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Annual report and financial statements

31 August 2013

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Reference and administrative information

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Mrs Caroline Donne Lord Harris of Peckham Mr Simon Hughes MP Rev Mark John Steadman Mr Philip John Saunders

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Mr Darren Coghlan Mrs Caroline Donne

Mr Paul Jacobs (Responsible Officer)

Mrs Juliette Marshall (Support Staff Governor) Mr Paul Nancarrow (Teacher Governor)

Mrs Pamela Noble

Father Richard Norman (Associate Governor)

Rev Canon David Peacock

Mr Neil Spence

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Company Secretary Mrs Barbara Lane (Resigned 31 July 2013)

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The trustees present their report together with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2013. The report has been prepared in accordance with Part VIII of the Charities Act 2011.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies on pages 28 to 31 of these financial statements, and comply with the charitable company's Memorandum and Articles of Association, the Companies Act 2006, and the requirements of the Statement of Recommended Practice "Accounting and Reporting by Charities" as issued in March 2005 ('SORP 2005')

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Constitution

Bacon's College is a company limited by guarantee (company registration no 02490773) It became an exempt charity on 1 August 2011. The primary governing documents are the Memorandum and Articles of Association, which set out the procedures for appointing trustees and regulating the work of the Board. Trustees are appointed by the Southwark Diocesan Board of Education (SDBE), The Philip and Pauline Harris Charitable Trust (PPHCT) and the Secretary of State for Education. The members of the charitable company, the trustees, shall not be less than four but are not subject to any maximum number. They shall include

- six trustees appointed by the Principal Sponsor (SDBE) or such other number that reflects the ratio of trustees appointed by the Principal Sponsor to trustees appointed by PPHCT,
- ♦ four trustees appointed by PPHCT or such other number that reflects the ratio of trustees appointed by PPHCT to trustees appointed by the Principal Sponsor, and
- one trustee appointed by the Secretary of State for Education

The Articles of Association require the trustees of the company to appoint governors, in proportion to reflect the balance of the composition of the trustees, to be responsible for the administration and running of the College

In accordance with the Articles of Association, the charitable company has adopted a "Scheme of Government" approved by the Secretary of State for Education. The Scheme of Government specifies, amongst other things, the basis for admitting students to the College, the catchment area from which the students are drawn, and that the curriculum should comply with the substance of the national curriculum with an emphasis on digital media. Such a curriculum shall have regard to the promotion of education in the principles of the Church of England.

Principal activities

Bacon's College provides education for children of different abilities between the ages of 11 and 19, within the principles of the Church of England, and with an emphasis on digital media

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT (continued)

Academy Status

The College was granted Academy status on 1 September 2007 The trustees and the governors saw significant benefits for the College in changing to Academy status from a City Technology College. In particular, additional capital funds were made available to Bacon's College to re-configure the existing College building to house the digital media and technology specialism. These enhanced facilities will help the College provide modern specialist courses which will improve the employability of students. The change of status was a very easy transition for the College as the Academy model is based closely on the City Technology College model.

Members' liability

Every member of the charitable company undertakes to contribute to the assets of the charitable company in the event of it being wound up while he/she is a member, or within one year after he/she ceases to be a member, such amount as may be required, not exceeding £10, for the debts and liabilities contracted before he/she ceases to be a member

Trustees

The trustees are directors of the company for the purposes of the Companies Act 2006

The following trustees served throughout the year and up to the date this report was signed

Trustees

Rev Canon D Peacock (Chairman)
Mrs Caroline Donne
Lord Harris of Peckham
Mr Simon Hughes MP
Rev Mark John Steadman
Mr Philip John Saunders

The term of office for any trustee shall be four years, although the nominating bodies may re-nominate the trustees to serve for a further period. Whilst all serving trustees are experienced and have a good understanding of their role and responsibilities, training and development needs are reviewed on an ongoing basis to ensure all governance requirements are met

During the year under review, the trustees held meetings on a regular basis

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT (continued)

Trustees', governors' and officers' insurance

In accordance with normal commercial practice, the College has purchased insurance to protect trustees, governors and officers from claims arising from negligent acts, errors or omissions occurring whilst on College business. The insurance cover is up to £1,000,000 on any one claim and the cost for the year was £900 (2012 - £900)

