

INSPIRE FUTURES FOUNDATION

Charity Registration No: 1164394



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foundation

ANNUAL REPORT 2024 - 2025

Chair's Report

For the Year Ending 31st March 2025

It has been another extremely successful year for the Charity!

It is amazing how much engagement the Charity has had with local donors, supporters, social enterprises and businesses so that the obligations of the Charity can continue to flourish.

This year has been the Charity's most productive year. We have had a huge level of support from local people; the amount of donations, the increasing number of donors and the overall income has been amazing.

As a result, the Chairty has continued to deliver some amazing support to local families.

A key feature of the Charity is that we have managed to deliver much needed work without receiving any funding from any external organisations or agencies; it has been purely based on local support from local people who want to support those living in the local communities.

We have continued to remain focused on our ambition to operate on a **100% Donation's Policy**. We have achieved this by

1. operating on a purely voluntary basis, and we ensure that all pennies raised go only towards the cause it is intended.
2. engaging with volunteers who are prepared to collect food items, distribute food items, and ensure that no additional costs are incurred.
3. requesting donors to select the Gift Aid option, so that any running costs can be taken from Gift Aid, and not donations.
4. obtaining direct sponsorship that can be used for running costs.

Nareen Akhtar
Chair

Date: 26 January 2026

Registered Charity Number: 1164394

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Trustees

Nasreen Akhtar	Chair
Mohammed Naser	Treasurer
Nazia Hussain	Secretary
Nazish Shahzad	

CEO/Founder
Mushtaq Hussain

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Charitable Aims and Objective

The Objects of the CIO are:

A. To Advance In Life And Help Young People, Particularly From Hard To Reach And Excluded Communities Achieve Their Potential By Providing Support, Resources, Training And Development Activities, Funds And Any Other Charitable Means

B. To Advance In Life And Help Young People In Such Parts Of The World As The Trustees May From Time To Time Determine Through:

- (1)** The Provision Of Recreational And Leisure Time Activities Provided In The Interest Of Social Welfare, Designed To Improve Their Conditions Of Life;
- (2)** Providing Support And Activities Which Develop Their Skills, Capacities And Capabilities To Enable Them To Participate In Society As Mature And Responsible Individuals.

C. The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty Anywhere In The World By Providing Grants, Items And Services To Individuals In Need And/Or Charities Or Other Organisations Working To Prevent Or Relieve Poverty

Our Strategic Goals and Areas of Work

We have focused on three strategic areas of delivery –

- 1. Enhancing Education**
- 2. Developing Communities**
- 3. Relieving Poverty**

We believe that the three strategic angles of work will allow us to satisfy the public benefit test, whilst ensuring that we are adhering to the objects of the Charity.

Over the last few years, we have been inundated with requests for support with food provision. We have been fortunate that our partners and supporters have continued to support us by donating towards food parcels, food provision, and we have also had the support from smaller local charities who have shared food donations so that we can share with others.

Whilst we try to meet the objectives of the three stands, due to the level of need and the appetite to support such causes, we have been directed towards this provision. Although we are not intending to be identified as a food bank, it appears that we have been asked to provide support and assistance with food provision.

Our Achievements 2024 - 2025

Through the kind support of our friends, donors, volunteers and Trustees, we have been able to achieve the following –

Alleviation of Poverty

We have a large number of donors from the Islamic faith who have supported our food services strand to help alleviate poverty. Muslims donate to charities and the term “sadaqah” is used to refer to voluntary acts of kindness to please God. Sadaqah can be doing good acts to help others, selflessly – taking the form of acts of time, manners, or making financial donations to support those in need, or simply to help another person.

We have therefore classified general donations under the term of Sadaqah, which is our general donation pot.

This has been our busiest year and we spent a total sum of £10,112.04 in providing warm meals, food parcels, and items to provide meals to those in need. This whole sum has been spent in Bradford supporting those who need it the most.

We also had a very successful year in giving Zakah to those most in need.

A grand total of £17,100.0 was distributed throughout the year. This has been remarkable as we have had so many people requesting to give out more cash donations to be distributed and we have also had a huge number of people putting in requests to receive some of the funds. We will continue to raise Zakah to be distributed accordingly and we will ensure that any balance continues to be accounted for and used for the next year.

46 Families in total made a successful claim for zakah payment; which meant that a total of 183 people directly benefited from the zakah donations, receiving a share of £17,100.00.

Enhancing Education

One of the key projects was working with children and young people to help them unlock their potential and using sport as a means to achieve this.

