



## Trustees' Annual Report for the period

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

### Section A

### Reference and administration details

Charity name

Learning For Life Ghana

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any) 1169915

Charity's principal address

98, Shipton Road

York

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Postcode

YO30 5RN

### 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)
1	Julia Burnett	CEO	20-10-16 to date	
2	Joanna Lynas	Treasurer	20-10-16 to date	
3	Heather Tisbury	Welfare officer	30-08-18 to date	
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### Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

### Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

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

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## Section B Structure, governance and management

### Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	Constitution
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	Charitable Incorporated Organisation
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	Appointed by 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.

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## Section C Objectives and activities

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

For the public benefit to promote the education of young people in Ghana by awarding scholarships, maintenance allowances or grants to support further or higher education. To provide and prepare learners for entry into an occupation, trade or profession on leaving full time school and assist in developing life skills needed for independent living.

To fund raise and gain sponsorship for learners to complete appropriate training / educational courses.

**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.

All trustees of Learning For Life Ghana are volunteers and do not receive any financial remuneration for their efforts in achieving the aims of the charity.

Following the FCDO 'Tools For Teachers' project completed in 2022, feedback remains positive and skills learned continue to be shared amongst local teachers and the children are forging ahead with their literacy skills. Schools in UK are sharing their surplus resources which LFLG have sent to be shared in Ghanaian schools. The Ghanaian pupils learning experience has been enhanced and lending libraries have been established in several schools. Ghana Education Service personnel monitoring these schools have been impressed that the Basic Education Certificate Examination (BECE) results in these schools have improved year on year over the last 4 years. English Maths and Science Examination grades previously sat in the lower ranges of 5, 6 and 7 and this year grades of 1-4 have been achieved in all three subjects. The profile of these schools has risen, resulting in happy children, happy parents, proud teachers, satisfied GES inspectors, and more guardians wanting to enrol their wards. This in turn brings more funds into the school and makes it self-sustaining.

LFLG volunteers in Ghana and UK continue to oversee the establishment of young learners into further and higher education training opportunities.

LFLG have a strong policy portfolio in place that is reviewed annually by the trustees.

**Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year**

LFLG is presently supporting 17 students in a variety of learning environments :

University (following degrees in Economics, Health Science and Chemistry)

SHS

Seamstress School

Physiotherapy College

Apprenticeships in mechanical engineering, constructional engineering, electrical engineering and hair and beauty.

IT training school following a variety of computer courses.

12 learners completed their studies/training courses this year and have now gained full time employment or set up their own businesses.

Provided early years and primary classroom resources for teachers and pupils in several schools in the greater Accra district.

Collection of donated educational resources shipped to Ghana and distributed to schools and young learners.

Detailed due diligence portfolio of Learning For Life Ghana policies updated and signed by trustees.

LFLG Held an awareness evening to feedback to supporters and those interested in the work of the charity. Attendance was 78 individuals.

## Section E

## Financial review

### Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

The charity has raised donations from private donors and this cash is distributed in support of charitable causes over the course of time with all UK charity personnel working on a voluntary basis. There are no other reserves.

### 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 charity spent £5831.68 on supporting specific students in Ghana through education, as outlined in more detail above.

The annual accounts have been verified as accurate and correct.

## Section F

## Other optional information

## 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)

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Date

Julia Burnett

CEO

01-05-2024



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Learning For Life Ghana

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## Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	Period start date 4/1/2023	To	Period end date 3/31/2024
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### 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 £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Voluntary Donations	4,452	-	-	4,452	2,654
HMRC Gift Aid	503	-	-	503	194
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total (Gross income for AR)</b>	<b>4,955</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,955</b>	<b>2,848</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>4,955</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,955</b>	<b>2,848</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Student Fees	5,831	-	-	5,831	5,756
Other Expenses	58	-	-	58	98
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>5,889</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,889</b>	<b>5,854</b>
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>5,889</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,889</b>	<b>5,854</b>
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	<b>- 934</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>- 934</b>	<b>- 3,006</b>
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	<b>- 934</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>- 934</b>	<b>- 3,006</b>

## 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 £
<b>B1 Cash funds</b>		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	-	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	Agreement Error	OK	OK
		Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
<b>B2 Other monetary assets</b>		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
<b>B3 Investment assets</b>		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
<b>B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use</b>		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
<b>B5 Liabilities</b>		Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval	
		J. Burnett	5/3/2024	