House Primary School converted to academy trust status under the Academies Act 2010 and all the operations and assets and liabilities were transferred to the Park Federation Academy Trust from Slough Borough Council for £nil consideration.

The transfer has been accounted for using the acquisition method. The assets and liabilities transferred were valued at their fair value and recognised in the balance sheet under the appropriate headings with a corresponding net amount recognised as the net income in the Statement of Financial Activities as voluntary income.

The following table sets out the feir values of the identifiable assets and liabilities transferred on the conversion of Montem Academy and an analysis of their recognition in the SOFA:

	Unrestricted Funds £000	Restricted General Fund £000	Restricted Fixed Asset Funds £000	Total £000
Tangible fixed assets Leasehold land and buildings Other tangible fixed assets		*: *:	6,135 24	6,135 24
LGPS pension deficit Other identified assets and liabilities	483	(963)	(45) (46)	(963) 483
Net assets	483	(963)	6,159	5,679

The following table sets out the fair values of the identifiable assets and liabilities transferred on the conversion of Western House Academy and an analysis of their recognition in the SOFA:

	Unrestricted Funds £000	Restricted General Fund £000	Restricted Fixed Asset Funds £000	Total £000
Tangible fixed assets Leasehold land and buildings Other tangible fixed assets	<i>e</i> =	≓ % 1 9 ±	5,463 942	5,463 942
LGPS pension deficit Other Identified assets and liabilities	375	(372)		(372) 375
Net assets	375	(372)	6,405	6,408