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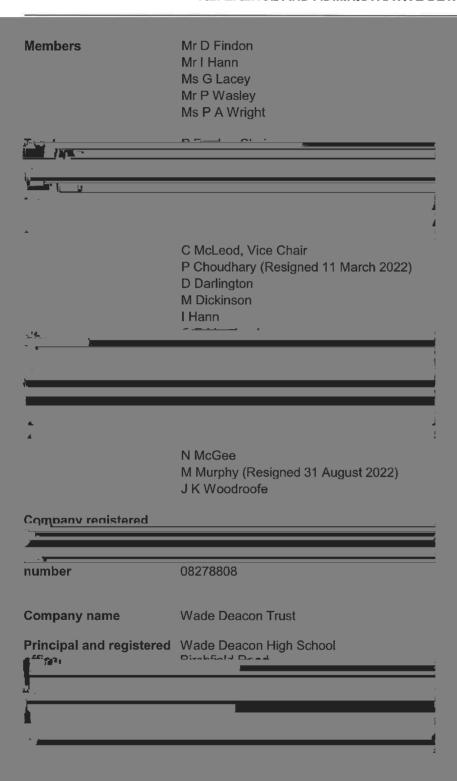
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REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS



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REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Bankers HSBC Bank Plc Vista St Davids Park المراجعة المارة Cheshire CH5 3DT **Solicitors Business Services Group** Hill Dickinson LLP No. 1 St Paul's Square Liverpool L3 9SJ Senior management Mr G Kelly - Chief Executive Officer and Accounting Officer Mr I Kirkham - Chief Operations Officer team Mr S Robertson - Chief Finance Officer Mr S Corner - Lead Principal Secondary/Principal Wade Deacon High School

Mrs A Ryan - Principal Hillside High School

TRUSTEES' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

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of both a Trustees' report and a directors' report under company law.	poses
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TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Structure, governance and management

a. Constitution

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Structure, governance and management (continued)

g. Arrangements for setting pay and remuneration of key management personnel

Academy Trustees are non-salaried and therefore no pay and remuneration scales are applicable.

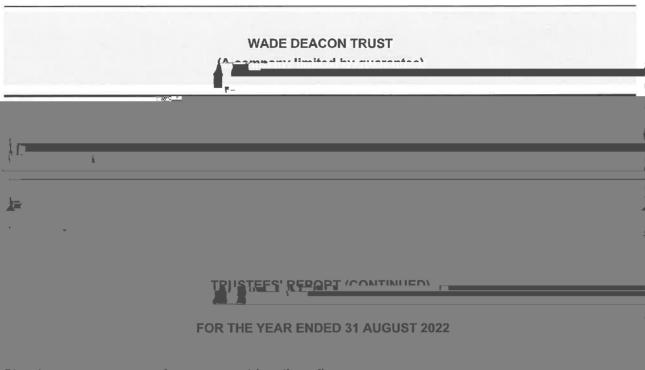
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TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Structure, governance and management (continued)

j. Engagement with employees

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Structure, governance and management (continued)

Engagement with employees (continued)

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Employees who are disabled or become disabled are encouraged to tell the Trust about their condition so that

adjustments, and considers adjustments carefully to try to accommodate employees' needs. Job applicants are encouraged to report disability to ensure adjustments are put in place for interviews. Provision of this information is voluntary and it will not adversely affect an individual's chances of recruitment or any other decision related to their employment. The information is removed from applications before shortlisting. The Trust monitors the physical features of its premises to consider whether they place anyone with a disability at a

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TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Objectives and activities (continued)

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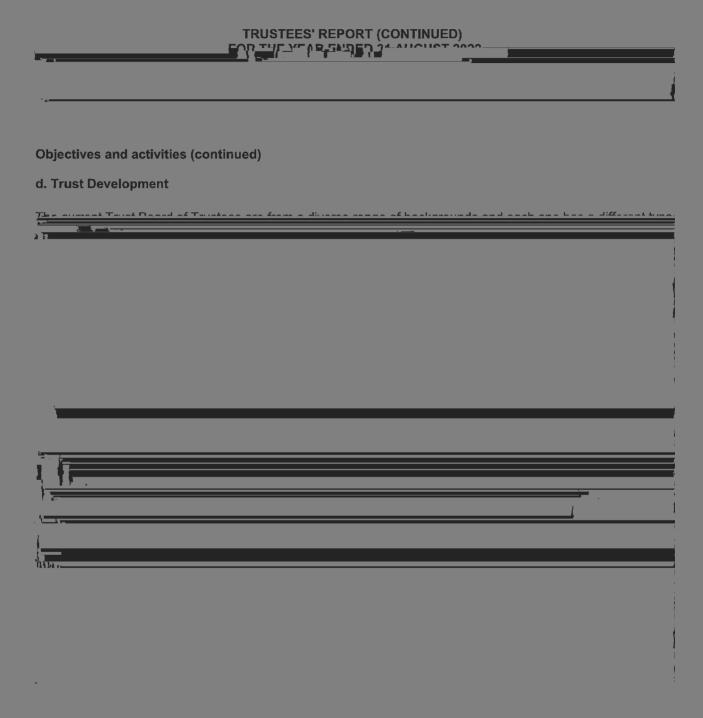
b. Objectives, strategies and activities

and openness.

The Trusts' main strategy is to develop and maintain a culture of excellence across our organisation that continues to provide opportunities for our students.

Wade Deacon High School converted to 'Academy' status in March 2013 and founded the Wade Deacon Trust.





