

THE SHORE PRE-SCHOOL

England & Wales · Charity number 1080344

Details

Status Registered

Legal form Other

Registered 2000-04-14

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

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Activities

Objects: THE AIMS OF THE PRE-SCHOOL ARE TO ENHANCE THE DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION OF CHILDREN PRIMARILY UNDER STATUTORY SCHOOL AGE BY ENCOURAGING PARENTS TO UNDERSTAND AND PROVIDE FOR THE NEEDS OF THEIR CHILDREN THROUGH COMMUNITY GROUPS AND BY:(A) OFFERING APPROPRIATE PLAY, EDUCATION AND CARE FACILITIES, FAMILY LEARNING AND EXTENDED HOURS GROUPS, TOGETHER WITH THE RIGHT OF PARENTS TO TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR AND TO BECOME INVOLVED IN THE ACTIVITIES OF SUCH GROUPS, ENSURING THAT SUCH GROUPS OFFER OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL CHILDREN WHATEVER THEIR RACE, CULTURE, RELIGION, MEANS OR ABILITY;(B) ENCOURAGING THE STUDY OF THE NEEDS OF SUCH CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES AND PROMOTING PUBLIC INTEREST IN AND RECOGNITION OF SUCH NEEDS IN THE LOCAL AREAS;(C) INSTIGATING AND ADHERING TO AND FURTHERING THE AIMS AND OBJECTS OF THE PRE-SCHOOL LEARNING ALLIANCE.

Activities: Provision of supervised Pre-school learning and play in Southampton.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Human Resources, Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space
- **What:** Education/training
- **Who:** Children/young People, People With Disabilities

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** NOT DEFINED. IN PRACTICE WESTON, SOUTHAMPTON.
- Southampton City

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£0	£501,916	£196,340	27
2024-03-31	£471,551	£422,312	-	-
2023-03-31	£262,434	£243,014	-	-
2022-03-31	£218,399	£234,816	-	-
2021-03-31	£233,953	£221,545	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Gemma Giles		2024-03-15
Katrina Constable		2024-03-15
Maxine Potheary		2024-03-15

Linked charities

- THE SHORE WOOLSTON (1080344-1)

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The Shore Pre-School Information

Trustees

Miss K Constable (Chairperson)
Ms G Giles
Ms M Potheary

Accountants

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**The Shore Pre-School
Trustee's annual report
for the year ended 31 March 2025**

The trustees present their report together with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2025.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out on page 7 and comply with the charity's constitution, the Charities Act 2011 and the Charities SORP.

Governing document

The organisation is constituted with charitable principles governed by a Standard Pre-School Learning Alliance (PLA) constitution. In the event of the organisation being dissolved, the members have no liabilities. Any assets would be transferred to the PLA.

Manangement committee

Committee members are elected for a term of one year, and can be re-elected for a total term not to exceed ten consecutive years.

Membership

Membership is divided into two types, family and affiliate. Family membership covers parents and guardians of children attending the pre-school. Affiliate membership is open to individuals, organisations or other bodies interested in supporting the aims of the pre-school.

Objects and activities

The organisation's aims are to enhance the development and education, primarily under the statutory school age. The organisation promotes these aims through offering appropriate play, education and care facilities.

Public benefit

The main activities for public benefit undertaken during the year were the provision of child care sessions from Monday to Friday for 38 weeks of the year.

The trustees are responsible for the overall running of the pre-school and held regular meetings during the year. The trustees have had regard to the guidance on public benefit issued by the Charities Commission, when exercising any powers or duties to which the guidance may be relevant.

Reserves policy

The trustees have decided that reserves are required to; cover short term expenditure incurred whilst waiting for the next funding payment, provide security for the future of the pre-school, enable the pre-school to meet statutory requirements for sick pay for it's staff and to meet redundancy costs in the event of the pre-school closing.

At 31 March 2025 unrestricted reserves totalled £182,091 and restricted reserves totalled £14,249, giving total reserves of £196,340.

