



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

Period start date
Day 01 Month 04 Year 2023
From To
Period end date
Day 31 Month 03 Year 2024

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name IQRA EDUCATIONAL TRUST

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any) 1102439

Charity's principal address 19 Westend Avenue

Leyton

London

Postcode E10 6DY

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
Mr Mohammad Anees	Chairperson		
Dr Attia Hasnain	Quality Control Coordinator		
Mr Mohammad Aslam	Founder member		
Mr Nadeem Mohammad	Digital Marketing Coordinator		
Mr Zia Hasnain	Vice Chairperson		
Dr Rashid Qadir	Annual Charity Function Coordinator		
Mr Tariq Rasul	Financial Co-ordinator		

Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year
Mr Mohammad Anees	

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address
EDUCATIONAL FUND RAISER	Mr Choudhary Anwar	7 Arlington Gardens, Ilford, Essex, IG1 3HH
SCIENCE ADVISOR	Mrs Abida Rasul	103 Beehive Lane, Ilford, IG1 3RM

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

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Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document (e.g. trust deed or constitution)	Trust Deed
How the charity is constituted (e.g. board of trustees, committee, company)	Trust
Trustee selection methods (e.g. appointed by, elected by)	Recommended by parents, donors and elected through an interview process by the Trustees.

Additional governance issues (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

None

Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

Supporting education through funding of educational resources, ensuring the provision of training to young people to ensure they have better prospects of securing jobs, helping persons with disabilities, providing relief from poverty, assisting the homeless and refugees as well as other general welfare purposes within the UK, Pakistan, India and more recently to Gaza.

Donated some resources in the UK to supporting the needs of the homeless and refugees.

Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)

Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.

We have continued to provide financial support to vocational centres in Jhelum, Rawalpindi, Khanpor and Faisalabad all within Pakistan which has benefitted children with special needs.

Through our support young adults have been given the opportunity to learn skills such as sewing, knitting, repair of mobile phones and cooking/baking so that they are better prepared and equipped to secure jobs within the clothing, electronics and food industries. These young adults have successfully been able to gain employment and are normally the only main breadwinners in their families. This opportunity and assistance given by Iqra Educational Trust to these youngsters has significantly improved their lives for they are now able to support their families and are no longer being a burden on society.

We have also spent funds at the Special Education Centre Rawalpindi during Eid Adha where Qurbani meat was distributed to the children, many of whom are not able to afford to eat meat during the year. A lawn mower was also purchased for the Rawalpindi Special Education school so that the children can play in the schoolgrounds which was previously not possible for them to do so due to overgrown grass and shrubs.

Over the last financial year, Iqra Education Centre has also financially supported 10 students including whose families could not afford to provide them with an education. With the funding provided by the Iqra Education Trust, the students in some cases were able to study for their GCSE exams, others were able to study for their A levels and in some cases some students completed their degrees in for example Human Resources Management and Physiotherapy and thus increase their chances of getting employment.

The funding provided to these students enabled them to continue and complete their secondary education successfully. Without these donations they would not have been able to undertake secondary and further education.

With the help of ALLAH SWT and support of our valued donors, IQRA Educational Trust continued to support innumerable noble causes in the year 2023-2024. The list of some of the charity work that we carried out is as follows:

IQRA Overseas Charity Efforts:

- We have continued to support special needs schools in Pakistan.
- Books and other much needed learning materials have been sent to special needs schools throughout the province of Punjab Pakistan.
- Over 225 Ramadan Packs were sent to Pakistan over the period of Ramadan 2024. Packs were delivered to hard to reach areas where they were most needed. This was done through our coordinators in Pakistan.
- Bazeecha Trust (Women's Hostel) were provided with clothes and food throughout 2023 and the first quarter of 2024. It has been very rewarding to see a huge improvement in the lives of these women and the confidence they have gained.
- Water Pumps, taps and in addition many water coolers were purchased and placed in the special needs schools and facilities by Iqra Charity Coordinators where they were needed, including Rawalpindi, Multan, Lahore, Jhelum and Khanpor Districts.
- We have continued publishing educational material and resources as well as Sign Language posters to the special needs schools in Pakistan on a regular basis.
- Funds have also been used to purchase books, furniture, computers and other educational resources which were distributed to special needs schools in Punjab District as well as the Deaf Teacher Training College in Lahore Pakistan.
- Warm winter clothes such as shawls and sweaters were purchased in large numbers and sent to different schools and organisations in Pakistan to help students through the harsh winter.
- Over the Christmas period we helped poor Christian families in Pakistan by purchasing and providing them with clothes and gifts as they are often neglected at this time of year.
- We provided funds to Elya Care special needs school in Faisalabad
- We have provided money for sewing machines for girls in a number of special schools to enable them to learn sewing skills.
- The special needs education centres in Lahore and Bahawalpur received wheelchairs, learning aids and support toys.
- We have also provided funds to establish a physiotherapy centre in special needs school in Rawalpindi.
- We have been able to donate learning material and books for teachers to use in support of children with autism.