Strategic report

Achievements and performance



TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

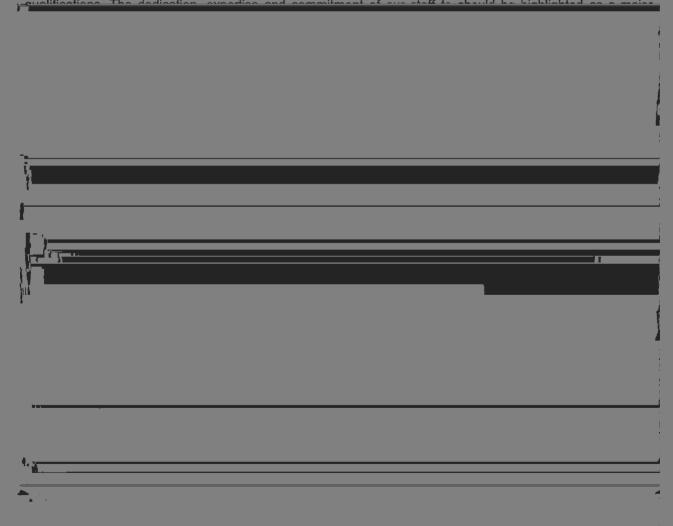
Strategic report (continued)

Achievements and performance (continued)

Highlights and Successes

The way in which the school has been able to provide so many opportunities to students in the last year, considering the challenges we have faced, is a highlight. The opportunities for students to take part in so many clubs, trips, leadership opportunities, performances and events should be celebrated. This has been a priority so that students can once again have the full curriculum experience that has been lost in the two previous years. These opportunities were planned from the start of the year and have been pivotal in supporting students to re-engage with school and manage their own well-being.

The GCSE outcomes, especially for vulnerable groups of students is also a highlight. Students have been able to achieve very well, despite the many challenges they faced, and leave with very competitive



success.

The final success, should be the collaboration across the Trust. The quality assurance model and commitment across the secondary phase to support each other resulted in improved progress in all of the schools and with two schools securing a good judgement.

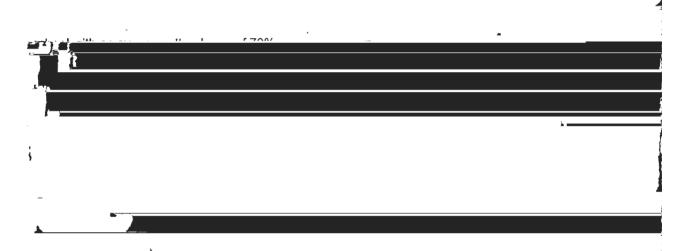
TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED)

Strategic report (continued)

Achievements and performance (continued)

The Academy's impact on the local community

Halewood Academy is an integral part of the local community and being oversubscribed in Year 7 shows how much the school is valued locally. Parents' evening attendance showed that our families work closely with the



TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Strategic report (continued)

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TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Strategic report (continued)

Achievements and performance (continued)

THE GRANGE ACADEMY 2022 GCSE results saw another improvement for The Grange Academy. Robust assessments and moderation ensured that school predictions were accurate. Despite not having formally examinations for the aubjoh in

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TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Strategic report (continued)

Achievements and performance (continued)

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Strategic report (continued)

Achievements and performance (continued)

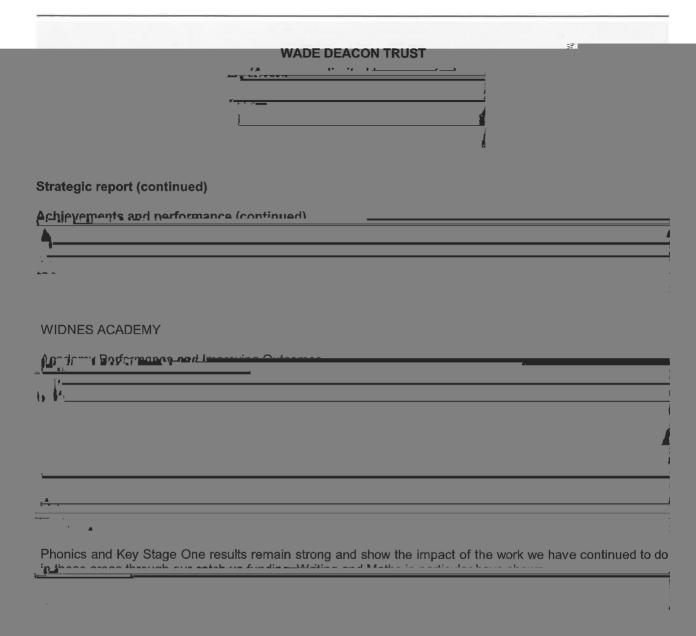
The Academy's impact on the local community

Since the Covid restrictions have been lifted, links have been forged with the local community, through participation in community events and parents are invited to the school for various activities, such as coffee mornings, "Stay and Play", "Meet the Teacher" and various assemblies.

We have formed a "Toddler Group" at school and prospective parents and members of the community are invited into school with pre-school age children.

We offer 30-hour Nursery provision, to meet the needs of our working parents and this has attracted families to our setting.

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TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Strategic report (continued)

Achievements and performance (continued)

Highlights and Successes

We have finally been able to endade with events involving families and it has been lovely to see everyone

back together. Below is a list of events over the year which we feel reflects how our curriculum offer of extended experiences to all of our children enhances our academic provision.

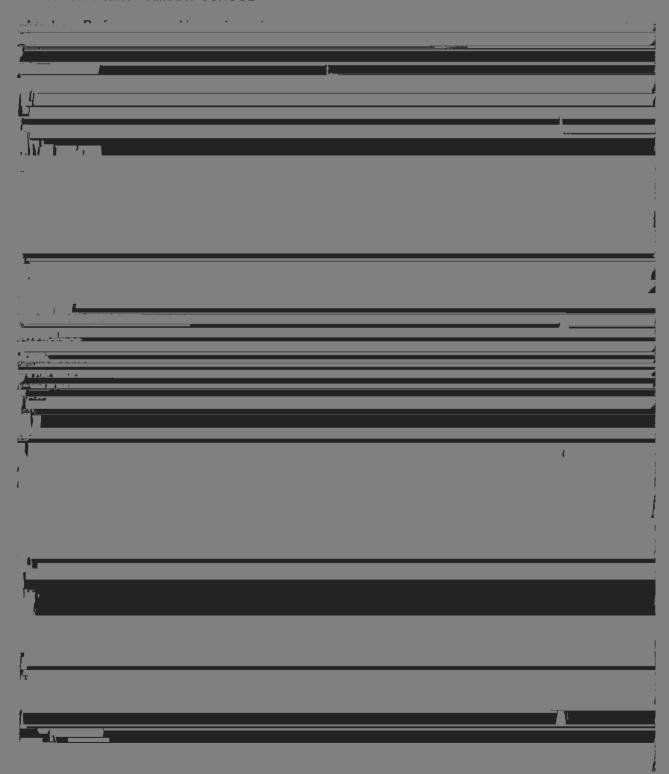


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Strategic report (continued)

