

THE DESAI FAMILY CHARITY TRUST

England & Wales · Charity number 1091275

Details

Status Registered

Legal form Other

Registered 2013-08-20

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

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Activities

Objects: THE TRUSTEES SHALL HOLD THE TRUST FUND AND ITS INCOME UPON TRUST TO APPLY THEM FOR THE FOLLOWING OBJECTS (THE OBJECTS) IN INDIA (THE AREA OF BENEFIT)1) TO ADVANCE EDUCATION AND;2) TO FURTHER SUCH OTHER CHARITABLE PURPOSES AS THE TRUSTEES MAY DECIDE

Activities: The charity makes grants to educational institutions and community projects. It sponsors students pursuing higher education and provides educational tools to the schools. It has purchased land for the construction of a new school and provided finance for the construction of a 300 seater hall for a school assembly.

Classification

- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Makes Grants To Organisations, Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space
- **What:** Education/training, Economic/community Development/employment
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** INDIA
- India
- Northern Ireland
- Scotland

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£133,598	£141,806	-	-
2024-03-31	£83,286	£66,360	-	-
2023-03-31	£21,910	£12,017	-	-
2022-03-31	£21,451	£29,026	-	-
2021-03-31	£39	£11,145	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Dr Anil Laxmirant Desai		2013-10-18
Dr Shaila Desai		2013-10-18

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Accounts

REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 1091275

**Report of the Trustees and
Unaudited Financial Statements for the Year Ended 5 April 2025
for
The Desai Family Charity Trust**

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The Desai Family Charity Trust

Report of the Trustees for the Year Ended 5 April 2025

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 5 April 2025. The trustees have adopted the provisions of Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019).

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objectives and aims

The objectives of the charity as per its governing document are:

- To advance education;
- To further such other charitable purposes as the trustees may decide.

In setting objectives and planning for activities, the Trustees have given due consideration to general guidance published by the Charity Commission relating to public benefit, including the guidance 'Public benefit: running a charity (PB2)'.

Significant activities

The Trustees undertake to give grants to other charitable bodies in order to achieve its objectives. Grants given are at the full discretion of the Trustees, who hold regular meetings to discuss potential grant giving opportunities.

Public benefit

The charity undertakes to further its purposes for the public benefit through the giving of grants to other charitable bodies as it sees fit.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

Charitable activities

The Charity has continued with its grant giving programme during the year, giving a total of 17 grants totalling £138,486 (2024: £64,440).

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Financial position

The Charity had total income for the year of £133,598 (2024: £83,286) comprising of £130,926 (2024: £82,751) from 'donations and gift aid' and £2,672 (2024: £535) from investment income. Expenditure totalled £141,806 (2024: £66,360) consisting of £138,486 (2024: £64,440) on grants and £3,320 (2024: £1,920) on support costs. All income and expenditure for both 2025 and 2024 was unrestricted. Funds carried forward totalled £47,186 (2024: £55,394), all of which were unrestricted.

Reserves policy

The Charity held unrestricted funds at the end of the year of £47,186 (2024: £55,394). These reserves are considered adequate by the Trustees, and will allow the charity to continue making grants in the next financial period. In view of the nature of the charity, the Trustees are satisfied that no formal level of reserves are required, as grants are only made when there are available funds, and the charity does not have any liabilities to make grants.

Going concern

The Charity has minimal fixed costs, with the main source of expenditure being grants made to institutions which can be made at the discretion of the Trustees. Furthermore, the Charity had a healthy net asset position at the year end. The Trustees therefore consider that based on the circumstances existing at the date of signature of the accounts the charity is a going concern. This basis is adopted within these accounts.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is controlled by its governing document, a deed of trust and constitutes an unincorporated charity.

The Desai Family Charity Trust

**Report of the Trustees
for the Year Ended 5 April 2025**

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

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Trustees

A L Desai
Dr S A Desai

Independent Examiner

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Approved by order of the board of trustees on 5 January 2026 and signed on its behalf by:

A L Desai - Trustee

**Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of
The Desai Family Charity Trust**

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of The Desai Family Charity Trust

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of The Desai Family Charity Trust (the Trust) for the year ended 5 April 2025.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Trust 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 Trust's accounts carried out under Section 145 of the Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed all 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 Trust 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.