The College also insures against any losses of money or goods resulting from fraud or dishonesty by College employees The insurance provides cover up to £250,000 and the cost for the year was £3,843 (2012 - £3,761)

Organisational structure

The trustees appoint the governors They have also devolved most of their powers to the governors who serve on the governing body. The trustees meet periodically, as required, and retain direct responsibility for

- the approval of the College budget each year, and
- the position of the Principal

The trustees have delegated to the governors the responsibility for ensuring that an effective system of internal control, financial and otherwise, is maintained and operated by the College This is further explained in the Governance Statement

Senior Leadership Team (SLT)

The SLT during the year included the Principal, two Vice Principals (Vice Principal Head of School with responsibility for all daily operations and admissions, and Vice Principal Academic Standards with responsibility for standards), the Director of Finance and Human Resources, three Key Stage Directors (KS 3/4 and 5), and three Assistant Heads each with specific responsibilities for the whole College

These leaders are executives of the College and develop and implement policies agreed by the governing body and are responsible for the authorisation of spending within agreed budgets Curriculum spending is controlled by curriculum leaders, who in turn, are managed by a member of the SLT

There are clear guidelines, which are monitored by the senior leaders, on how spending should be carried out

Recruitment of staff is also carried out by members of the SLT, with the Principal directly involved in all appointments

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT (continued)

Risk management

The trustees and governors have been assured that the major risks to which the College is exposed have been reviewed and systems have been established to mitigate those risks

The College has an effective system of internal financial controls and this is explained in more detail in the governance statement

Related companies

Bacon's College Educational and Community Services Limited

The College owns 100% of the issued ordinary share capital of Bacon's College Educational and Community Services Limited ("BCECS Ltd"), a company incorporated in the United Kingdom (Company Registration no 02813215) Consolidated financial statements are not prepared on the basis that the results of the trading company are not deemed material

Bacon's College Community Services Limited

During the year ended 31 August 2005, the College set up a separate legal entity, Bacon's College Community Services Limited ("BCCS Ltd"), to develop and provide recreational facilities on the Mellish Fields site which adjoins the College

BCCS Ltd was incorporated as a company limited by guarantee on 24 December 2004 (Company Registration No 05321174) and registered as a charity on 2 September 2005 (Charity Registration No 1111158)

The Principal and three governors of the College served as directors of BCCS Ltd during the year ended 31 August 2013 Bacon's College does not control BCCS Ltd Therefore BCCS Ltd is not consolidated within the College's financial statements

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objects and activities

The College's Mission Statement states that "raising standards and creating opportunities within a framework of Christian values" is the primary objective. The College has a strong focus on academic outcomes at all levels and is also committed to the personal development of all its students. There are significant funds provided for staff training with support and encouragement for higher qualifications and accreditation. There is a well established Development Planning Cycle with individual target setting supported by appraisal for each member of staff. Without such a systematic and strategic approach, planned improvement and progress would not happen.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES (continued)

Objects and activities (continued)

The main objectives of the College during the year ended 31 August 2013, and the strategies for achieving them, are summarised below

- ♦ To raise the educational standard of achievements of all students,
- ◆ To ensure that every student enjoys the same high quality education in terms of resourcing tuition and care,
- ◆ To improve the effectiveness of the College by keeping the curriculum and organisational structure under continual review,
- To provide value for money for the funds expended,
- To comply with all appropriate statutory and curriculum requirements,
- ◆ To maintain close links with industry and commerce, and
- To conduct the College's business in accordance with the highest standard of integrity, probity and openness

Public benefit

In setting the College objectives and planning its activities the trustees have given careful consideration to the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit

Equal opportunities policy

The trustees recognise that equal opportunities should be an integral part of good practice within the workplace. The College has established equal opportunity in all areas of its activities including creating a working environment in which the contribution and needs of all people are fully valued.

