

Gosforth Nursery Ltd
(A company limited by guarantee)

Trustees' report and financial statements
for the year ended 31 August 2024

Charity number: 1133546

Company number: 06952333

robinson+co (Gosforth) Limited

Chartered Accountants

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Legal and administrative information

Charity number 1133546

Company registration number 06952333

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Report of the trustees (incorporating the directors' report)
for the year ended 31 August 2024

The trustees present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2024. The trustees, who are also directors of Gosforth Nursery Ltd for the purposes of company law and who served during the year and up to the date of this report are set out on page 1.

Structure, governance and management

Governing document

Gosforth Nursery Limited is constituted as a company limited by guarantee and is a registered charity. The charitable company is governed by its Memorandum and Articles of Association dated 3 July 2009.

Day to day management

The Nursery is managed by Mrs Gillian Jackson.

Trustees

The aim is to maintain a trustee board with a range of skills which will be useful to the organisation. New trustees are taken through an induction procedure.

Key management personnel remuneration

The Trustees consider the Board of Trustees and the Nursery Manager as comprising the key management personnel of the charity in charge of directing and controlling the charity and running and operating the charity on a day to day basis. All Trustees give of their time freely and no trustee remuneration was paid in the year. The pay of the charity's senior staff is reviewed annually and assessed to ensure that the remuneration set is fair and not out of line with that generally paid for similar roles.

Objectives and activities

The Charitable Objects 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 communitiy groups and by:-

1. Offering appropriate play, education and care facilities and training courses, together with the right of parents to take responsibility 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;
2. Encouraging the study of the needs of such children and their families and promoting public interest in and recognition of such needs;
3. Instigating and adhering to and furthering the aims and objects of the Pre-School Learning Alliance.

We aim to:-

1. Provide high quality care and education for children primarily below statutory school age;
2. Work in partnership with parents to help children learn and develop;
3. Add to the life and well being of our local community; and
4. Offer children and their parents a service which promotes equality and values diversity.

Public Benefit

The trustees have referred to the guidance contained in the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit when reviewing the charity's aims and objectives and in planning future activities. In particular, the trustees consider how planned activities will contribute to the aims and objectives they have set.

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Achievements and performance

In spite of another challenging year which saw a significant increase in the national minimum wage and higher than average running costs, the nursery was able to continue to deliver the high level of service to which parents using our facility have become accustomed.

The nursery staff, together with the management, have continued to work with the assiduous spirit which they have become known for over the lifetime of the nursery. There were not any significant changes within the team. This continuity benefits the children within our setting as well as the staff. The low levels of attrition at Gosforth Nursery are testament to the strong sense of 'team'.

In April the staff received a pay rise which, although above the national average, wasn't proportional to previous years. The percentage was reflective of the Nursery's finances at that moment in time.

Since April changes have been introduced which have helped boost the nurseries overall financial performance. These include a block booking system which allowed a more efficient & streamlined approach to staffing.

April also saw an increase in fees and charges. This was required to ensure we continued to cover the inevitable rise and costs encountered in the day to day running of the nursery.

These changes resulted in an overall financial gain from April until the period ending August 2024.

Achievements and performance (continued)

Financial review

At the balance sheet date the charity held £163,323 (2023: £177,527) on unrestricted funds and £190,726 (2023: £204,350) on restricted funds, a satisfactory position.

Reserves

Gosforth Nursery Management Committee seeks to hold 3 months operating costs in reserves as part of their contingency planning process. At the date of this report this reserve fund was complete and stood at £50,000.

Risk management

The trustees have assessed the major strategic, business and operational risks to which the organisation is exposed. They are satisfied that systems are in place to mitigate the exposure to these risks.

Plans for future periods

The future of the nursery is looking promising. In line with the planned retirement of the long-standing head of the nursery, a change of management arrangements has been proposed. Gosforth School and Gosforth Nursery are considering merging the two setting. Both parties are working together to determine how best to deliver a service which remains efficient, offers financial stability and continues to deliver high quality education as well as being a great place to work. The Nursery Trustees, School Governors and staff are all entirely committed to ensuring a high quality of service provision for many years to come.