**The Shore Pre-School
Trustee's annual report
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Financial review and funding

The principal funding source continues to be the subsidy provided by Southampton City Council. These funds are topped up by the fees charged to parents and guardians, together with the other fund raising activities.

This year the organisation has continued to expand the education and care facilities to include specific staff training and equipment for special needs children.

The organisation continues to work towards raising money for capital equipment.

Statement of trustees responsibilities;

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The law applicable to charities in England & Wales/Northern Ireland requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and of the incoming resources and application of resources of the charity for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP 2015 (FRS 102);
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable 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 charity will continue in operation.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 and the provisions of the trust deed. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Approved by the management committee on 19.12.25

Signed on it's behalf by;



Katrina Constable
Chair

The Shore Pre-School

Registered charity number 1080344

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of The Shore Pre-School on the accounts for the Year ended 31 March 2025

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Charity for the year ended 31 March 2025, which are set out on pages 5 to 8.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity's trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ('the Act').

I report in respect of my examination of the charity's accounts carried out under section 145 of the Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed applicable Directions given by the charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent Examiner's Statement

The charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of ICAEW.

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair view' which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

J Cochrane, FCA



ICAEW

Cochrane & Co Accountants Limited, 38 Kings Road, Lee-on-the-Solent, Hampshire, PO13 9NU

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**The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31 March 2025**

	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Total Funds 2025 £	Total Funds 2024 £
Incoming resources				
Grants				
Fees	237,720	191,543	429,263	382,400
Fundraising	13,124	12,493	25,617	39,859
Bank interest	307	248	555	743
Transferred from Weston Pre-School	1,129	-	1,129	1,067
Other grants	-	-	-	10,312
Other	33,257	24,274	57,531	37,170
	-	5,700	5,700	-
Total Incoming resources	285,537	234,258	519,795	471,551
Resources expended				
Fee earning activities				
Wages and salaries	211,195	184,395	395,590	323,236
Employer's NI	11,829	9,639	21,468	13,485
Employers pension	3,745	2,757	6,502	4,777
Staff benefits	1,497	1,613	3,110	2,488
Rent	11,961	14,196	26,157	26,920
Insurance	790	-	790	1,647
Recruitment	284	-	284	551
Milk	1,276	880	2,156	2,113
Clothing costs	800	1,390	2,190	2,123
Trips and events	200	545	745	1,358
Christmas	34	220	254	576
Equipment, including garden	5,626	5,988	11,614	15,117
	249,237	221,623	470,860	394,391

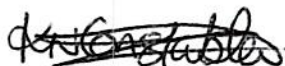
**The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31 March 2025**

Governance costs				
Bookkeeping	1,320	1,140	2,460	2,380
Stationery, postage and photocopying	2,805	1,768	4,573	3,416
Accountancy	1,742	1,230	2,972	2,783
Telephone	1,114	772	1,886	1,283
Repairs and renewals-property	674	359	1,033	2,952
Subscriptions	-	35	35	85
Staff training	1,197	1,251	2,448	2,437
Depreciation	2,974	4,793	7,767	6,096
DBS	321	267	588	744
Cleaning	4,923	1,807	6,730	4,505
Bank charges	-	95	95	-
Other	335	134	469	1,240
	<u>17,405</u>	<u>13,651</u>	<u>31,056</u>	<u>27,921</u>
Total resources expended	<u>266,642</u>	<u>235,274</u>	<u>501,916</u>	<u>422,312</u>
Net incoming resources	<u>18,895 -</u>	<u>1,016</u>	<u>17,879</u>	<u>49,239</u>
Reconciliation of funds;				
Total funds brought forward	163,196	15,265	178,461	129,222
Total funds carried forward	<u>182,091</u>	<u>14,249</u>	<u>196,340</u>	<u>178,461</u>