Disabled persons

The policy of the College is to support the employment of disabled persons both in recruitment and by retention of employees who become disabled whilst in the employment of the College. It also has an inclusive policy for the recruitment of students. Lifts, ramps and disabled toilets have been installed and door widths have been enlarged to enable wheelchair access to all the main areas of the College.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

As indicated in last year's trustees' report, a set of improvement priorities were set for 2012-2013 designed to ensure the College raised standards on a range of fronts. It is pleasing to report that significant progress is evident across the board. The quality of teaching has improved so that most teaching at any given time is good or better. Exclusion data is now way below the national average where previously it was very high. Similarly student attendance and the number of students deemed to be persistent absentees have dropped significantly and are now below the national averages.

The above progress contributed to a very successful Ofsted Inspection during 2012/13 that deemed the overall effectiveness of the College as 'Good' with the judgements of the four key aspects as follows Behaviour and safety of pupils – Outstanding, Achievement of pupils – Good, Quality of teaching – Good, and Leadership and management – Good The summary of the key findings for parents and students is listed below

- Standards in English and mathematics are consistently well above average
- Students are very keen to learn and are proud of their school. Their outstanding attitudes and behaviour contribute to them achieving well over time.
- ♦ The quality of teaching is good. There is an unremitting drive to develop good teaching that stretches students so that they achieve well
- The quality of provision for students' spiritual, moral, social and cultural development is outstanding. This is a major contributory factor to them enjoying their education and achieving well.
- Effective pastoral support and early help make a significant difference to students in vulnerable circumstances improving their attendance and achievement
- The Principal is an inspirational and strategic leader who has galvanised staff and increased their ownership of change. As a result, there is a resolute focus on school improvement.
- The sixth form is strong Standards at A-level are above-average, teaching is of high quality and students are prepared well for Higher Education
- Senior leaders' strategic use of extra Government funding ensures that eligible students achieve above all expectations
- The governing body provides challenge, seeks tangible evidence of the school's performance and is not satisfied unless outcomes are good or better
- Strong partnership work with external agencies supports vulnerable students to learn well and enjoy their education

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE (continued)

At A and AS level, candidates achieved an average of 227 points per entry There was a 97% pass rate and 83% of the grades were A* - C

At GCSE level, 70% of the students received five or more grades A^* - C and 95% of the students received five or more passes at grades A^* - G 66% of the students achieved five or more A^* - C grades including English and Maths

Progress

English

	2011	2012	2013
Cohort	166	179	173
School	76	70	79
National	71	68	69
Difference to NA	5	2	10
FFTA		71	71
Difference to FFTA		-1	8

Expected progress exceeded the national average by 10% and highest FFT (Fisher Foundation Trust) estimate by 8%

English Progress by prior ability group

♦ National Average for expected progress in 2013 was 71%, Bacon's College achieved 79% likely to be Sig+ 31% of students made more than expected progress

Expected Progress in English, KS2 sub group compared to the 2012 national average

- ♦ Below L4 (low ability) Well above the national average L3 +22% (cohort size 17 students) and L2 +52% (cohort size 3 students)
- ↓ L4 (middle ability) Well above the national average +11% (cohort size 99 students)
- ◆ L5 (high ability) above the national average +6% (cohort size 49 students)

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE (continued)

Progress (continued)

English (continued)

English progress by key sub-groups

All sub-groups are performing above the national average and in-line with or exceeding the highest FFT estimate

Maths

Expected Progress in m	aths (3 Levels of p	rogress from Key S	tage 2 to 4)
	2011	2012	2013
Cohort	166	179	173
School	70	70	68
National	64	69	70
Difference to NA	6	1	-2
FFTA		68	63
Difference to FFTA		2	5

Expected progress in maths exceeded the highest FFT estimate by 5%. Although it is 2% below the national average

Maths Progress by prior ability group

♦ National Average for expected progress in 2013 was 72%, Bacon's College achieved 68% 41% of students made more than expected progress

Expected Progress in Maths by KS2 sub-group

- Below L4 (low ability) In line with the national average L3 +11% (cohort size 22 students), L2 -21% (cohort size 2 students)
- ♦ L4 (middle ability) In line with the national average -5% (cohort size 83 students)
- L5 (high ability) in line with the national average -4% (cohort size 63 students)

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE (continued)

Progress (continued)

Maths (continued)