The Nursery Trustees are working to ensure a smooth transition to the proposed new management arrangements and will continue to keep staff, parents and carers engaged throughout.

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Report of the trustees (incorporating the directors' report)
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Statement of trustees' responsibilities

The trustees (who are also directors of Gosforth Nursery Ltd for the purpose of company law) are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice.

Company law 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 charitable company and of the incoming resources and application of resources, including the income and expenditure, of the charitable company 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;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charitable company will continue in operation.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charitable company and which enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charitable company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Small company provisions

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006.

On behalf of the board



G Oji
Director

9th May 2025

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Independent examiner's report to the trustees on the unaudited financial statements of Gosforth Nursery Ltd.

I report on the accounts of Gosforth Nursery Ltd for the year ended 31 August 2024 set out on pages 6 to 20.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and independent examiner

The charity's trustees (who are also the directors of the company for purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 (the Charities Act), and that an independent examination is needed. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts under section 145 of the Charities Act, to follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act, and to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

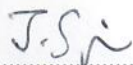
Basis of independent examiner's statement

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

Independent examiner's statement

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

- (i) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:
 - to keep proper accounting records in accordance with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006; and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records, comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charitieshave not been met; or
- (ii) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



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Mr J Spire FCA DChA

Independent examiner

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9th May 2025

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Statement of financial activities (incorporating the income and expenditure account)

For the year ended 31 August 2024

	Notes	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	2024 Total £	2023 Total £
Income					
Income from charitable activities	2	226,691	94,375	321,066	373,264
Income from other trading activities:					
Activities for generating funds	3	3,790	-	3,790	7,543
Investment income	4	783	-	783	378
Total income		<u>231,264</u>	<u>94,375</u>	<u>325,639</u>	<u>381,185</u>
Expenditure					
Charitable activities	5	245,468	107,999	353,467	360,864
Total expenditure		<u>245,468</u>	<u>107,999</u>	<u>353,467</u>	<u>360,864</u>
Net income/(expenditure) for the year		(14,204)	(13,624)	(27,828)	20,321
Total funds brought forward		<u>177,527</u>	<u>204,350</u>	<u>381,877</u>	<u>361,556</u>
Total funds carried forward		<u>163,323</u>	<u>190,726</u>	<u>354,049</u>	<u>381,877</u>

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses in the year and therefore a separate statement of total recognised gains and losses has not been prepared.

All of the above amounts relate to continuing activities.

The notes on pages 10 to 20 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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Balance sheet
as at 31 August 2024

	Notes	2024	2023
		£	£
Fixed assets			
Tangible assets	12	298,471	317,674
Current assets			
Cash at bank and in hand		63,629	73,567
		<u>63,629</u>	<u>73,567</u>
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	13	(8,051)	(9,364)
Net current assets		<u>55,578</u>	<u>64,203</u>
Net assets		<u>354,049</u>	<u>381,877</u>
Funds	15		
Restricted income funds		190,726	204,350
Unrestricted income funds		<u>163,323</u>	<u>177,527</u>
Total funds		<u>354,049</u>	<u>381,877</u>

The Balance Sheet continues on the following page.

The notes on pages 10 to 20 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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Balance sheet (continued)

Trustees statements required by the Companies Act 2006
for the year ended 31 August 2024

In approving these financial statements as trustees of the company we hereby confirm:

(a) that for the year stated above the company was entitled to the exemption conferred by section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 ;

(b) that no notice has been deposited at the registered office of the company pursuant to section 476 of the Companies Act 2006 requesting that an audit be conducted for the year ended 31 August 2024.

(c) that we acknowledge our responsibilities for:

(1) ensuring that the company keeps proper accounting records which comply with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006, and

(2) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for the year then ended in accordance with the requirements of sections 394 and 395, and which otherwise comply with the provisions of the Companies Act relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

These financial statements are prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies .

The financial statements were approved by the board on

9/5/25.

and signed on its behalf by



G Oji
Director

The notes on pages 10 to 20 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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Cash flow statement

for the year ended 31 August 2024

	Notes	2024 £	2023 £
Net cash used by operating activities	19	(5,768)	46,744
Cash flows from investing activities			
Interest and dividends		783	378
Purchase of tangible fixed assets		(4,953)	(15,541)
Net cash provided by investing activities		(4,170)	(15,163)
Change in cash and cash equivalents in the year		(9,938)	31,581
Cash and cash equivalents brought forward		73,567	41,986
Cash and cash equivalents carried forward		63,629	73,567

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Notes to financial statements
for the year ended 31 August 2024

1. Accounting policies

The principal accounting policies adopted, judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty in the preparation of the financial statements are summarised below.

1.1. Basis of accounting

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice: 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) issued on 16 July 2014 and the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Companies Act 2006.

The company constitutes a public benefit entity as defined by FRS 102.

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue as a going concern.

The presentational currency is UK Sterling pounds (£).

1.2. Income

All income is included in the statement of financial activities once the charity has entitlement to the income, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount of income receivable can be measured reliably. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

Grants, including grants for the purchase of fixed assets, are recognised in full in the statement of financial activities in the year in which they are receivable.

Income from investments is included in the year in which it is receivable.

1.3. Expenditure

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

Costs of raising funds comprise the costs associated with attracting voluntary income and the costs of trading for fundraising purposes.

Charitable expenditure comprises those costs incurred by the charity in the delivery of its activities and services for its beneficiaries. It includes both costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.

Support costs are those costs incurred directly in support of expenditure on the objects of the charity and include project management and governance costs.

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1.4. Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Leasehold properties	-	Straight line over the life of the lease
Fixtures, fittings and equipment	-	25% straight line

1.5. Financial instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the amount receivable or payable including any related transaction costs, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where it is recognised at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Current assets and current liabilities are subsequently measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received and not discounted.

Debt instruments are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Financial assets that are measured at cost or amortised cost are reviewed for objective evidence of impairment at the end of each reporting date. If there is objective evidence of impairment, an impairment loss is recognised under the appropriate heading in the statement of financial activities in which the initial gain was recognised.

Any reversals of impairment are recognised immediately, to the extent that the reversal does not result in a carrying amount of the financial asset that exceeds what the carrying amount would have been had the impairment not previously been recognised.

1.6. Defined contribution pension schemes

The pension costs charged in the financial statements represent the contributions payable by the charity during the year.

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1.7. Government grants

Government grants are recognised at the fair value of the asset received or receivable. Grants are not recognised until there is reasonable assurance that the company will comply with the conditions attaching to them and the grants will be received.

Government grants are recognised using the accrual model and the performance model.

Under the accrual model, government grants relating to revenue are recognised on a systematic basis over the periods in which the company recognises the related costs for which the grant is intended to compensate. Grants that are receivable as compensation for expenses or losses already incurred or for the purpose of giving immediate financial support to the entity with no future related costs are recognised in income in the period in which it becomes receivable.

Grants relating to assets are recognised in income on a systematic basis over the expected useful life of the asset. Where part of a grant relating to an asset is deferred, it is recognised as deferred income and not deducted from the carrying amount of the asset.

Under the performance model, where the grant does not impose specified future performance-related conditions on the recipient, it is recognised in income when the grant proceeds are received or receivable. Where the grant does impose specified future performance-related conditions on the recipient, it is recognised in income only when the performance-related conditions have been met. Where grants received are prior to satisfying the revenue recognition criteria, they are recognised as a liability.

2. Income from charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	2024 Total £	2023 Total £
Government grants	-	-	-	53,328
Fees from parents	226,691	-	226,691	198,117
Early years entitlements	-	94,375	94,375	121,819
	<u>226,691</u>	<u>94,375</u>	<u>321,066</u>	<u>373,264</u>

In 2023 of the income from charitable activities, £121,819 was attributable to restricted income funds, with the balance of £251,445 being unrestricted.

