



Trustees' Annual Report for the period						
From	Period start date			To	Period end date	
	Day 01	Month 04	Year 2020		Day 31	Month 03

## Section A Reference and administration details

<b>Charity name</b>	CHILDRENS' SPECIAL NEEDS FOUNDATION SIERRA LEONE		
<b>Other names charity is known by</b>			
<b>Registered charity number (if any)</b>	117741		
<b>Charity's principal address</b>	175 Springbank Rd		
	Hither Green		
	London		
	<b>Postcode</b>	SE13 6ST	

### 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	Agnes Macarthy	CEO		
2	Nigel Drew	Treasurer		
3	Esther Gooden			
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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

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### 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)	
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	By appointment

### 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
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## Section C Objectives and activities

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

The object of the CIO is for the public benefit, by the relief and assistance of young people with special education needs and disabilities in Freetown Sierra Leone by the building and managing of a specialist day and boarding school for girls and boys with disabilities. The school will be free to pupils from Sierra Leone.

**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)**

The Charity has established an office in Freetown Sierra Leone and registered with the local authorities. Pupils with communication difficulties have been registered with the charity. The Charity has been actively seeking contacts with the parents and the wider community to encourage a better understanding of disability. The trustees have in planning their activities for the year reviewed the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit at their trustee meetings

**Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)**

None

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

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

## Section D

## Achievements and performance

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

During the past year because of COVID it has been very difficult to operate. The office has been open for some of the year to provide support to parents and children. There has been no opportunity to fund raise since such activities for fundraising in the UK were severely restricted.

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

No reserves are held.

**Details of any funds materially in deficit**

**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.

No funds were obtained from fund raising initiatives and crowdfunding donations The only funds were from gift aid.

**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)** N.Drew

**Full name(s)** Nigel Drew

**Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)** Treasurer

**Date** 10/11/2021