Maths progress by key sub-groups

Free School Meal students (FSM) and White British students (WBRI) are performing below the national average by 11% and 21% respectively FSM are in line with the highest FFT estimate

Progress Sub-group gap analysis

Compares the progress of each sub-group members to all non-members E g FSM to non-FSM etc. This gives an indication as to whether 'gaps' are narrowing or widening over time

	2013			2012		
	FSM6	Other	Difference	FSM	Other	Difference
Number of Pupils	103	70	33	51	128	-77
% of pupils	60%	40%	20%	28%	72%	-44%
% of pupils making expected progress in Eng	75%	85%	-10%	53%	77%	-24%
% of pupils making expected progress in Maths	62%	78%	-16%	63%	71%	-8%

The progress of FSM6 and Non-FSM6 'Narrowing the Gap'

- 2011 and 2012 RAISE indicated a significantly positive performance by Bacon's College FSM6 students when compared to the national averages National averages are unavailable for comparison at the time of writing
- ♦ There was a 20% increase in the proportion of FSM pupils in the Year 11 cohort between 2012 and 2013
- ◆ 22% more FSM students made expected progress in English than last year, 1% more than the national average for all FSM6 students. The percentage of FSM students achieving expected progress in maths was in line with last year

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Financial report for the year

Most of the College's income is obtained from the Education Funding Agency (EFA) in the form of recurrent grants, the use of which is restricted to particular purposes. The grants received from the EFA during the year and the associated expenditure are shown as restricted funds in the statement of financial activities

The College also received grants for fixed assets from the EFA and its sponsors. In accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP 2005), Accounting and Reporting by Charities, such grants are shown in the statement of financial activities as restricted income within the fixed assets funds. The balance sheet restricted fixed assets fund is reduced by expenditure equivalent to any depreciation charges over the expected useful life of the assets concerned

The net income for the year excluding the fixed assets fund and before gains and losses but after transfers was £367,037 (2012 - £201,313 deficit) The net movement in funds for the year, after actuarial gain (loss) on FRS17 liability, was a surplus of £462,057 (2012 -£1,142,804 surplus) This includes a donation made under gift aid by BCECS Ltd to the College of £128,701 during the year (see note 12)

At 31 August 2013, the net book value of tangible fixed assets was £17,280,564 (2012 -£17,252,544) The movements in the tangible fixed assets are shown in note 11 to the financial statements Tangible fixed assets are all held for use by the College The FRS17 pension liability in relation to the London Borough of Southwark Pension Scheme was £668,600 (2012 - £627,600) at the year end Details of the pension scheme are given in note 8 of these financial statements

Financial and risk management objectives and policies

The College has identified the following financial risks and have put in place policies to mitigate these risks

- Financial shortfall due to lack of student numbers in Yr7
- Financial shortfall due to lack of recruitment into Post16 education
- Financial shortfall due to a fall in student numbers generally

Principal risks and uncertainties

The trustees and governors have given careful consideration to the relevant risks and uncertainties faced by the College and the risks listed below are deemed to be the key areas for concern

- permanent loss of senior staff resulting in lack of expertise,
- uncertainty over outcomes in students' examination results,
- long term staff absence leading to financial and educational risks,

FINANCIAL REVIEW (continued)

Principal risks and uncertainties (continued)

- financial shortfall due to fall in student numbers generally and lack of recruitment relating to post-16 students, and
- litigation by employees as a consequence of work practices

Reserves policy and financial position

Investment policy

Monies surplus to requirements are held within bank deposit accounts

Financial position

At 31 August 2013, the College had total funds of £18,413,086 (2012 - £17,951,029) This comprised of £17,924,262 (2012 - £17,600,164) of total restricted funds and £488,824 of unrestricted general funds (2012 - £350,865) The pension reserve balance of £668,600 (2012 - £627,600), which is in deficit relates to the local government defined benefit scheme for non teaching staff (see note 8) The fund balances are adequate to fulfil the obligations of the College and provide a balance against most unforeseen future events and any cash outflows as a result of the pension deficit will arise over a number of years. To achieve the development plan objectives and for other major projects, the College remains dependent on the provision of additional grants from the EFA including in relation to capital projects