Achievements and performance (continued)

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TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022



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Achievements and performance (continued)	
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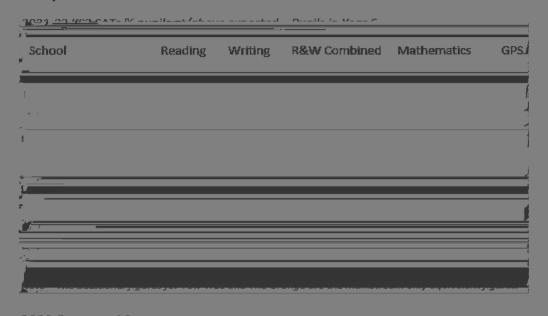
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Strategic report (continued)

Achievements and performance (continued)

a Key performance indicators

Primary



2022 Progress Measures

School		Reading		Writing		Mathematics
Sylvester Sylvester	65%	80% ∔∩.1	65%	+2.7	85%	80%
	65%	70%+0.1	50%		57%	56%
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Withen Willislemv	89%	86%-5.8	81%	-2.7	84%	84%
Widnes Academy	47%	58%43.2	42%	+4.1	58%	53%
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TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Strategic report (continued)

Achievements and performance (continued)

	2022 Performance Data			
Number of Students	Wade Deacon Hi h 333	Halewood Academ 215	Hillside Hi h 132	The Gran e
Average KS2 Prior Engagement	104.54	4.76	4.72	4.69
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A8 Maths	10.61	7.11	7.67	8.08
A8 EBACC	15.37	11.03	12.47	11.25
A8 O en	16.51	12.83	14.13	13.31
%4+ English	90%	65%	76%	6 9 %
%5+ En lish	79%	45%	54%	57%
%4+ Maths	82%	53%	62%	57%
%5+ Maths	70%	29%	42%	41%
%4+ Maths & En lish Combined	81%	45%	58%	51%

Pupil Numbers

Year Group	НА	HHS	SPA	TGA	WDHS	WWPA	WA	YTPA	Year Totals
N1			2	1		0	0	0	3
N2			19	26		32	16	21	114
R			35	52		45	13	30	175
1			37	51		45	.22	33	188
2			31	52		45	14	30	172
3			31	40		43	26	31	171
-4			26	60		42	22	2.6	
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6			21	64		37	19	32	189
7	206			187	325				173
8	239	124		117	329				842
9	225	135		136	308				820
10	200	124		112	316				793
11	218	131		121	334				759
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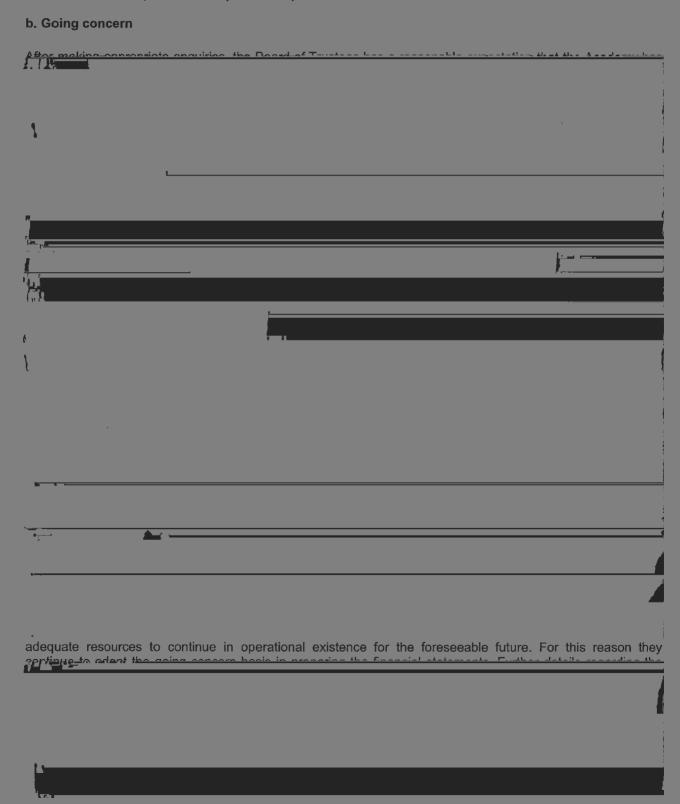
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TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Strategic report (continued)

Achievements and performance (continued)





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Strategic report (continued)

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£1,624,279). Total fur funds of £5,445,867 (2 reserves.	nds carried forward amount to £57,226,731 (2021: £4,808,539). This is in line with the Tru	(2021: £39,206,710) which inclust's strategy to build and maintai	de revenue in adequate
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together with other in capital funds of £1 08	ncoming resources which totalled £39,421,0 to 792 (2021: £932 541) there is a net reven	10 (2021: £37,019,321). After	the ESFA transfers to 328 (2021)

During the year The Trust has provided a fully managed central services to its academies during the year. Each academy school pays a 'top slice' of their General Annual Grant income to The Trust's Central Services fund which pays for key staff, systems or services vital to the running of The Trust. This includes ensuring that

TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

b. Investment policy

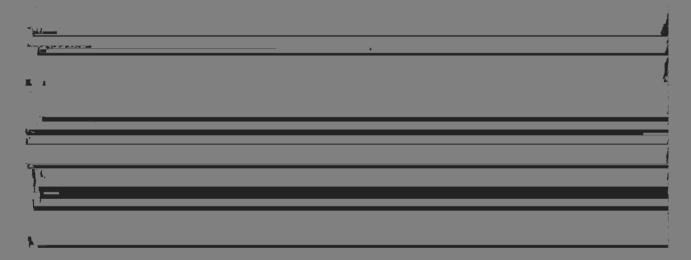




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d. Utilisation of the surplus funds