We have been encouraging more young people to volunteer, develop their skills and become future leaders. We are hopeful that in the next 3 years, we will have dedicated programmes with funding in place to ensure projects are delivered properly.

Developing Communities

We have worked in the City Centre of Bradford with other supporting agencies to develop community cohesion and bring diverse groups together; we have partnered with a number of local partners in delivering partnership projects.

Plans for the future

We hope to continue developing new and innovative programmes to meet the needs of the organisation and be in a better position to achieve our aims and objectives.

The key targets set for the coming years are to –

- Engage more children and young people to take up more volunteering positions and achieve their potential in areas of training and development
- Develop our feed the homeless programme with an aim to obtain a mobile van or deliver from a fixed location to create a welcoming environment
- Build a good network of partners to deliver value for money projects and work with building relationships with diverse faith and community groups

Structure, Governance and Management Organisation and Governance Document

Inspire Futures Foundation is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) which was entered on the Register of Charities on 12th November 2015.

The current Chief Executive position is the Co-ordinator of the Charity, Mushtaq Hussain, who maintains the day-to-day operations of the Charity.

The current Board of Trustees consists of four appointed individuals who are required to comply with the Governing document and follow the protocols of the Charity in terms of maintaining their high level of skill, following the Charity Commission Guidelines, keeping abreast of Policies, and the Procedures and Practices implemented by the Charity.

All Trustees are required to undertake a full induction and make any specific requests for personal training and development needs to help them in their role. The existing Trustees are responsible for the recruitment and selection of new trustees taking into regard the skills required for the Charity.

Risk Management

The Trustees have a duty to identify and review the risks to which the charity is exposed and to ensure appropriate controls are in place to provide reasonable assurance against fraud and error.

The Trustees have implemented a risk matrix which identifies the major risks by area of activity, the nature of those risks, the likelihood of the risks happening and the measures taken to manage the risks.

The Trustees confirm that a risk assessment is regularly reviewed and are satisfied that the systems in place are adequate to manage the potential risks that have been identified.

Public Benefit

The Charity has due regard to the guidance published by the Charity Commission on Public Benefit.

We have addressed the key activities under the achievements section to highlight how the public have benefited.

The Structure

The Board of Trustees are the body of Governance who oversee and manage the Governance and strategic planning of the Charity, and must at all time adhere to the aims and objectives paying specific regard to their duties and power as set in the Constitution.

The operational activities are managed by the CEO and founder of the Charity, Mushtaq Hussain, who reports on activities and operations to the Board on regular Trustee Board meetings.

Due to the working style and reliance on a 100% donation policy approach, the Charity relies heavily on a collective approach to direct the organisation in the right direction and activities are planned and monitored comply with the Charities aims and objectives.

Marketing and Publicity

Inspire Futures Foundation has a very powerful presence in the local and national community. Through the use of social media and regular showcasing of the activities, the Charity is able to keep donors, supporters and potential donors abreast of all activities delivered.

We are currently developing partnership working to help people have access to information around training, development, employment opportunities, access to benefit information and other important resources.

Child Protection – A Child Protection Policy is in place and we are due to carry out further enhanced training in this area to keep abreast of changes.

GDPR – Our CEO is the nominated Data Protection Officer who is working to develop a strategic plan to work towards a complete GDPR compliance system.

We are currently reviewing our strategic position, and have engaged in the re-structuring of the way the charity operates to develop a new vision, review all the policies and look at new changes that have an impact on the Charity.

We continue to look for new Trustees that will shape our future.

We thank everyone for supporting us and we will strive for success!

INSPIRE FUTURES FOUNDATION
2024 - 2025

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

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YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

REGISTERED OFFICE

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Statement of financial activities

for the year ended 31st March 2025

	Notes	Unrestricted <u>Funds</u> £	Restricted <u>Funds</u> £	Total Funds Year to <u>31st March 2025</u> £	Total Funds Year to <u>31st March 2024</u> £
<u>Income & Expenditure</u>					
<u>Incoming Resources</u>					
Donations & Similar Income	2	35443		35443	19524
Gift Aid				0	
Activities in furtherance of the Charity's Objects:					
Grants receivable	3			0	
Interest Receivable	4			0	
Total Incoming Resources		<u>35443</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>35443</u>	<u>19524</u>
<u>Resources Expended</u>					
Direct Charitable Expenditure	5	32074		32074	17565
Donations to Other Charities	6			0	
Management and Administration of the charity	7	1547		1547	2665
Total Resources Expended		<u>33621</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>33621</u>	<u>20230</u>
		33221			
Net Incoming / (Outgoing) Resources for the Year		1822	0	1822	-706
Incoming Restricted Funds				0	0
Net Movement in Funds		<u>1822</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1822</u>	<u>(706)</u>
Balance b/f Forward at 1 April 2024	10				
Balance Carried Forward at 31 March 2025	10			<u>1822</u>	<u>-706</u>