Reserves policy

The College's level of free reserves (total funds less the amount held in fixed assets, pension reserve, EFA developed formula capital grants fund and restricted funds relating to non EFA grants) was £1,298,360 at 31 August 2013 (2012 - £956,244) The College trustees are continuing to review the level of free reserves and will agree upon the reserves policy in the coming year

The revenue generated by the trading subsidiary, BCECS Ltd, was higher than the previous year (see note 12) The profit on ordinary activities before gift aid was £128,511 (2012 -£43,029) In the year ended 31 August 2013, BCECS Ltd donated £128,701 via Gift Aid to Bacon's College (2012 - £43,294 donated to BCCS Ltd)

Going concern

After making appropriate enquiries, the trustees have an expectation that the College has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future

PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

A further set of improvement priorities for 2013 - 2014 have now been identified to consolidate and extend the progress made last year. These include preparing for the many changes happening nationally, reducing disruption to the normal timetable, refining special education and disability provision, embedding the Student Support Services, establishing the new house system, reviewing key elements of human resources, and continuing with the campus improvement plan

The overarching ambition for these priorities is to better cater for individual students, build on their natural curiosity and promote creativity

AUDITOR

In so far as the trustees are aware

there is no relevant audit information of which the charity's auditor is unaware, and

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 the trustees have taken all steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of that information

Signed on behalf of the board of trustees

Approved by the board on 120 Commer 2013,

Scope of responsibility

The trustees and the Governing Body acknowledge that they have overall responsibility for ensuring that Bacon's College has an effective and appropriate system of control, financial and otherwise. However such a system is designed to manage rather than eliminate the risk of failure to achieve business objectives, and can provide only reasonable and not absolute assurance against material misstatement or loss

The trustees and governing body have delegated the day-to-day responsibility to the Principal, as Accounting Officer, for ensuring financial controls conform with the requirements of both propriety and good financial management and in accordance with the requirements and responsibilities assigned to it in the funding agreement between the College and the Secretary of State for Education The Principal is also responsible for reporting to the governing body any material weaknesses or breakdowns in internal control

Governance

The information on governance included here supplements that described in the trustees' report and in the statement of trustees' responsibilities. The trustees formally met three times during the year. Attendance during the year at trustees meetings was as follows

Trustee	Number of meetings attended	Out of a possible number
Rev Canon David Peacock (Chair)	3	3
Mrs Caroline Donne	2	3
Lord Harns of Peckham	_	3
Mr Simon Hughes MP	1	3
Rev Mark John Steadman	3	3
Mr Philip John Saunders	3	3

The governing body also formally met three times during the year. Attendance during the year at meetings of the governing body was as follows

Governor	Number of meetings attended	Out of a possible number
Eugene O'Keeffe (Chair)	3	3
Darren Coghlan	2	3
Caroline Donne	3	3
Paul Jacobs	3	3
Dick Liddell (Deceased 20		
March 2013)	1	2
Juliette Marshall	3	3
Paul Nancarrow	3	3
Pamela Noble	2	3
Rev Canon David Peacock	3	3
Neil Spence		3
Kath Whittam	3	3
Father Richard Norman	3	3

Governance (continued)

The Finance and General Purposes Committee is a sub-committee of the main governing body its purpose is to provide advice, support and guidance on all matters relating to college finances and general purposes including health and safety, monitor the use of all public funds and report to the governing body on a termly basis, consider budget plans presented by the Principal and the Director of Finance and Human Resources and monitor budgeted income and expenditure during the year, and consider the audit report and make recommendations to the governing body

During the year, members of the Finance and General Purposes Committee considered the College's budget at a time of austerity and oversaw the College's continuing development to ensure expenditure was in line with overall budgets and that value for money is achieved

No new members were appointed to the committee during the year

Attendance at the Finance and General Purposes Committee meetings in the year was as follows

Membership	Number of meetings attended	Out of a possible number
John Martin	3	3
Paul Jacobs	3	3
Dick Liddell (Deceased 20 March 2013)	_	1
Pamela Noble	3	3
Neil Spence	3	3
Eugene O'Keeffe	_	3