Katherine Parsey FCA CTA

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5 January 2026

The Desai Family Charity Trust

Statement of Financial Activities
for the Year Ended 5 April 2025

	Notes	5.4.25 Unrestricted fund £	5.4.24 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM			
Donations and legacies	2	130,926	82,751
Investment income	3	2,672	535
Total		<u>133,598</u>	<u>83,286</u>
EXPENDITURE ON			
Charitable activities	4		
Supporting Good Causes		<u>141,806</u>	<u>66,360</u>
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		(8,208)	16,926
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward		55,394	38,468
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		<u><u>47,186</u></u>	<u><u>55,394</u></u>

The notes form part of these financial statements

The Desai Family Charity Trust

**Balance Sheet
5 April 2025**

	Notes	5.4.25 Total funds £	5.4.24 Total funds £
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors	8	7,500	12,500
Cash at bank		52,493	56,156
		<u>59,993</u>	<u>68,656</u>
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due within one year	9	(12,807)	(13,262)
		<u>47,186</u>	<u>55,394</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS			
		<u>47,186</u>	<u>55,394</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			
		<u>47,186</u>	<u>55,394</u>
NET ASSETS			
		<u>47,186</u>	<u>55,394</u>
FUNDS			
Unrestricted funds	10	47,186	55,394
		<u>47,186</u>	<u>55,394</u>
TOTAL FUNDS			
		<u>47,186</u>	<u>55,394</u>

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 5 January 2026 and were signed on its behalf by:

A L Desai - Trustee

The notes form part of these financial statements

The Desai Family Charity Trust

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 5 April 2025

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparing the financial statements

The financial statements of the charity, which is a public benefit entity under FRS 102, have been prepared in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS 102) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019)', Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Charities Act 2011. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Income

All income is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities once the charity has entitlement to the funds, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably.

Expenditure

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Grants offered subject to conditions which have not been met at the year end date are noted as a commitment but not accrued as expenditure.

Taxation

The charity is exempt from tax on its charitable activities.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

2. DONATIONS AND LEGACIES

	5.4.25 Unrestricted funds £	5.4.24 Total funds £
Donations	123,426	70,251
Gift aid	7,500	12,500
	<u>130,926</u>	<u>82,751</u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
for the Year Ended 5 April 2025

3. INVESTMENT INCOME			
		5.4.25	5.4.24
		Unrestricted	Total
		funds	funds
		£	£
Deposit account interest		<u>2,672</u>	<u>535</u>
4. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES COSTS			
	Grant	Support	
	funding of	costs (see	
	activities	note 5)	Totals
	£	£	£
Supporting Good Causes	<u>138,486</u>	<u>3,320</u>	<u>141,806</u>
5. SUPPORT COSTS			
	Finance	Governance	Totals
	£	costs	£
Supporting Good Causes	<u>2,281</u>	<u>1,039</u>	<u>3,320</u>
6. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS			
There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 5 April 2025 nor for the year ended 5 April 2024.			
Trustees' expenses			
There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 5 April 2025 nor for the year ended 5 April 2024.			
7. COMPARATIVES FOR THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES			
			Unrestricted
			fund
			£
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM			
Donations and legacies			82,751
Investment income			<u>535</u>
Total			<u>83,286</u>
EXPENDITURE ON			
Charitable activities			
Supporting Good Causes			<u>66,360</u>
NET INCOME			16,926
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward			38,468

The Desai Family Charity Trust

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
for the Year Ended 5 April 2025

7. COMPARATIVES FOR THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES - continued			Unrestricted fund £
			<u>55,394</u>
8. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR			
	5.4.25	5.4.24	
	£	£	
Gift aid	<u>7,500</u>	<u>12,500</u>	
9. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR			
	5.4.25	5.4.24	
	£	£	
Loan from Trustee	11,732	11,732	
Accrued expenses	<u>1,075</u>	<u>1,530</u>	
	<u>12,807</u>	<u>13,262</u>	
10. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS			
	At 6.4.24	Net movement in funds	At 5.4.25
	£	£	£
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	55,394	(8,208)	47,186
	<u>55,394</u>	<u>(8,208)</u>	<u>47,186</u>
TOTAL FUNDS			
	<u>55,394</u>	<u>(8,208)</u>	<u>47,186</u>
Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:			
	Incoming resources	Resources expended	Movement in funds
	£	£	£
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	133,598	(141,806)	(8,208)
	<u>133,598</u>	<u>(141,806)</u>	<u>(8,208)</u>
TOTAL FUNDS			
	<u>133,598</u>	<u>(141,806)</u>	<u>(8,208)</u>

The Desai Family Charity Trust

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
for the Year Ended 5 April 2025

10. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

Comparatives for movement in funds

	At 6.4.23 £	Net movement in funds £	At 5.4.24 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	38,468	16,926	55,394
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>38,468</u>	<u>16,926</u>	<u>55,394</u>

Comparative net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	83,286	(66,360)	16,926
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>83,286</u>	<u>(66,360)</u>	<u>16,926</u>

11. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

During the year ended 5 April 2025, there was one related party transaction. A loan outstanding of £11,732 was due to A L Desai, a trustee of the charity, at the year end. The loan is repayable on demand and bears no interest.