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

IQRA Charity work in the UK:

- We have worked with local charities such as Helping Hands supporting them with donations to help the homeless.
- The Annual Fund-raising function held in 2023 was a great success, with over 200 attendees. A representative from the Muslim Aid Charity was invited as one of the guest speakers. The representative spoke about the way Muslim Aid raise money and the diverse and worthy causes they support.
- A presentation was also given by Dr Amber Hasnain on the plight of the Palestinians in Gaza and a plea made for generous donations to assist their suffering.
- A presentation was also given by Mrs Sidra on why Islam states we should give charity.
- The annual function raised £11,000 which is being used for many needy causes.
- We have continuously helped and supported smaller niche charities (Aminah Bashir Trust, Noor Ul Islam Trust) with donations and support.
- We also provided funds on a regular basis to 'Feed the Needy' organisations to help the homeless within the UK.

Section E

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

Trustees have written and put in place a Reserve Policy in accordance with the guidance provided in the Charity Act. Our Reserve Policy directs that in case of emergencies and disasters, we always have an amount equal to £8,000 within the Iqra Educational Trust Charity account as reserve.

Details of any funds materially in deficit

None

Further financial review details (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:

- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

The main sources of funds throughout the year include donations from the general public, alumni and past Iqra teachers as well as attendees of the Iqra Educational Trust Annual Fund-raising function.

Mr Anees (Chairperson) visited various organisations in Pakistan during April 2023 to March 2024 and assessed the needs of these organisations and donated books, items of clothing and furniture etc.

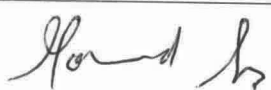
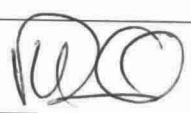
Mr Tariq Rasul (Trustee) and Chairperson Mr Anees Qari visited The Bazeecha Trust in early March 2023. They were pleased to see the progress made by school and provided funding for their requirements. The Director of Bazeecha Trust informed them that their Trust was working with Iqra Educational Trust together with other charity organisations to improve accommodation required for homeless and women in need.

Section G

Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Mr Mohammad Anees	Dr Rashid Qadir
Position (Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chairperson	Annual Charity Function Coordinator
Date	02/01/2025	02/01/2025



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

IQRA EDUCATIONAL TRUST

1102439

Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

Period start date
01/04/2023

To

Period end date
31/03/2024

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
DONATIONS & GENERAL CHARITY	37,575		-	37,575	31,348
ZAKAT, SADQA, FITRANA	-	9,018	-	9,018	6,245
QURBANI DONATIONS	-	3,860	-	3,860	4,050
FOOD/FLOOD/CLOTHING	-	135	-	135	980
WATER PUMP	-	250	-	250	480
WHEEL CHAIRS	-	50	-	50	350
QURAN GIFTS	-	-	-	-	50
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	37,575	13,313	-	50,888	43,503
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
LOANS		-	-	-	-
LAND & BUILDINGS		-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	37,575	13,313	-	50,888	43,503
A3 Payments					
STAFF/ VOLUNTEER EXPENSES		-	-	-	355
DONATION (PAYMENTS)		3,518	-	3,518	4,578
PHYSICAL AID-WHEEL CHAIR ETC		50	-	50	1,320
FOOD/ RAMADAN					
FOOD/CLOTHES/FLOOD RELIEF	6,175	135	-	6,310	12,901
WATER PUMPS/ WATER COOLERS	2,035	250	-	2,285	2,411
QURBANI DONATIONS		3,860		3,860	1,121
TELEPHONE, FAX & INTERNET	124			124	85
EDUCATION/ RESOURCES/ EQUIPMENT/ FINANCIAL HELP	3,323	5,500		8,823	11,787
EVENTS/ CAMPAIGNS/ VENUE HIRE	3,970			3,970	4,783
TRAVELLING/ CARGO	1,970			1,970	2,581
PLANTATION	-	-	-	-	20
ACCOUNTANCY	720	-	-	720	720
ADMIN/PPS/MISCELLANEOUS	250	-	-	250	219
Sub total	18,567	13,313	-	31,880	42,881
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Land & Buildings	-	-	-	-	-
Loans	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	18,567	13,313	-	31,880	42,881
Net of receipts/(payments)	19,008	-	-	19,008	622
A5 Transfers between funds/ Correction of O/Balances					
	-	-	-	-	3,220
A6 Cash funds last year end	6,412	-	-	6,412	9,010
Cash funds this year end	25,420	-	-	25,420	6,412

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Cash at bank	25,420	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	25,420	-	-

(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))

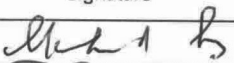

	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Land & Buildings	-	-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities	Loans	-	-	
	Reserves	25,420	-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	MOHAMMAD ANEES	24/12/2024
	DR RASHID QADIR	24/12/2024



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

IQRA EDUCATIONAL TRUST

On accounts for the year
ended

31 March 2024

Charity no
(if any)

1102439

Set out on pages

1 and 2

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/03/2024.

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 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed the 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 which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

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

Signed:

Date: Jan 03, 2025

Name:

MURAD ALI, ACA (ICAEW Membership No. 5960332)

Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body
(if any):

Associate Member of The Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (ICAEW)

Address:

3 Ashvale Gardens

Romford

RM5 3QA

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.