The Trust has supplemented an element of its surplus to support projects using the schools' capital funding allocation. The Trust has undertaken a large capital project at Wade Deacon High School, being the construction of a School Inclusion Centre funded by a combination of capital grants and revenue funding as



TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Annual energy usage and associated annual greenhouse gas ("GHG") emissions are reported pursuant to the Companies (Directors' Report) and Limited Liability Partnerships (Energy and Carbon Report) Regulations 2018 ("the 2018 Regulations") that came into force 1 April 2019.	Fundraising (continued)		
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Breakdown of energy consumption used to calculate emissions (kWh):				
Energy type	2020/21	2021/22		
Mandatory requirements:				
Gas	6,565,861	6,231,214		
Purchased electricity from the grid	3,136,470	2,939,707		
Transport fuel	5,072	7,669		
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TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Plans for future periods

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planning in responding to the challenges arising from the pan	demic in order to ensure that pupils are supported
to fulfil their potential academically, socially and emotionally.	
The Trust is confident that the financial position reported with	in the financial statements to 31 August 2022 and

TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

Disclosure of information to auditors

In so far as the Trustees are aware:

there is no relevant audit information of which the charitable company's auditor is unaware; and

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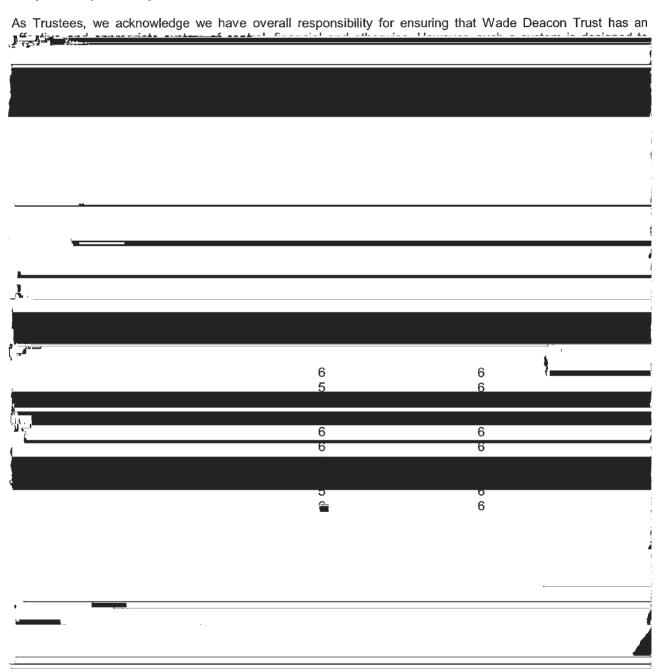
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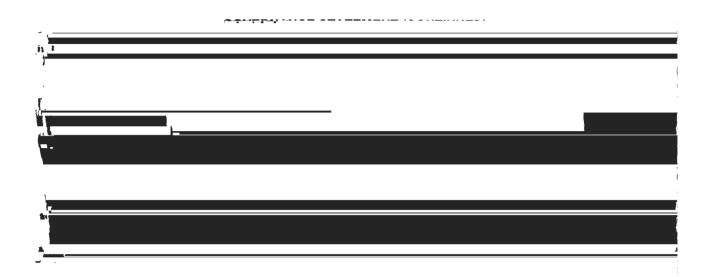
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P Fowler (Chair of Trustees)

GOVERNANCE STATEMENT

Scope of responsibility





Governance (continued)

The Trust completed the DfE's School resource management self-assessment checklist during the year.

The checklist helps governing bodies and trust boards to:

check they have appropriate financial management and governance arrangements

GOVERNANCE STATEMENT (CONTINUED)

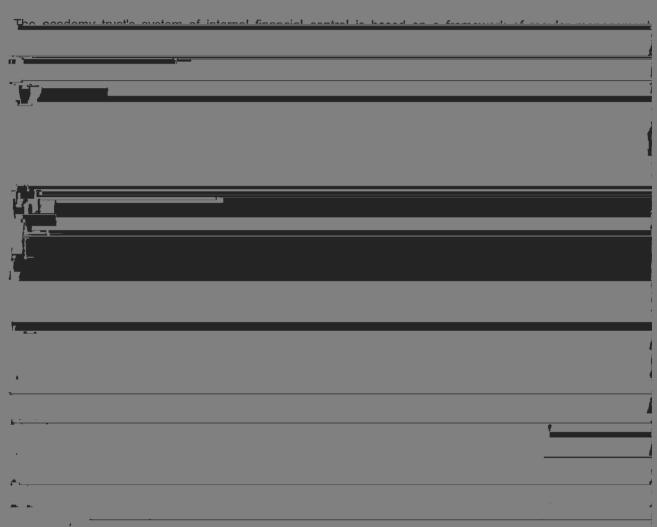
Governance (continued)

Committee Member	Meetings attended	Out of a possible
Colin McLeod	5	6
Michael Dickinson	5	6
John Woodroofe	6	6

Review of value for money	
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GOVERNANCE STATEMENT (CONTINUED)

The risk and control framework



information and administrative procedures including the segregation of duties and a system of delegation and accountability. In particular, it includes:

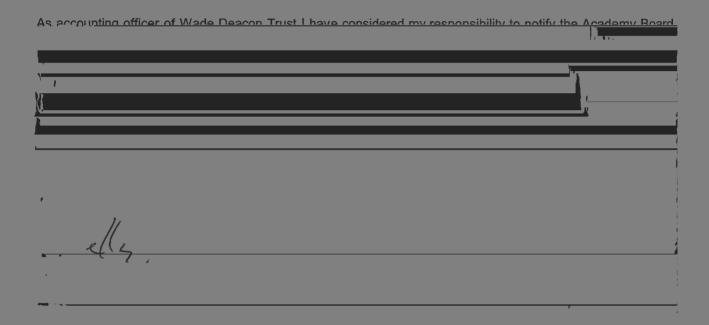
 Comprehensive budgeting and monitoring systems with an annual budget and periodic financial reports which are reviewed and agreed by the board of trustees;