**The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Position
as at 31 March 2025**

	Notes	2025 £	2024 £
Fixed assets			
Equipment, machinery and motor vehicles	12	23,300	18,287
Current assets			
Stock of clothing	150	150	
Outstanding fees	3,245	3,748	
Cash at bank	172,766	161,010	
Prepayments	-	790	
	176,161	165,698	
Current liabilities			
Accruals	3,121	5,524	
Net current assets		173,040	160,174
Net assets		<u>196,340</u>	<u>178,461</u>
Funds of charity			
Unrestricted fund		163,196	129,222
Net unrestricted surplus for the year		18,895	33,974
Restricted fund		14,249	15,265
		<u>196,340</u>	<u>178,461</u>

These accounts were approved by the trustees on 19. 12. 25 and signed on it's behalf by;



Katrina Constable
Chair

**The Shore Pre-School
Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 31 March 2025**

1 Accounting policies

Basis of preparation of accounts

The accounts have been compiled on an accruals basis for the information of the pre-school committee and its members. As such, the preparation of these accounts is governed by the SORP (FRS 102) and with the Charities Act 2011.

The accounts include the transactions of both The Shore Pre-School and its linked charity. The linked charities figures are included in restricted funds.

The charity is unincorporated.
The charity is a public benefit entity.

Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the Statement of Financial Activities, when the charity becomes entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

Fee income is received from the local Education Authority and from parents and guardians. This is included in the accounts on a receivable basis.

Clothing, brochures and items for resale are included as income when they are sold.

Income from grants and subsidies are accounted for when received.

Outgoing resources

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT, which cannot be recovered and is reported as part of the expenditure to which it relates.

Charitable expenditure comprises those costs incurred by the organisation delivering its services to the members. It includes both costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.

Governance costs include those costs associated with meeting the constitutional and statutory requirements of the organisation.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the management committee in furtherance of the aims of the organisation. Restricted funds represent the funds of the linked charity.

Stocks

Stock represents the value of unsold clothing and brochures at the balance sheet date.

Depreciation

Depreciation has been provided at 25% reducing balance

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Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 31 March 2025

- 2 Pre-School Learning Alliance**
The pre-school is a member of the Pre-School Learning Alliance, and as such, is exempt from taxation on its activities.
- 3 Management Committee**
No members of the management committee received any remuneration during the year.

No committee member or other person related to the charity had any personal interest in any contract or transaction entered into by the organisation during the year.
- 4 Accumulated Fund**
All funds and assets are for the benefit of the pre-school members.
- 5 Employee numbers**
There were 27 employees during the year (2024 29 employees).
- 6 Presentation currency**
The accounts are presented in Sterling.
- 7 Independent examiners fees**
During the year fees of £2,784 were paid to the Independent examiner.
- 8 Trustee remuneration**
During the year two trustees were paid remuneration as follows;
Ms G Giles £46,340
M Potheary £34,584
Amounts were paid via their contracts of employment with the pre-school.
- 9 Trustees expenses**
No expenses were paid to trustees in the year.
- 10 Employees**
No individual employee was paid over £60,000.
- 11 Related party transactions.**
There are no related party transactions.

**The Shore Pre-School
Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 31 March 2025**

12 Plant, machinery and motor vehicles

	Plant and machinery £
Cost	45,589
At 1 April 2024	12,780
Additions	<u>58,369</u>
At 31 March 2025	
Depreciation	27,302
At 1 April 2024	7,767
Charge for the year	<u>35,069</u>
At 31 March 2025	
Net book value	<u>23,300</u>
At 31 March 2025	<u>18,287</u>
At 31 March 2024	

Of the assets purchased during the year £2,547 related to the linked charity.

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Approved by the management committee on

Signed on it's behalf by;

Katrina Constable
Chair

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I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Charity for the year ended 31 March 2024, which are set out on pages 5 to 8.