The purpose of the system of internal control

The system of internal control is designed to manage risk to a reasonable level rather than to eliminate all risk of failure to achieve policies, aims and objectives, it can therefore only provide reasonable and not absolute assurance of effectiveness. The system of internal control is based on an ongoing process designed to identify and prioritise the risks to the achievement of the College's policies, aims and objectives, to evaluate the likelihood of those risks being realised and the impact should they be realised, and to manage them efficiently, effectively and economically The system of internal control has been in place at the College for the year ended 31 August 2013 and up to the date of approval of the annual report and financial statements

Capacity to handle risk

The trustees and the governing body have reviewed the key risks to which the College is exposed together with the operating, financial and compliance controls that have been implemented to mitigate those risks. The trustees and the governing body are of the view that there is an ongoing process for identifying, evaluating and managing the College's significant risks that has been in place for the year ended 31 August 2013 and up to the date of approval of the annual report and financial statements. This process is regularly reviewed by the governing body

The risk and control framework

The College's system of internal financial control is based on a framework of regular management information and administrative procedures including the segregation of duties and a system of delegation and accountability. In particular, it includes

- comprehensive budgeting and monitoring systems with an annual budget and periodic financial reports which are reviewed and agreed by the trustees and the governing body,
- regular reviews by the Finance and General Purposes Committee of reports which indicate financial performance against the forecasts and of major purchase plans, capital works and expenditure programmes,
- setting targets to measure financial and other performance,
- clearly defined purchasing (asset purchase or capital investment) guidelines,
- delegation of authority and segregation of duties,
- identification and management of risks

The trustees and the governing body have considered the need for a specific internal audit function and has decided not to appoint an internal auditor. However, they have appointed Paul Jacobs as Responsible Officer ('RO') The RO's role includes giving advice on financial matters and performing a range of checks on the Academy's financial systems. On a termly basis, the RO will report to the governors on the operation of the systems of control and on the discharge of the trustees' and the governing body's financial responsibilities. As permitted by the Academies Financial Handbook, this task has been delegated to the external auditor. On a periodic basis, the external auditor reports to the RO on the operations of the system of control and on the discharge of the RO's financial responsibilities

Review of effectiveness

As Accounting Officer, the Principal has responsibility for reviewing the effectiveness of the system of internal control. During the year in question, the review has been informed by

- the work of the RO,
- the work of the external auditor,
- the financial management and governance self assessment process,
- the work of the Director of Finance and Human Resources within the College who have responsibility for the development and maintenance of the internal control framework

Review of effectiveness (continued)

The accounting officer has been advised of the implications of the result of their review of the system of internal control by the Finance and General Purposes Committee and a plan to address weaknesses and ensure continuous improvement of the system is in place

Approved by trustees and governors and signed on their behalf by

(Chair of Trustees) (DAVID PEACOCK)
Approved on 12/12/13

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Statement on regularity, propriety and compliance 31 August 2013

As Accounting Officer of Bacon's College, I have considered my responsibility to notify the College's trustees, governing body and the Education Funding Agency (EFA) of material irregularity, impropriety and non-compliance with EFA terms and conditions of funding, under the funding agreement in place between the College and the Secretary of State for Education As part of my consideration, I have had due regard to the requirements of the Academies Financial Handbook

I confirm that I and the College's trustees and the governing body are able to identify any material irregular or improper use of funds by the College, or material non-compliance with the terms and conditions of funding under the College's funding agreement and the Academies Financial Handbook

I confirm that no instances of material irregularity, impropriety or funding non-compliance have been discovered to date

12.12.13 Date

Statement of trustees' responsibilities 31 August 2013

The trustees (who act as directors of the College for the purposes of company law) are responsible for preparing the trustees' report and the financial statements in accordance with the Annual Accounts Requirements issued by the EFA, United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) and applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year Under company law, the trustees must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the College and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, 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' Statement of Recommended Practice (the Charities' SORP),
- make judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable United Kingdom 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 College will continue in operation

The trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the College's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the College and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the College and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The trustees are responsible for ensuring that in its conduct and operation the College applies financial and other controls, which conform with the requirements both of propriety and of good financial management. They are also responsible for ensuring grants received from the EFA have been applied for the purposes intended.