GOVERNANCE STATEMENT (CONTINUED

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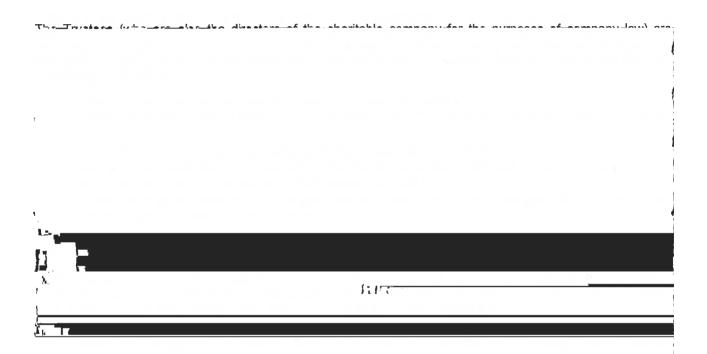
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STATEMENT ON REGULARITY, PROPRIETY AND COMPLIANCE





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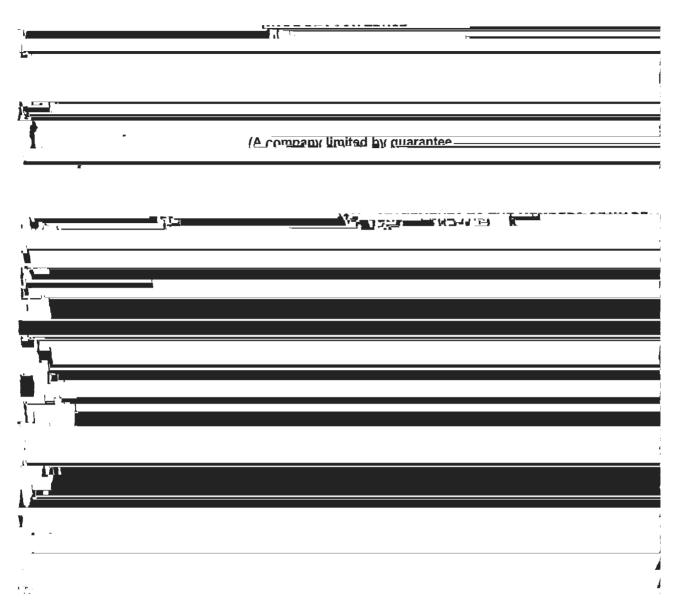


INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE MEMBERS OF WADE DEACON TRUST

Opinion Moharo audited the financial etatoments of Wede Deces Trust, (the 'coademy') for the year anded 21 August 2022 which comprise the Statement of financial activities, the Balance sheet, the Statement of cash flows and the related notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE MEMBERS OF WADE DEACON TRUST (CONTINUED)

Other information	
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The other information comprises the information included in the Annual report other than the fig.	ancia
statements and our Auditors' report thereon. The Trustees are responsible for the other information cont within the Annual report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assu conclusion thereon. Our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in course of the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistent	and rance er the n the



DEACON TRUST (CONTINUED)

Responsibilities of trustees

As explained more fully in the Statement of trustees' responsibilities, the Trustees (who are also the directors of the Academy for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the Trustees determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In prenaring the financial statements, the Trustees are responsible for assessing the Academy's ability to

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INDEPENDENT REPORTING ACCOUNTANT'S ASSURANCE REPORT ON REGULARITY TO WADE

DEACON TRUST AND THE EDUCATION AND SKILLS FUNDING AGENCY

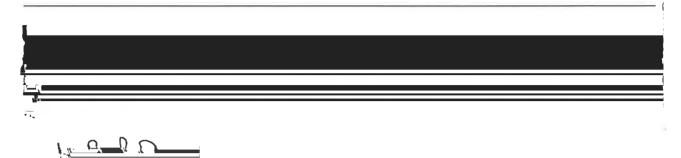
In accordance with the terms of our engagement letter dated 7 December 2022 and further to the requirements of the Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) as included in the Academies Accounts Direction 2021 to

2022, we have carried out an engagement to obtain limited assurance about whether the expenditure disbursed and income received by Wade Deacon Trust during the year 1 Sentember 2021 to 31 August 2022 have been applicable to the engagement of the support of the august 2022 have been applicable to the engagement of the support of the august 2022 have been applicable to the engagement of the support of the august 2022 have been applicable to the engagement of the august 2022 have been applicable to the engagement of the august 2022 have been applicable to the engagement of the august 2022 have been applicable to the engagement of the august 2022 have been applicable to the engagement of the

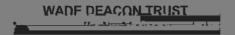
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This report is made solely to Wade Deacon Trust and ESFA in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter. Our work has been undertaken so that we_might state to Wade_Deacon Trust and ESFA those matters,

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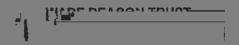






STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES (INCORPORATING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT)

	Note	Unrestricted funds 2022 £	Restricted funds 2022 £	Restricted fixed asset funds 2022	Total funds 2022 £	Total funds 2021 £
Income from:						
Donations and capital grants	3	232,103		1,437,152	1,669,255	1,568,220
Other trading activities		178.329	-	-	<u> 178.329</u>	292,937
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Educational		614,157	38,806,853	1,437,152	40,858,162	38,487,861
operations		203,725	38,806,853		39,010,578	36,426,327
Teaching School		=	-	-	-	200,377
Total income						
Expenditure on:						
Charitable activities			39,511,889	1,828,251	41,340,140	37,786,818
Total expenditure		-	39,511,889	1,828,251	41,340,140	37,786,818
Net					-	-
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		614,157	16,714,172	691,693	18,020,022	(2,142,220)



#### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES (INCORPORATING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT) (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 34 AUGUST 2022

			Restricted		
	Unrestricted	Restricted	fixed asset	Total	Total
	funds	funds	funds	funds	funds
	2022	2022	2022	2022	2021
Note	£	£	£	£	£

Reconciliation of

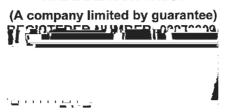
funds:

Total funds brought

forward	1,834,019	(20,696,481)	58,069,171	39,206,709	41,348,929
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The Statement of Financial Activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year

The notes on pages 52 to 80 form part of these financial statements.