The same loan balance of £11,732 was outstanding at 5 April 2024.

No other related party transactions occurred during the current or prior year.

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for the Year Ended 5 April 2024**

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The Desai Charity Family Trust

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Approved by order of the board of trustees on 27 November 2024 and signed on its behalf by:

A L Desai - Trustee

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Independent examiner's report to the trustees of The Desai Charity Family Trust

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of The Desai Charity Family Trust (the Trust) for the year ended 5 April 2024.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Trust 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 Trust's accounts carried out under Section 145 of the Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed all 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:

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27 November 2024

The Desai Charity Family Trust

**Statement of Financial Activities
for the Year Ended 5 April 2024**

	Notes	5.4.24 Unrestricted fund £	5.4.23 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM			
Donations and legacies		82,751	21,635
Investment income	2	535	275
Total		<u>83,286</u>	<u>21,910</u>
EXPENDITURE ON			
Charitable activities			
Grants and donations		64,440	11,742
Other		1,920	275
Total		<u>66,360</u>	<u>12,017</u>
NET INCOME		16,926	9,893
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward		38,468	28,575
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		<u><u>55,394</u></u>	<u><u>38,468</u></u>

The notes form part of these financial statements

The Desai Charity Family Trust

**Balance Sheet
5 April 2024**

	Notes	5.4.24 Unrestricted fund £	5.4.23 Total funds £
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors	5	12,500	-
Cash at bank		56,156	51,100
		<u>68,656</u>	<u>51,100</u>
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due within one year	6	(13,262)	(12,632)
		<u>55,394</u>	<u>38,468</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS			
		<u>55,394</u>	<u>38,468</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			
		<u>55,394</u>	<u>38,468</u>
NET ASSETS			
		<u>55,394</u>	<u>38,468</u>
FUNDS			
Unrestricted funds	7	55,394	38,468
		<u>55,394</u>	<u>38,468</u>
TOTAL FUNDS			
		<u>55,394</u>	<u>38,468</u>

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 27 November 2024 and were signed on its behalf by:

A L Desai - Trustee

The notes form part of these financial statements

The Desai Charity Family Trust

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 5 April 2024

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparing the financial statements

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Income

All income is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities once the charity has entitlement to the funds, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably.

Expenditure

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Grants offered subject to conditions which have not been met at the year end date are noted as a commitment but not accrued as expenditure.

Taxation

The charity is exempt from tax on its charitable activities.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

2. INVESTMENT INCOME

	5.4.24	5.4.23
	£	£
Deposit account interest	535	275

The Desai Charity Family Trust

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
for the Year Ended 5 April 2024

3. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 5 April 2024 nor for the year ended 5 April 2023.

Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 5 April 2024 nor for the year ended 5 April 2023.

4. COMPARATIVES FOR THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted fund £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM	
Donations and legacies	21,635
Investment income	275
Total	<u>21,910</u>
EXPENDITURE ON	
Charitable activities	
Grants and donations	11,742
Other	275
Total	<u>12,017</u>
NET INCOME	9,893
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS	
Total funds brought forward	28,575
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	<u><u>38,468</u></u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
for the Year Ended 5 April 2024

5. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		5.4.24	5.4.23
		£	£
Other debtors		12,500	-
		<u> </u>	<u> </u>
6. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		5.4.24	5.4.23
		£	£
Other creditors		13,262	12,632
		<u> </u>	<u> </u>
7. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS			
		Net	At
	At 6.4.23	movement	5.4.24
	£	in funds	£
Unrestricted funds		£	
General fund	38,468	16,926	55,394
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>38,468</u>	<u>16,926</u>	<u>55,394</u>

Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming	Resources	Movement
	resources	expended	in funds
	£	£	£
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	83,286	(66,360)	16,926
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>83,286</u>	<u>(66,360)</u>	<u>16,926</u>

Comparatives for movement in funds

		Net	At
	At 6.4.22	movement	5.4.23
	£	in funds	£
Unrestricted funds		£	
General fund	28,575	9,893	38,468
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>28,575</u>	<u>9,893</u>	<u>38,468</u>

The Desai Charity Family Trust

**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
for the Year Ended 5 April 2024**

7. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

Comparative net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	21,910	(12,017)	9,893
	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>21,910</u>	<u>(12,017)</u>	<u>9,893</u>

8. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 5 April 2024.