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The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31 March 2024

	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Total Funds 2024 £	Total Funds 2023 £
Incoming resources				
Grants	225,816	156,584	382,400	205,379
Fees	21,503	18,356	39,859	22,241
Fundraising	530	213	743	565
Bank interest	1,067	0	1,067	182
Transferred from Weston Pre-School	-	10,312	10,312	-
Other grants	-	37,170	37,170	34,067
Total Incoming resources	248,916	222,635	471,551	262,434
Resources expended				
Fee earning activities				
Wages and salaries	168,345	154,891	323,236	199,189
Employer's NI	7,787	5,698	13,485	5,426
Employers pension	3,252	1,525	4,777	2,962
Staff benefits	985	1,503	2,488	2,394
Rent	11,960	14,960	26,920	11,443
Insurance	1,041	606	1,647	1,003
Recruitment	227	324	551	131
Milk	1,221	892	2,113	2,682
Clothing costs	304	1,819	2,123	772
Trips and events	677	681	1,358	643
Christmas	103	473	576	132
Equipment, including garden	3,346	11,771	15,117	2,538
	199,248	195,143	394,391	229,315

The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31 March 2024

Governance costs

Bookkeeping	1,450	930	2,380	1,230
Stationery, postage and photocopying	1,582	1,834	3,416	1,008
Accountancy	1,763	1,020	2,783	1,242
Telephone	1,283	0	1,283	902
Repairs and renewals-property	1,311	1,641	2,952	71
Subscriptions	50	35	85	285
Staff training	1,082	1,355	2,437	3,870
Depreciation	3,117	2,979	6,096	2,173
DBS	240	504	744	129
Cleaning	3,258	1,247	4,505	2,420
Other	558	682	1,240	369

15,694	12,227	27,921	13,699
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Total resources expended

214,942	207,370	422,312	243,014
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Net incoming resources

33,974	15,265	49,239	19,420
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Reconciliation of funds;

Total funds brought forward	129,222	0	129,222	109,802
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Total funds carried forward

163,196	15,265	178,461	129,222
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**The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Position
as at 31 March 2024**

	Notes	2024 £	2023 £
Fixed assets			
Equipment, machinery and motor vehicles	12	18,287	6,518
Current assets			
Stock of clothing	150	150	
Outstanding fees	3,748	696	
Cash at bank	161,010	122,316	
Cash in hand	-	585	
Prepayments	790	1,032	
	165,698	124,779	
Current liabilities			
Accruals	5,524	2,075	
Net current assets		160,174	122,704
Net assets		178,461	129,222
Funds of charity			
Unrestricted fund		129,222	109,802
Net unrestricted surplus for the year		33,974	19,420
Restricted fund		15,265	-
		178,461	129,222

These accounts were approved by the trustees on

and signed on it's behalf by;

Katrina Constable
Chair

**The Shore Pre-School
Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 31 March 2024**

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3 Management Committee

No members of the management committee received any remuneration during the year.

No committee member or other person related to the charity had any personal interest in any contract or transaction entered into by the organisation during the year.

4 Accumulated Fund

All funds and assets are for the benefit of the pre-school members.

5 Employee numbers

There were 29 employees during the year (2023 17 employees).

6 Presentation currency

The accounts are presented in Sterling.

7 Independent examiners fees

During the year fees of £1,242 were paid to the Independent examiner.

8 Trustee remuneration

During the year two trustees were paid remuneration as follows;

Ms G Giles £43,496

M Potheary £33,553

Amounts were paid via their contracts of employment with the pre-school.

9 Trustees expenses

No expenses were paid to trustees in the year.

10 Employees

No individual employee was paid over £60,000.

11 Related party transactions.

There are no related party transactions.

The Shore Pre-School
Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 31 March 2024

12 Plant, machinery and motor vehicles

	Plant and machinery £
Cost	
At 1 April 2023	27,724
Additions	17,865
At 31 March 2024	<u>45,589</u>
Depreciation	
At 1 April 2023	21,206
Charge for the year	6,096
At 31 March 2024	<u>27,302</u>
Net book value	
At 31 March 2024	<u>18,287</u>
At 31 March 2023	<u>6,518</u>

Of the assets purchased during the year £11,917 related to the linked charity.