	Note		2022 £		2021 £
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	15		57,622,992		57,420,132
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Current assets			01,022,002		··, ··, · · -
Debtors	16	1,771,472		1,160,137	
That there and in band	<i></i>	244.784		622 622 -	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one					
year					
Net current assets			6,598,720		5,487,539
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., }	19	58,760,864		58,069,171	
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Restricted funds excluding pension asset	19	61,649,585		61,043,690	
Pension reserve	19	(6,980,000)		(23,671,000)	
Total restricted funds	19		54,669,585		37,372,690
Unrestricted income funds	19		2,557,146		1,834,019
Total funds			57,226,731		39,206,709
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#### BALANCE SHEET (CONTINUED) AS AT 31 AUGUST 2022

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P Fowler (Chair of Trustees)

Date: 7 December 2022

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The notes on pages 52 to 80 form part of these financial statements.



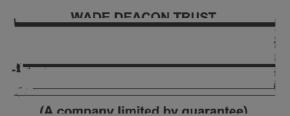
#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

#### 1 Accounting policies

A summary of the principal accounting policies adopted (which have been applied consistently, except where noted), judgments and key sources of estimation uncertainty, is set out below.

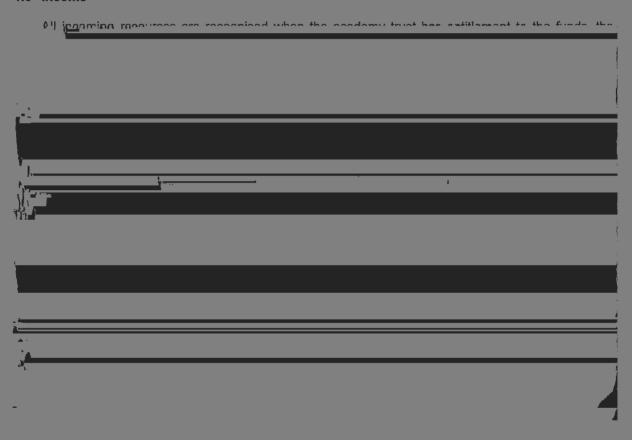
#### 1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

	The financial statements of the academy trust, which is a public benefit entity un been prepared under the historic cost convention in accordance with the F	
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#### 1. Accounting policies (continued)

#### 1.3 Income



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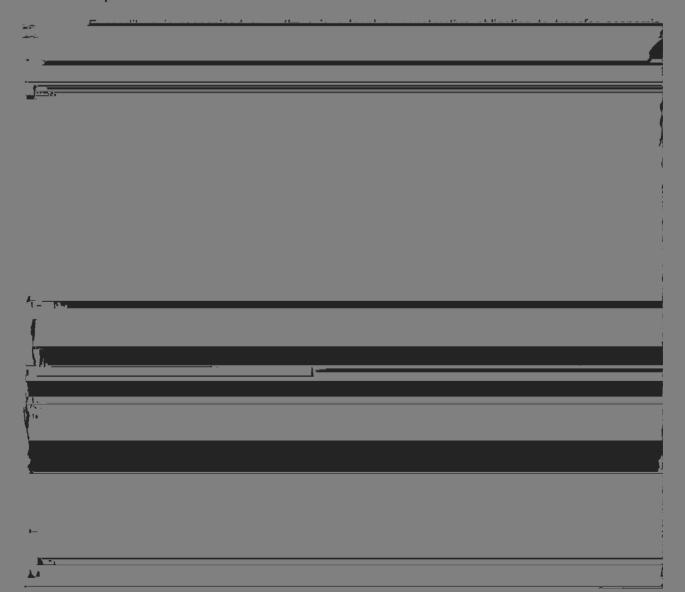
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- 1. Accounting policies (continued)
  - 1.4 Expenditure



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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### 1. Accounting policies (continued)

#### 1.6 Tangible fixed assets (continued)

Depreciation is provided on the following basis:

Land and Buildings - 2% on cost
Fixtures, Fittings and - 20% on cost and 10% on cost
Equipment
Access under construction Not depressioned

Motor vehicles

25% on cost

Assets in the course of construction are included at cost. Depreciation on these assets is not

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

#### 2. Critical accounting estimates and areas of judgment

	Estimates and judgments are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other
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	circumstances.
	Critical accounting estimates and assumptions:
	The Academy makes estimates and assumptions concerning the future. The resulting accounting
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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

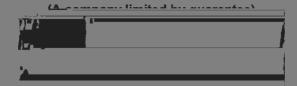
#### 4. Income from charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds 2022 £	Restricted funds 2022	Total funds 2022 £	Total funds 2021 £
Educational operations Teaching School	203,725	38,806,853 -	39,010,578 -	36,426,327 200,377
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Total 2021	359,327	36,267,377	36,626,704	

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

#### 5. Funding for the Academy's charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds 2022 £	Restricted funds 2022	Total funds 2022 £	Total funds 2021 £
Educational operations	~	<i>ا</i>	<del>-</del>	<b>∕~</b>
DfE/ESFA grants				
General annual grant (GAG)	-	32.222.919	32.222.919	29.281.687
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Other DfE/ESFA grants				0.000.074
ESFA - pupil premium ESFA - free school meals		2,602,800 118,372	2,602,800 118,372	2,352,671 234,027
Others	-	1,481,136	1,481,136	1,594,596
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	_	36,425,227	36,425,227	33,462,981
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Other local authority grants		1,736,414	1,736,414	1,432,924
Other government grants	-	77,302	77,302	152,939
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	-	-	-	628,940
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Total 2021	2 89 7			-



#### 6. Income from other trading activities

p	Unrestricted	Total	Total
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<u>*</u>	funds <b>2022</b> £	funds 2022 £	funds 2021
Hire of facilities Staff consultancy and other recharges	86,344 82 157	86,344 92 157	6,745 286 102
Total 2021	292,937	292,937	

#### 7. Expenditure

	Staff Costs	Premises	Other	Total	Total
	2022	2022	2022	2022	2021
Educational operations:					
Direct costs Allocated support costs Teaching School:	25,384,711 5,372,120	1,289,341 4,824,661	2,395,617 2,073,690	29,069,669 12,270,471	26,593,673 11,041,103
Direct costs Allocated support costs	-	-	-	- -	100,560 51,482
	30,756,831	6,114,002	4,469,307	41,340,140	37,786,818
Total 2021	26,702,836	6,254,959	4,829,023	37,786,818	



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#### 10. Auditors' remuneration

The auditors' remuneration amounts to an auditor fee of £20,940 (2021 - £20,000), and other services of £5,895 (2021 - £11,210).

