



# BROOKVALE GROBY LEARNING CAMPUS

Valuing Everyone, Achieving Excellence

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Dear Parent / Guardian

I have shared a number of times about the challenges facing schools nationally with regards to funding and BGLC is no different. We are currently looking at a significant in year deficit and are having to look very hard at where we can make savings.

I am determined to protect our offer to students and ensure they do not see or feel any cost saving cuts but it is becoming more challenging.

I am aware that many of our parents / guardians often work for companies that take seriously their commitment to Social Responsibility and supporting their community, so in short this letter is to ask if anyone would be willing to approach their firms and seek sponsorship for some of the items that are listed below, rather than just donations.

In return we can offer positive exposure through our social media channels and parental communications and hopefully a pipeline of talented students who can be the employees of the future.

This is very much a case of seeking to explore all possible avenues and I am acutely aware that many businesses are also finding it challenging times but if I don't ask, I will never know.

I am hoping this letter may yield some interest and help ensure we can continue to offer the very best for our students. Please contact [Headteacher@brookvalegroby.com](mailto:Headteacher@brookvalegroby.com) if you feel like this is something you might be able to support with.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher

ITEM	IMPORTANCE	COST
<b>Subscriptions</b>		
Sparx Maths	Securing and developing students' mathematical knowledge independently. The platform identifies knowledge gaps, provides intervention and leads to rapid progress when used effectively.	£2000
Reading Plus	A platform designed to secure rapid gains in students reading speed, fluency, comprehension and vocabulary. Whilst exposing them to a wide range of different genres	£3933 (£11800 for 3yrs ends 2026)
Tassomai	Used in Science and History this platform identifies knowledge gaps, provides intervention and leads to rapid progress when used effectively.	£445 - History £5530 - English & Science
Unifrog	An online careers portal to guide students towards pathways of their choice and support with applications, CVs and work experience.	£668
The Everlearner	Online platform that supports Sport Studies, GCSE PE and A-Level PE. Students can watch videos to support classroom learning and self-test and complete checkpoints. Used by teachers to set homework. There is also an exam marker section that we don't currently pay for.	£536
<b>Enrichment</b>		
Duke of Edinburgh	life-changing experience. An opportunity to have fun with friends. A chance to discover new interests and talents. A tool to develop essential skills for life and work. A recognised mark of achievement, respected by employers. The DofE is many things to many people, supporting generations to successfully navigate life.	£1275
Action Jackson	A motivational speaker who develops, aspiration, resilience and hope in young people	
Paul Hannaford	An inspiring speaker who highlights the dangerous of drug misuse, knife crime and county lines and provides strategies for students to stay safe	£1500
Humanutopia	A life-changing programme aimed at improving the mental health & wellbeing of all participants by empowering them to make positive changes in their life.	£2500

Maximise your Potential	Bespoke study skills for each of the secondary schools years: Increase motivation Better study practice Effective revision strategies Build resilience Stress management Raise attainment	£1600
Affiliation to Hinckley and Bosworth School Sport Partnership and Team Leicestershire	Affiliation allows us to enter local and county level competitions. We have also had HBSSPAN in to train some Sports Leaders and taken groups of KS3 students to events targeting the inactive.	£795 for HBSSPAN £320 for Team Leicestershire 2023-24 fees - they could increase for 2024-25.
<b>Resources</b>		
Reading Books	Every day and across every year our students read a carefully selected text to improve cultural capital and develop a love of reading.	£500 / Year Group
Sports Team Kits	We have the widest ranging offer of extracurricular sports activities and teams for students to participate in of any school in the area. For some of the students involved this is their only involvement in organised sport. For all of them it is one of the most memorable aspects of their time at school.	£500
Year 11 Exam Revision Packs	Revision packs gifted to students before their Autumn mocks including stationery including pens, highlighters, Post-It notes, flash cards. Providing students with a range of resources for them to use for the mock exam preparation.	£385
Lightboxes	A4 up to A2 for ADT subjects (several)	Range from £20 - £60
Guillotine	Large for ADT x 3 (across both sites)	£176
Laser Cutter	Additional Laser cutter would improve speed in which work could be produced in the area by the students as we have more taking the subject and demand is high.	£5000
Heat Press	Textiles printing	£190

Support		
Mindfulness Coaching	121 and small group work to support students who are struggling with the challenges of life, stress, anxiety, trauma, confidence etc. Providing students with practical strategies to support them in and outside of school	
ELSA Staff CPD	An ELSA in a school is an <b>Emotional Literacy Support Assistant</b> . There is a recognised training course aimed specifically at Teaching Assistants or other specialist school roles. ELSAs are specialists with a wealth of experience of working with children and young people. ELSAs are trained and regularly supervised by Educational Psychologists. The course tends to be 6 full days and covers many areas from emotional literacy to active listening.	£600
PIXL	PiXL is a partnership of thousands of schools, colleges, and alternative education providers spanning KS1-5. We are here to walk alongside school leaders, helping to equip them as they work to improve life chances and outcomes and act as agents of change in their schools.	£4500
Celebrations		
End of term Awards	Each term we run celebration assemblies of all years and love to give out small rewards in recognition of our amazing students	£100 / Year group each term
Year 11 and 13 Leavers' Assemblies	An end of Key Stage celebration, to ensure the students leave the campus with great lasting memories.	£500
Celebration of Excellence Evening	Each June we celebrate the successes of our students in Years 7, 8, 9 and 10 during the previous year. During the event we present awards to the most outstanding students in each subject in each year. It is an event that sees approximately 300 people gather to mark these achievements.	£600
Sports Presentation Evening	Annual awards ceremony that celebrates the sporting achievements of our students. Attendance figures are usually around the 300 mark.	Trophies/engraving cost £787.80 in 2023