THE SHORE PRE-SCHOOL

England & Wales - Charity number 1080344

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**The Shore Pre-School
Structure, Governance and Management
Trustee's annual report
for the year ended 31 March 2023**

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Reserves policy

The trustees have decided that reserves are required to; cover short term expenditure incurred whilst waiting for the next funding payment, provide security for the future of the pre-school, enable the pre-school to meet statutory requirements for sick pay for its staff and to meet redundancy costs in the event of the pre-school closing.

At 31 March 2023 unrestricted reserves totalled £129,222 and restricted reserves totalled £nil, giving total reserves of £129,222.

**The Shore Pre-School
Structure, Governance and Management
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Financial review and funding

The principal funding source continues to be the subsidy provided by Southampton City Council. These funds are topped up by the fees charged to parents and guardians, together with the other fund raising activities.

This year the organisation has continued to expand the education and care facilities to include specific staff training and equipment for special needs children.

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Approved by the management committee on 18.01.24

Signed on it's behalf by;



Katrina Constable
Chair

The Shore Pre-School

Registered charity number 1080344

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of The Shore Pre-School on the accounts for the Year ended 31 March 2023

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Charity for the year ended 31 March 2023, which are set out on pages 5 to 8.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity's trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2022 ('the Act').

I report in respect of my examination of the charity's accounts carried out under section 145 of the Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed applicable Directions given by the charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent Examiner's Statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair view' which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

J Cochrane, FCA



29 January 2024

Cochrane & Co Accountants Limited, 38 Kings Road, Lee-on-the-Solent, Hampshire, PO13 9NU

The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31 March 2023

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total Funds 2023	Total Funds 2022
	£	£	£	£
Incoming resources				
Grants	205,379	-	205,379	188,401
Fees	22,241	-	22,241	13,185
Fundraising	565	-	565	231
Bank interest	182	-	182	9
Donations	-	-	-	601
Other grants	-	34,067	34,067	15,840
Other	-	-	-	132
Total Incoming resources	228,367	34,067	262,434	218,399
Resources expended				
Fee earning activities				
Wages and salaries	165,122	34,067	199,189	186,266
Employer's NI	5,426	-	5,426	5,719
Employers pension	2,962	-	2,962	2,810
Staff benefits	2,394	-	2,394	800
Rent	11,443	-	11,443	10,751
Insurance	1,003	-	1,003	981
Recruitment	131	-	131	148
Milk	2,682	-	2,682	4,537
Clothing costs	772	-	772	1,584
Fundraising costs	0	-	-	43
Trips and events	643	-	643	-
Christmas	132	-	132	531
Equipment, including garden	2,538	-	2,538	7,451
	195,248	34,067	229,315	221,621

The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31 March 2023

Governance costs

Bookkeeping	1,230	-	1,230	1,180
Stationery, postage and photocopying	1,008	-	1,008	1,096
Accountancy	1,242	-	1,242	1,146
Telephone	902	-	902	637
Repairs and renewals-property	71	-	71	156
Subscriptions	285	-	285	50
Staff training	3,870	-	3,870	2,330
Depreciation	2,173	-	2,173	2,672
DBS	129	-	129	448
Cleaning	2,420	-	2,420	1,623
Other	369	-	369	1,857

13,699	-	13,699	13,195
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Total resources expended

208,947	34,067	243,014	234,816
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Net incoming resources

19,420	0	19,420	(16,417)
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Reconciliation of funds;

Total funds brought forward	109,802	0	109,802	126,219
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Total funds carried forward

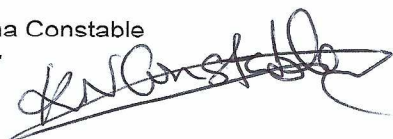
129,222	0	129,222	109,802
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**The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Position
as at 31 March 2023**

	Notes	2023 £	2022 £
Fixed assets			
Equipment, machinery and motor vehicles	12	6,518	8,013
Current assets			
Stock of clothing	150	150	
Outstanding fees	696	668	
Cash at bank	122,316	101,952	
Cash in hand	585	501	
Prepayments	1,032	1,002	
	<u>124,779</u>	<u>104,273</u>	
Current liabilities			
Accruals	<u>2,075</u>	<u>2,484</u>	
Net current assets		122,704	101,789
Net assets		<u>129,222</u>	<u>109,802</u>
Unrestricted funds			
General fund		109,802	126,219
Net surplus/(deficit) for the year		19,420	(16,417)
		<u>129,222</u>	<u>109,802</u>