#### 11 Staff

#### a. Staff costs

Staff costs during the year were as follows:

Wages and salaries

Social security costs

Pension costs

Agency staff costs

2,054,384 1,931,485

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#### 11. Staff (continued)

#### a. Staff costs (continued)

Staff restructuring costs comprise:

	2022 £	2021 £
Severance payments	48,597	23,951
Development and other staff costs	313,288	684,182
	361,885	708,133

#### b. Severance payments

Included in the above costs are two non statutanilnes contractual normants totalling 600 000. Individual

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The average number of persons employed by the Academy during the year was as follows:

	2022 No.	2021 No.
Teachers and teaching support	530	531
Administration and support	168	171
Management	14	14
	712	716

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

#### 11. Staff (continued)

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The number of employees whose employee henefits (excluding employer pension costs) exceeded

	2022 No.	2021 No.
In the band £60,001 - £70,000	14	13
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In the band £80,001 - £90,000	2	3
In the band £90,001 - £100,000	3	1
In the band £110,001 - £120,000	1 _	1
In the band £130,001 - £140,000	1	1

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#### 12. Central services

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

- Human Resources
- Financial Services
- Legal Services
- Educational Support Services

The Academy charges for these services on the following basis:

4% of GAG income.

The actual amounts charged during the year were as follows:

	2022 £	2021 £
The Grange Academy	245,258	226,086
Whiston Willis Primary Academy	54,251	49,265
Wade Deacon High School	360,035	327,620
Yew Tree Primary Academy	53,665	49,318
Hillside High School	171,579	152,846
Widnes Academy	32,567	30,249
Sylvester Primary Academy	41,792	38,184
Halewood Academy	329,769	297,690
Total	1,288,916	1,171,258

#### 13. Trustees' remuneration and expenses

There are no Trustees who receive remuneration or other benefits from employment within the academy.

During the year ended 31 August 2022, no Trustee expenses have been incurred (2021 - £NIL).

#### 14. Trustees' and Officers' insurance

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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

#### 15. Tangible fixed assets

	<u>Lona</u>	Assets under	Furniture and	Computer	Motor	
	leasehold £	construction £	equipment £	equipment £	vehicles £	Total £
Cost or valuation						
At 1 September 2021	61,138,301	17,674	5,938,612	4,113,288	51,345	71,259,220
Additions	6,528	697,288	805,223	464,517	59,303	2,032,859
Disposals	-	-	-	(1,750)	-	(1,750)
Depreciation						
At 1 September 2021	7,593,069	-	3,662,592	2,553,778	29,649	13,839,088
Charge for the year	1,191,156	-	212,189	407,559	19,095	1,829,999
On disposals			-	(1,750)	-	(1,750)
At 31 August 2022	8,784,225	-	3,874,781	2,959,587	48,744	15,667,337
Net book value						
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#### 16. Debtors

	2022 £	2021 £
Due within one year		
Trade debtors	341,055	62,098
Other debtors	663,765	433,170
Prepayments and accrued income	766,652	664,869
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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

#### 17. Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year

	2022 £	2021 £
Other loans	14,981	14,981
Trade creditors	410,430	682,655
Other creditors	12,338	14,709
Accruals and deferred income	746,787	582,856
	1,184,536	1,295,201
	2022 £	2021 £
Deferred income at 1 September 2021	140,223	207,748
Resources deferred during the year	139_405	1/0 223

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#### 18. Creditors: Amounts falling due after more than one year

	2022 £	2021 £
Other loans	14,981	29,962
Included within the above are amounts falling due as follows:		
	2022 £	2021 £
Retween one and two years	14.981	29.962

Loans of £74,904 from Salix for the provision of energy efficient lighting were provided in the year ended 31 August 2019 on the following terms - interest free and repayable over 5 years.

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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

#### 19. Statement of funds

	Balance at 1 September 2021 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Transfers in/out £	Gains/ (Losses) £	Balance at 31 August 2022 £
Unrestricted funds						
General Funds	1,834,019	723,127	-	-		2,557,146
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Restricted general funds						
General annual	<u></u>		/AA A=A AA			
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	58,069,171	1,437,152	(1,828,251)	1,082,792		58,760,864
Other DfE/ESFA grants	37,3 <mark>4</mark> 7,698	40;481;036	(41,340,140)		18,502,000	54;869;389
Total funds	39,206,709	40,858,162	(41,340,140)	-	18,502,000	57,226,731

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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

#### 19. Statement of funds (continued)

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

#### General fund

Represents amounts derived from the hire of facilities, other trading activities and investment income.

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educational activities.

#### **Other Restricted General Funds**

This represents the balance remaining from other funding provided by the EFSA/DfE and local authorities for the academy trust's educational activities.

#### **Pupil Premium**

Pupil premium is funding to improve education outcomes for disadvantaged pupils.