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Balance Sheet
as at 31 March 2025

	Notes	<u>31-Mar-25</u>		<u>31-Mar-24</u>	
		£	£	£	£
<u>Fixed Assets</u>					
Tangible Fixed Asset	8		0		
<u>Current Assets</u>					
Cash In Hand		310		310	
Cash in Bank		17545		15323	
		17855		15633	
<u>Liabilities</u>					
Amount falling due within one year	9	400			
Net Current Assets			17455		15633
Total Asset Less Current Liabilities			17455		15633
<u>Liabilities</u>					
Amount falling due after more than one year			Nil		
Net Assets			17455		15633
<u>Funds</u>					
<i>Funds b/f -Year Ended 31 March 2024</i>		15633		16339	
Unrestricted		1822		-706	
Restricted	10	0	17455		15633
Total Funds			17455		15633
			0		

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Notes to the financial statements

for the year ending 31 March 2025

1 Accounting Policies

Basis of Preparation

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Charities Act 1993.

	Unrestricted Fund £	Restricted Fund £	Total Funds Year To 31-Mar-25 £	Total Funds Year To 31-Mar-24
2 Donations & Other Income				
SADAQA	11875		11875	8405
ZAKAH	21938		21938	9944
FITRANA	630		630	1175
Abroad	500		500	
others	500		500	
	35443	0	35443	19524
3 Grants Received				
	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0
4 Interest Received				
Bank Interest Receivable	-	-	-	0
	-	-	-	0
5 Direct Charitable Expenditure				
Wages & NIC			0	
	0	0	0	0
6 Donations				
Providing Meals (UK)				7365
Sadqa	11312		11312	
Zakah Cash Grants (UK)	17100		17100	9275
Fatrina (UK)	42		42	85
Project Abroad (Qurbani)	3620		3620	840
Abroad				
others			0	
	32074	0 0	32074	17565
7 Management and Administration of the Charity				
Office/Admin	1147		1147	2665
Accountancy Charges	400		400	
	1547	0	1547	2665

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8 Schedule of Tangible Fixed Assets

	Land & Building £	Fixture & Fittings £	Plant & Machinery £	Total £
As At 1 April 2024				0
Additions				0
Improvements				0
Depreciation				0
As At 31 March 2025	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

9 Liabilities: Amount falling due within one year

	£
Trade Creditors & accruals	400
	<u>400</u>

10 Restricted Funds

	£
Balance as at 1 April 2024	15633
Incoming Resources	35443
	<u>51076</u>
Outgoing Resources	<u>33621</u>
Balance as at 31 March 2025	<u>17455</u>

11 Previous Years Financial Summary

Financial Summary the for year ended 31 March 2025 includes funds for Inspire Future Foundation only and it doesn't consolidate income & exp of other associated charities.

**INDEPENDENT EXAMINERS' REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF INSPIRE FUTURE FOUNDATION
CHARITABLE TRUST FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025**

I report on the unaudited accounts of the INSPIRE FUTURE FOUNDATION of the charity no 1164394 for the year ended 31ST March 2025 set out on pages 1 to 4.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF TRUSTEES AND INDEPENDENT EXAMINER

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under the Charities Act 2011 (previously section 43(2) of Charities Act 1993) and that an independent examination is needed.

Having been satisfied that the charity is not subject to audit and eligible for Independent Examination it is my responsibility to:

- Examine the accounts (under Charities Act 2011, (section 43(3)(a) of the Charities Act 1993);
- To follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission Charities Act 2011 (under section 43(7) (b) of the 1993Act); and
- To state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

BASIS OF INDEPENDENT EXAMINERS' REPORT

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 the seeking of 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 account present "true and fair view" and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

INDEPENDENT EXAMINERS' STATEMENT

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

1. which gives me reasonable cause to believe that, in any material respect, the requirements;
 - to keep accounting records in accordance with Charities Act 2011 (541 of the Charities Act 1993); and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and to comply with the accounting requirements of the 2011Act have not been met; or
2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

HM Accountants Ltd
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Signed: 
Shahid Halim
BA(Hons) -AFA/MIPA/-IFA

Dated:30th January 2026