These accounts were approved by the trustees on **18.01.24** and signed on it's behalf by;

Katrina Constable
Chair



**The Shore Pre-School
Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 31 March 2023**

1 Accounting policies

Basis of preparation of accounts

The accounts have been compiled on an accruals basis for the information of the pre-school committee and its members. As such, the preparation of these accounts is governed by the SORP (FRS 102).

The charity is unincorporated.

The charity is a public benefit entity.

Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the Statement of Financial Activities, when the charity becomes entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

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Outgoing resources

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT, which cannot be recovered and is reported as part of the expenditure to which it relates.

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Governance costs include those costs associated with meeting the constitutional and statutory requirements of the organisation.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the management committee in furtherance of the aims of the organisation.

Stocks

Stock represents the value of unsold clothing and brochures at the balance sheet date.

Depreciation

Depreciation has been provided at 25% reducing balance

The Shore Pre-School
Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 31 March 2023

2 Pre-School Learning Alliance

The pre-school is a member of the Pre-School Learning Alliance, and as such, is exempt from taxation on its activities.

3 Management Committee

No members of the management committee received any remuneration during the year.

No committee member or other person related to the charity had any personal interest in any contract or transaction entered into by the organisation during the year.

4 Accumulated Fund

All funds and assets are for the benefit of the pre-school members.

5 Employee numbers

There were 17 employees during the year (2022 19 employees).

6 Presentation currency

The accounts are presented in Sterling.

7 Independent examiners fees

During the year fees of £1,146 were paid to the Independent examiner.

8 Trustee remuneration

During the year two trustees were paid remuneration as follows;

Ms G Giles £27,500

M Potheary £25,658

Amounts were paid via their contracts of employment with the pre-school.

9 Trustees expenses

No expenses were paid to trustees in the year.

10 Employees

No individual employee was paid over £60,000.

11 Related party transactions.

There are no related party transactions.

The Shore Pre-School
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for the year ended 31 March 2023

12 Plant, machinery and motor vehicles

	Plant and machinery £
Cost	
At 1 April 2022	27,046
Additions	678
At 31 March 2023	<u>27,724</u>
Depreciation	
At 1 April 2022	19,033
Charge for the year	2,173
At 31 March 2023	<u>21,206</u>
Net book value	
At 31 March 2023	<u>6,518</u>
At 31 March 2022	<u>8,013</u>

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At 31 March 2022 unrestricted reserves totalled £109,802 and restricted reserves totalled £nil, giving total reserves of £109,802.

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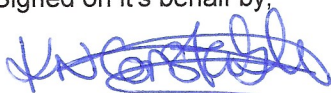
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Approved by the management committee on

9/11/22

Signed on it's behalf by;



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The Shore Pre-School

Registered charity number 1080344

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J Cochrane, FCA

Cochrane & Co Accountants Limited, 38 Kings Road, Lee-on-the-Solent, Hampshire, PO13 9NU

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14/11/22

The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31 March 2022

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total Funds 2022	Total Funds 2021
	£	£	£	£
Incoming resources				
Grants	188,401	-	188,401	213,438
Fees	13,185	-	13,185	5,290
Fundraising	231	-	231	384
Bank interest	9	-	9	13
Donations	601	-	601	40
Other grants	-	15,840	15,840	14,724
Other	132	-	132	64
Total Incoming resources	202,559	15,840	218,399	233,953
Resources expended				
Fee earning activities				
Wages and salaries	170,426	15,840	186,266	173,035
Employer's NI	5,719	-	5,719	4,267
Employers pension	2,810	-	2,810	2,489
Rent	10,751	-	10,751	10,338
Insurance	981	-	981	981
Recruitment	148	-	148	-
Milk	4,537	-	4,537	2,558
Clothing costs	1,584	-	1,584	1,042
Fundraising costs	43	-	43	-
Trips and events	-	-	-	99
Christmas	531	-	531	44
Equipment, including garden	7,451	-	7,451	7,394
	204,981	15,840	220,821	202,247