#### **UIFSN**

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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

#### 19. Statement of funds (continued)

Income Expenditure (Losses) £  751,944  - 2.281.687 (27.872.196) (9.32.541)  234,027 (174,631) - 2,352,671 (2,122,512) 2,594,596 (1,536,901) -	
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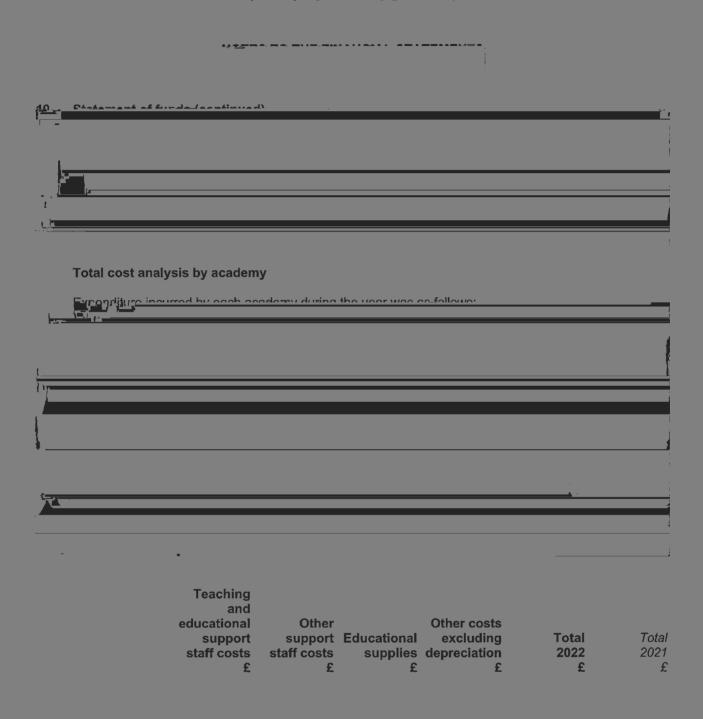
#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

#### 19. Statement of funds (continued)

#### Total funds analysis by academy

	Fund balances at 31 August 2022 were allocated as follows	:	
		2022 £	2021 £
	Wade Deacon High School	1,997,205	2,235,877
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	Widnes Academy	122,614	115,028
	Halewood Academy	1,201,718	695,418
	The Grange Academy	1,607,798	1,213,509

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	Unrestricted funds 2022 £	Restricted funds 2022 £	Restricted fixed asset funds 2022	Total funds 2022 £
Tangible fixed assets	_	_	57,622,992	57,622,992
Current assets	2,557,146	4,058,276	1,167,834	7,783,256
Creditors due within one year	-	(1,169,555)	(14,981)	(1,184,536)
Creditors due in more than one year	-	-	(14,981)	(14,981)
Provisions for liabilities and charges	-	(6,980,000)	-	(6,980,000)
Total	2,557,146	(4,091,279)	58,760,864	57,226,731
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	Unrestricted	Restricted	fixed asset	Total
	funds 2021	funds 2021	funds 2021	funds 2021
	£	£	£	£
Tannible fixed assets	-	~	57.420 132.	57 420 132
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Current assets	1,834,019	4,254,739	693,982	6,782,740
Creditors due within one year	(1)	(1,280,219)	(14,981)	(1,295,201)
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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

#### 21. Reconciliation of net (expenditure)/income to net cash flow from operating activities

		2022 £	£
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		2022 £	2021 £
	Repayments of loans	(14,981)	(14,980)
	Net cash used in financing activities	(14,981)	(14,980)
00			
23.	Cash flows from investing activities		
		2022 £	2021 £
	Purchase of tangible fixed assets	(2,032,861)	(2,434,707)

Proceeds from the sale of tangible fixed assets

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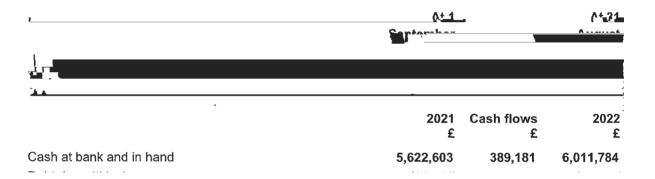
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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

#### 24. Analysis of cash and cash equivalents

	2022 £	2021 £
Cash in hand and at bank	6,011,784	5,622,603
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#### 25. Analysis of changes in net debt



#### 26. Pension commitments

The Academy's employees belong to two principal pension schemes: the Teachers' Pension Scheme England and Wales (TPS) for academic and related staff; and Local Government Pension Schemes (LGPS) for non-teaching staff, which is managed by Cheshire & Merseyside Pension Funds. Both are multi-employer defined benefit schemes.

The latest actuarial valuation of the TPS related to the period ended 31 March 2016 and of the LGPS 31 March 2019.

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

#### **Teachers' Pension Scheme**



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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2022

26. Pension commitments (continued) Valuation of the Teachers' Pension Scheme

#### MOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATISHENTS

#### 26. Pension commitments (continued)

#### Principal actuarial assumptions

	<b>2022</b> %	2021 %
Rate of increase in salaries	4.2	4.1
Rate of increase for pensions in payment/inflation	3.0	2.8
Discount rate for scheme liabilities	4.3	1.7
Land Cardina	2.9	2.8
	50.0	50.0

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

	2022 Years	2021 Years
Retiring today		
Males	21.0	21.1
Females	24.0	24.1
Retiring in 20 years		
Males	22.3	22.6
Females	25.8	26.0
g		
	2022 £000	2021 £000
	(104)	(128)
	105	129
	134	196
Discount rate +0.1%	(133)	(194)
Discount rate -0.1%	97	115
Mortality assumption - 1 year increase	(96)	(114)



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Changes in the present value of the defined benefit obligations were as follows:

	2022 £	2021 £
A & C Print   make in	43,525,000	34,851,000
	2,964,000	2,326,000
*	746,000	619,000
Current service cost	363,000	345,000
Interest cost	(429,000)	(235,000)
Employee contributions	14,000	13,000
Benefits paid	(20,176,000)	5,606,000
Effects of non-routine settlements Actuarial (gains)/losses	27 <u>ባ</u> ያ በበሷ	43.525.000

Chances in the fair value of the Academy's share of scheme assets were as follows:

	2022 £	2021 £
	19,854,000	15,799,000
At 1 September	342,000	286,000
Interest income	363,000	345,000
Employee contributions	(429,000)	(235,000)
Benefits paid	1,571,000	1,486,000
Employer contributions	<del>(1,647,000</del> )	<del>2,173,000</del>
Actuarial dains		

#### 27. Operating lease commitments

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At 31 August 2022 the Academy had commitments to make future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows:

	2022 £	2021 £
Not later than 1 year	2,665,723	2,404,103
Later than 1 year and not later than 5 years	11,336,496	12,560,433
Later than 5 years	28,747,697	30,574,832
M00188W II	42,749,916	<del>45,5</del> 39,368

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