3. Activities for generating funds

	Unrestricted funds £	2024 Total £	2023 Total £
Fundraising events	679	679	4,498
Income from solar panels	3,111	3,111	3,045
	<u>3,790</u>	<u>3,790</u>	<u>7,543</u>

In 2023 all of the income from activities for generating funds was attributable to unrestricted income funds.

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4. Investment income

	Unrestricted funds £	2024 Total £	2023 Total £
Bank interest receivable	783	783	378
	<u>783</u>	<u>783</u>	<u>378</u>

In 2023 all of the investment income was attributable to unrestricted income funds.

5. Costs of charitable activities - by fund type

	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	2024 Total £	2023 Total £
Operation of nursery	245,468	107,999	353,467	360,864
	<u>245,468</u>	<u>107,999</u>	<u>353,467</u>	<u>360,864</u>

In 2023 of the costs of charitable activities, £135,443 was attributable to restricted funds, with the balance of £225,421 being unrestricted.

6. Costs of charitable activities - by activity

	Activities undertaken directly £	Support costs £	2024 Total £	2023 Total £
Operation of nursery	349,009	4,458	353,467	360,864
	<u>349,009</u>	<u>4,458</u>	<u>353,467</u>	<u>360,864</u>

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7. Analysis of support costs

	Operation of nursery £	2024 Total £	2023 Total £
Accountancy charges	1,212	1,212	1,110
Legal and professional fees	1,796	1,796	1,081
Bank charges	(12)	(12)	106
Sundry expenses	1,462	1,462	1,035
	<u>4,458</u>	<u>4,458</u>	<u>3,332</u>

8. Net (outgoing)/incoming resources for the year

	2024 £	2023 £
Net (outgoing)/incoming resources is stated after charging:		
Depreciation and other amounts written off tangible fixed assets	<u>24,156</u>	<u>22,124</u>

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9. Employees

Employment costs	2024	2023
	£	£
Wages and salaries	262,003	272,403
Social security costs	14,687	12,786
Pension costs	5,059	4,595
	<u>281,749</u>	<u>289,784</u>

No employee received emoluments of more than £60,000 (2023 : None).

Number of employees

The average monthly numbers of employees (including the trustees) during the year was as follows:

	2024	2023
	Number	Number
Staff	<u>16</u>	<u>18</u>

During the year no expenses were paid to trustees (2023 - £nil).

The key management personnel of the charity is comprised of the Board of Trustees and Nursery Manager. The total employment benefits of the key management personnel were £48,817 (2023: £45,206).

10. Pension costs

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme in respect of the NEST pension scheme. The scheme and its assets are held by independent managers. The pension charge represents contributions due from the company and was as follows:

	2024	2023
	£	£
Pension charge	<u>5,059</u>	<u>4,595</u>

Contributions amounting to £2,071 (2023: £2,000) were outstanding at the year end and are included within other creditors.

11. Taxation

The charity's activities fall within the exemptions afforded by the provisions of the Income and Corporation Taxes Act 1988. Accordingly, there is no taxation charge in these accounts.

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12. Tangible fixed assets	Short leasehold property £	Fixtures, fittings and equipment £	Total £
Cost			
At 1 September 2023	497,685	11,076	508,761
Additions	-	4,953	4,953
At 31 August 2024	<u>497,685</u>	<u>16,029</u>	<u>513,714</u>
Depreciation			
At 1 September 2023	183,769	7,318	191,087
Charge for the year	20,870	3,286	24,156
At 31 August 2024	<u>204,639</u>	<u>10,604</u>	<u>215,243</u>
Net book values			
At 31 August 2024	<u>293,046</u>	<u>5,425</u>	<u>298,471</u>
At 31 August 2023	<u>313,916</u>	<u>3,758</u>	<u>317,674</u>

Cost of short leasehold property consists of expenditure incurred constructing the purpose-built nursery (£434,647), the Pine Lodge (£6,690), a shed (£7,500), and property improvements (£14,116), together with the construction of an outdoor area (£34,732). The nursery is leased from Cumbria County Council.

13. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2024 £	2023 £
Other taxes and social security	4,516	4,940
Other creditors	2,071	3,176
Accruals and deferred income	1,464	1,248
	<u>8,051</u>	<u>9,364</u>

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14. Financial instruments

The carrying amount for each category of financial instrument is as follows:

	2024 £	2023 £
Financial liabilities measured at amortised cost		
Other creditors	2,071	3,176
Accruals	1,464	1,248
	<u>3,535</u>	<u>4,424</u>

15. Analysis of net assets between funds

	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Total funds £
Fund balances at 31 August 2024 as represented by:			
Tangible fixed assets	107,745	190,726	298,471
Current assets	63,629	-	63,629
Current liabilities	(8,051)	-	(8,051)
	<u>163,323</u>	<u>190,726</u>	<u>354,049</u>

	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Total funds £
Fund balances at 31 August 2023 as represented by:			
Tangible fixed assets	113,324	204,350	317,674
Current assets	73,567	-	73,567
Current liabilities	(9,364)	-	(9,364)
	<u>177,527</u>	<u>204,350</u>	<u>381,877</u>

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16. Anaysis of movements in unrestricted funds - current year

	At 1 September 2023 £	Incoming resources £	Outgoing resources £	At 31 August 2024 £
General funds	<u>177,527</u>	<u>231,264</u>	<u>(245,468)</u>	<u>163,323</u>

Anaysis of movements in unrestricted funds - previous year

	At 1 September 2022 £	Incoming resources £	Outgoing resources £	At 31 August 2023 £
General funds	<u>143,582</u>	<u>259,366</u>	<u>(225,421)</u>	<u>177,527</u>

Purposes of unrestricted funds

The charity's unrestricted funds can be used with the approval of the board of trustees to fund any expenditure which falls within the charity's general aims and objectives.

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17. Analysis of movements in restricted funds - current year

	At 1 September 2023 £	Incoming resources £	Outgoing resources £	At 31 August 2024 £
Building grants and donations	204,350	-	(13,624)	190,726
Other restricted funds	-	94,375	(94,375)	-
	<u>204,350</u>	<u>94,375</u>	<u>(107,999)</u>	<u>190,726</u>

Analysis of movements in restricted funds - previous year

	At 1 September 2022 £	Incoming resources £	Outgoing resources £	At 31 August 2023 £
Building grants and donations	217,974	-	(13,624)	204,350
Other restricted funds	-	121,819	(121,819)	-
	<u>217,974</u>	<u>121,819</u>	<u>(135,443)</u>	<u>204,350</u>

Purposes of restricted funds

Building grants and donations - these funds arise from grants and donations given for the building of a purpose-built nursery. The balance at the year end is represented entirely by building improvements made from the restricted fund, less accumulated depreciation thereon, with a net book value of £190,726.

Other restricted funds include grants and donations where the funder or donor has specified the purpose for which the funds must be used. All such funding was fully spent at the balance sheet date.

18. Financial commitments

At 31 August 2024 the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows:

	Land and buildings 2024 £	2023 £
Expiry date:		
In over five years	<u>358</u>	<u>351</u>

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19. Reconciliation of net movement in funds to net cash flow from operating activities

	2024	2023
	£	£
Net movement in funds	(27,828)	20,321
Add back depreciation charge	24,156	22,124
Deduct interest income shown in investing activities	(783)	(378)
(Decrease)/increase in creditors	(1,313)	4,677
Net cash used by operating activities	<u>(5,768)</u>	<u>46,744</u>

20. Analysis of changes in net funds

	Opening balance	Cash flows	Closing balance
	£	£	£
Cash at bank and in hand	73,567	(9,938)	63,629
Net funds	<u>73,567</u>	<u>(9,938)</u>	<u>63,629</u>

21. Company limited by guarantee

Gosforth Nursery Ltd is a company limited by guarantee and accordingly does not have a share capital.

Every member of the company undertakes to contribute such amount as may be required not exceeding £1 to the assets of the charitable company in the event of its being wound up while he or she is a member, or within one year after he or she ceases to be a member.