The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31 March 2022

Governance costs

Bookkeeping	1,180	-	1,180	1,210
Stationery, postage and photocopying	1,096	-	1,096	1,524
Accountancy	1,146	-	1,146	1,092
Telephone	637	-	637	917
Repairs and renewals-property	156	-	156	5,904
Subscriptions	50	-	50	50
Staff training	2,330	-	2,330	630
Depreciation	2,672	-	2,672	3,302
DBS	448	-	448	263
Cleaning	1,623	-	1,623	2,555
Other	2,657	-	2,657	1,851

13,995	-	13,995	19,298
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Total resources expended

218,976	15,840	234,816	221,545
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Net incoming resources

(16,417)	0	(16,417)	12,408
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Reconciliation of funds;

Total funds brought forward	126,219	0	126,219	113,811
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Total funds carried forward

109,802	0	109,802	126,219
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The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Position
as at 31 March 2022

	Notes	2022 £	2021 £
Fixed assets			
Equipment, machinery and motor vehicles	12	8,013	9,904
Current assets			
Stock of clothing		150	150
Outstanding fees		668	444
Cash at bank		101,952	116,387
Cash in hand		501	242
Prepayments		1,002	981
		<u>104,273</u>	<u>118,204</u>
Current liabilities			
Accruals		<u>2,484</u>	<u>1,889</u>
Net current assets		101,789	116,315
Net assets		<u>109,802</u>	<u>126,219</u>
Unrestricted funds			
General fund		126,219	113,811
Net surplus/(deficit) for the year		(16,417)	12,408
		<u>109,802</u>	<u>126,219</u>

These accounts were approved by the trustees on 9/11/22 and signed on it's behalf by;



Katrina Constable
Chair

**The Shore Pre-School
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for the year ended 31 March 2022**

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**The Shore Pre-School
Structure, Governance and Management
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Approved by the management committee on 08-09-21

Signed on it's behalf by:



Katrina Constable
Chair

The Shore Pre-School

Registered charity number 1088344

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Responsibilities and basis of report:

As the charity's trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ('the Act').

I report in respect of my examination of the charity's accounts carried out under section 145 of the Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed applicable Directions given by the charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent Examiner's Statement:

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair view' which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

J Cochrane, FCA:

Cochrane & Co Accountants Limited 38 Kings Road, Lee-on-the-Solent, Hampshire PO13 9NU

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6/10/21

The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31 March 2021

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total Funds 2021	Total Funds 2020
	£	£	£	£
Incoming resources:				
Grants	213,438	-	213,438	221,197
Fees	5,290	-	5,290	10,671
Fundraising	384	-	384	348
Bank interest	13	-	13	20
Donations	40	-	40	-
Other grants	-	14,724	14,724	10,548
Other	64	-	64	145
Total Incoming resources	219,229	14,724	233,953	242,929
Resources expended				
Fee-earning activities:				
Wages and salaries	158,311	14,724	173,035	170,341
Employer's NI	4,267	-	4,267	4,631
Employers' pension	2,489	-	2,489	2,083
Rent	10,338	-	10,338	10,037
Insurance	981	-	981	919
Recruitment	0	-	-	300
Milk	2,558	-	2,558	3,061
Clothing costs	1,042	-	1,042	1,359
Fundraising costs	0	-	-	198
Trips and events	99	-	99	1,182
Christmas	44	-	44	447
Equipment, including garden	7,394	-	7,394	9,594
	187,528	14,724	202,247	204,152

