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This is Sale and Davys C.E. Primary School's Publication Scheme on information available under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

The full governing body is responsible for maintenance of this scheme.

# 1. Introduction: what a publication scheme is and why it has been developed

One of the aims of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (which is referred to as FOIA in the rest of this document) is that public authorities, including all maintained schools, should be clear and proactive about the information they will make public.

To do this we must produce a publication scheme, setting out:

- The classes of information which we publish or intend to publish;
- The manner in which the information will be published; and
- Whether the information is available free of charge or on payment.

The scheme covers information already published and information which is to be published in the future. All information in our publication scheme is available in paper form.

Some information which we hold may not be made public, for example personal information.

This publication scheme conforms to the model scheme for schools approved by the Information Commissioner.

# 2. Aims and Objectives

The school aims to:

- promote pupils' spiritual, moral, physical, social and cultural development and prepare all pupils for the opportunities, responsibilities and experiences of life;
- promote Christian values including honesty, caring, sharing and self-discipline;
- encourage children to value themselves and others as part of a world-wide family;
- promote respect for the environment, both natural and man-made.

This publication scheme is a means of showing how we are pursuing these aims.

### 3. Categories of information published

The publication scheme guides you to information which we currently publish (or have recently published) or which we will publish in the future. This is split into categories of information known as 'classes'. These are contained in section 6 of this scheme.

The classes of information that we undertake to make available are organised into four broad topic areas:

School Prospectus information published in the school prospectus

Governors' Documents information published in the Governors Minutes and other governing body documents

Pupils & Curriculum information about policies that relate to pupils and the school curriculum

School Policies & information related to the school information about policies that relate to the school in general



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## 4. How to request information

If you require a paper version of any of the documents within the scheme, please contact the school by telephone, email, or letter. Contact details are set out below.

Email: enquiries@saledavys.derbyshire.sch.uk Tel: 01332 702072

Contact Address: Mrs S Briggs, Headteacher

Sale and Davys C.E. Primary School, Twyford Road, Barrow upon Trent, Derbyshire. DE73 7HA.

To help us process your request quickly, please clearly mark any correspondence "PUBLICATION SCHEME REQUEST".

If the information you're looking for isn't available via the scheme you can still contact the school to ask if we have it.

#### 5. Paying for information

Single copies of information covered by this publication are provided free unless stated otherwise in section 6. If your request means that we have to do a lot of photocopying or printing, or pay a large postage charge, or is for a priced item such as some printed publications or videos we will let you know the cost before fulfilling your request. Where there is a charge this will be indicated by a £ sign in the description box.

### 6. Classes of Information Currently Published

#### School Prospectus

this section sets out information published in the school prospectus.

Class	Description	
School Prospectus	The statutory contents of the school prospectus are as follows, (other items may be included in the prospectus at the school's discretion):	
	<ul> <li>the name, address and telephone number of the school, and the type of school</li> <li>the names of the head teacher and chair of governors</li> <li>information on the school policy on admissions</li> <li>a statement of the school's vision and aims</li> <li>details of any affiliations with a particular religion or religious denomination, the religious education provided, parents' right to withdraw their child from religious education and collective worship and the alternative provision for those pupils</li> <li>information about the school's policy on providing for pupils with special educational needs</li> <li>number of pupils on roll and rates of pupils' authorised and unauthorised absences</li> <li>National Curriculum assessment results for appropriate Key Stages, with national summary figures</li> <li>the arrangements for visits to the school by prospective parents</li> </ul>	

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School Profile and other information relating to the governing body

This section sets out information published on the school website and in other governing body documents.

Class	Description
Instrument of Government	<ul> <li>The name of the school</li> <li>The category of the school</li> <li>The name of the governing body</li> <li>The manner in which the governing body is constituted</li> <li>The term of office of each category of governor if less than 4 years</li> <li>The name of any body entitled to appoint any category of governor</li> <li>Details of any trust</li> <li>If the school has a religious character, a description of the ethos</li> <li>The date the instrument takes effect</li> </ul>
Minutes <sup>1</sup> of meeting of the Governing Body and its committees	Agreed minutes of meetings of the governing body and its committees (current and last full academic year)

 $<sup>1 \</sup> Some \ information \ might be \ confidential \ or \ otherwise \ exempt \ from \ the \ publication \ by \ law-we \ cannot \ therefore \ publish \ this.$ 

## Pupils & Curriculum Policies

This section gives access to information about policies that relate to pupils and the school curriculum.

Class	Description
Home – school agreement	Statement of the school's aims and values, the school's responsibilities, the parental responsibilities and the school's expectations of its pupils for example homework arrangements
Curriculum Policy	Statement on following the policy for the secular curriculum subjects and religious education and schemes of work and syllabuses currently used by the school
Sex Education Policy	Statement of policy with regard to sex and relationship education
Special Education Needs Policy	Information about the school's policy on providing for pupils with special educational needs
Accessibility Plans	Plan for increasing participation of disabled pupils in the school's curriculum, improving the accessibility of the physical environment and improving delivery of information to disabled pupils.
Race Equality Policy	Statement of policy for promoting race equality
Collective Worship	Statement of arrangements for the required daily act of collective worship
Child Protection Policy	Statement of policy for safeguarding and promoting welfare of pupils at the school.
Pupil Discipline	Statement of general principles on behaviour and discipline and of measures taken by the head teacher to prevent bullying.

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#### School Policies and other information related to the school

This section gives access to information about policies that relate to the school in general.

Class	Description
Published reports	Published report of the last inspection of the school and the summary of the report and
of Ofsted referring	where appropriate inspection reports of religious education in those schools designated
expressly to the	as having a religious character
school	
Charging and	A statement of the school's policy with respect to charges and remissions for any optional
Remissions	extra or board and lodging for which charges are permitted, for example school
Policies	publications, music tuition, trips
School session	Details of school session and dates of school terms and holidays
times and term	
dates	
Health and Safety	Statement of general policy with respect to health and safety at work of employees (and
Policy and risk	others) and the organisation and arrangements for carrying out the policy
assessment	
Complaints	Statement of procedures for dealing with complaints
procedure	
Performance	Statement of procedures adopted by the governing body relating to the performance
Management of	management of staff and the annual report of the head teacher on the effectiveness of
Staff	appraisal procedures
Staff Conduct,	Statement of procedure for regulating conduct and discipline of school staff and
Discipline and	procedures by which staff may seek redress for grievance
Grievance	
Curriculum	Any statutory instruments, departmental circulars and administrative memoranda sent by
circulars and	the Department of Education and Skills to the head teacher or governing body relating to
statutory	the curriculum
instruments	
Annex A - Other	Annex A provides a list of other documents that are held by the school and are available
documents	on request

### 7. Feedback and Complaints

We welcome any comments or suggestions you may have about the scheme. If you want to make any comments about this publication scheme or if you require further assistance or wish to make a complaint then initially this should be addressed to Mrs Sarah Briggs, Headteacher, Sale & Davys CE Controlled Primary School, Twyford Road, Barrow on Trent, Derbyshire, DE73 7HA.

If you are not satisfied with the assistance that you get or if we have not been able to resolve your complaint and you feel that a formal complaint needs to be made then this should be addressed to the Information Commissioner's Office. This is the organisation that ensures compliance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and that deals with formal complaints.

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They can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

or Enquiry/Information Line: 01625 545 700

E Mail: publications@ic-foi.demon.co.uk.

Website: www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk

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Name of Document Description

Newsletters Monthly publication to parents and governors

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