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Governance costs

Bookkeeping	1,210	-	1,210	1,200
Stationery, postage and photocopying	1,524	-	1,524	1,622
Accountancy	1,092	-	1,092	1,068
Telephone	917	-	917	1,069
Repairs and renewals-property	5,904	-	5,904	918
Subscriptions	50	-	50	58
Staff training	630	-	630	3,870
Depreciation	3,302	-	3,302	3,804
DBS	263	-	263	95
Cleaning	2,555	-	2,555	1,773
Other	1,851	-	1,851	2,843
Photographs	-	-	-	-
	19,298	-	19,298	18,320

Total resources expended

206,821	14,724	221,545	222,472
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Net incoming resources

12,408	0	12,408	20,457
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Reconciliation of funds;

Total funds brought forward

113,811	0	113,811	93,354
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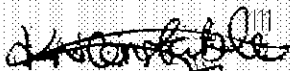
Total funds carried forward

126,219	0	126,219	113,811
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**The Shore Pre-School
Statement of Financial Position
as at 31 March 2021**

	Notes	2021 £	2020 £
Fixed assets			
Equipment, machinery and motor vehicles	12	9,904	11,410
Current assets			
Stock of clothing	150	150	
Outstanding fees	444	185	
Cash at bank	118,887	102,899	
Cash in hand	242	50	
Prepayments	981	982	
	118,204	104,266	
Current liabilities			
Accruals	1,889	1,865	
Net current assets		116,315	102,401
Net assets		126,219	113,811
Unrestricted funds			
General fund		113,811	93,354
Net surplus/(deficit) for the year		12,408	20,457
		126,219	113,811

These accounts were approved by the trustees on 08-07-21 and signed on it's behalf by:



Katrina Constable -
Chair

The Shore Pre-School
Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 31 March 2021

1 Accounting policies

Basis of preparation of accounts

The accounts have been compiled on an accruals basis for the information of the pre-school committee and its members. As such, the preparation of these accounts is governed by the SORP (FRS 102).

The charity is unincorporated.

The charity is a public benefit entity.

Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the Statement of Financial Activities, when the charity becomes entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

Fee income is received from the local Education Authority, and from parents and guardians. This is included in the accounts on a received basis.

Clothing, brochures and items for resale are included as income when they are sold.

Income from grants and subsidies are accounted for when received.

Outgoing resources

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be recovered and is reported as part of the expenditure to which it relates.

Charitable expenditure comprises those costs incurred by the organisation delivering its services to the members. It includes both costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.

Governance costs include those costs associated with meeting the constitutional and statutory requirements of the organisation.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the management committee in furtherance of the aims of the organisation.

Stocks

Stock represents the value of unsold clothing and brochures at the balance sheet date.

Depreciation

Depreciation has been provided at 25% reducing balance.

The Shore Pre-School
Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 31 March 2021

2. Pre-School Learning Alliance:

The pre-school is a member of the Pre-School Learning Alliance, and as such, is exempt from taxation on its activities.

3. Management Committee

No members of the management committee received any remuneration during the year.

No committee member or other person related to the charity had any personal interest in any contract or transaction entered into by the organisation during the year.

4. Accumulated Fund

All funds and assets are for the benefit of the pre-school members.

5. Employee numbers

There were 15 employees during the year (2020: 16 employees).

6. Presentation currency

The accounts are presented in Sterling.

7. Independent examiners fees

During the year fees of £1,068 were paid to the independent examiner.

8. Trustee remuneration

During the year two trustees were paid remuneration as follows:

Ms G Giles £24,850

M Potheary £23,011

Amounts were paid via their contracts of employment with the pre-school.

9. Trustees expenses

No expenses were paid to trustees in the year.

10. Employees

No individual employee was paid over £60,000.

11. Related party transactions

There are no related party transactions.

The Shore Pre-School
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for the year ended 31 March 2021

12 Plant, machinery and motor vehicles

	Plant and machinery £
Cost:	
At 1 April 2020	24,469.00
Additions	1,796.00
At 31 March 2021	<u>26,265.00</u>
Depreciation:	
At 1 April 2020	13,059.00
Charge for the year	3,302.00
At 31 March 2021	<u>16,361.00</u>
Net book value	
At 31 March 2021	<u>9,904.00</u>
At 31 March 2020	<u>11,410.00</u>