The trustees are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the College and financial information included on the College's website. Legislation in the United Kingdom governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

Approved by order of the members of the Board of trustees and signed on its behalf by

Chair of trustees DAVID PEACOCK)

Date 12/12/13.

Independent auditor's report on the financial statements to the members of Bacon's College

We have audited the financial statements of Bacon's College for the year ended 31 August 2013 which comprise the statement of financial activities, the balance sheet, the cash flow statement, the principal accounting policies and the related notes. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law, United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) and the Annual Accounts Direction 2012/13 issued by the EFA

This report is made solely to the charitable company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006 Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charitable company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charitable company's and the charitable company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

Respective responsibilities of the trustees and the auditor

The trustees of Bacon's College are also the directors of the charitable company for the purpose of company law

As explained more fully in the statement of trustees' responsibilities set out in the trustees' report, the trustees are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view

Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors

Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the charitable company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed, the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the trustees, and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and nonfinancial information in the trustees' report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we become aware of any apparent material inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report

Opinion

In our opinion

- the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the charitable company's affairs as at 31 August 2013 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for the year then ended,
- the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice,
- the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006, and
- the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Academies Accounts Direction 2013 issued by the EFA

Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the trustees' report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records, or
- certain disclosures of trustees' remuneration specified by law are not made, or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit

Avnish Savjani, Senior Statutory Auditor

for and on behalf of Buzzacott LLP, Statutory Auditor

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17 December 2013

Independent reporting auditor's assurance report on regularity to Bacon's College and the Education Funding Agency

In accordance with the terms of our engagement letter dated 17 September 2009 and further to the requirements of the EFA as included in the Academies Accounts Direction 2013, we have carried out an engagement to obtain limited assurance about whether the expenditure disbursed and income received by Bacon's College during the period from 1 September 2012 to 31 August 2013 have been applied to the purposes identified by Parliament and the financial transactions conform to the authorities which govern them

This report is made solely to Bacon's College and the EFA in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Bacon's College and the EFA those matters we are required to state in a report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Bacon's College and the EFA, for our work, for this report, or for the conclusion we have formed

Respective responsibilities of Bacon's College's accounting officer and the reporting auditor

The accounting officer is responsible, under the requirements of Bacon's College's funding agreement with the Secretary of State for Education and the Academies Financial Handbook, extant from 1 September 2012, for ensuring that expenditure disbursed and income received is applied for the purposes intended by Parliament and the financial transactions conform to the authorities which govern them

Our responsibilities for this engagement are established in the United Kingdom by our profession's ethical guidance and are to obtain limited assurance and report in accordance with our engagement letter and the requirements of the Academies Accounts Direction 2013 We report to you whether anything has come to our attention in carrying out our work which suggests that in all material respects, expenditure disbursed and income received during the period from 1 September 2012 to 31 August 2013 have not been applied to purposes intended by Parliament or that the financial transactions do not conform to the authorities which govern them

Approach

We conducted our engagement in accordance with the Academies Accounts Direction 2013 issued by the EFA. We performed a limited assurance engagement as defined in our engagement letter

The objective of a limited assurance engagement is to perform such procedures as to obtain information and explanations in order to provide us with sufficient appropriate evidence to express a negative conclusion on regularity

A limited assurance engagement is more limited in scope than a reasonable assurance engagement and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in a reasonable assurance engagement. Accordingly, we do not express a positive opinion

Approach (continued)

Our engagement includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the regularity and propriety of the College's income and expenditure

The work undertaken to draw to our conclusion includes

- An assessment of the risk of material irregularity and impropriety across all of the academy trust's activities,
- Further testing and review of the areas identified through the risk assessment including enquiry, identification of control processes and examination of supporting evidence across all areas identified as well as additional verification work where considered necessary, and
- Consideration of evidence obtained through the work detailed above and the work completed as part of our financial statements audit in order to support the regularity conclusion

Conclusion

In the course of our work, nothing has come to our attention which suggests that in all material respects the expenditure disbursed and income received during the period from 1 September 2012 to 31 August 2013 has not been applied to purposes intended by Parliament and the financial transactions do not conform to the authorities which govern them

Buzzacott LLP

Chartered Accountants

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17 December 2013

Statement of financial activities Year to 31 August 2013

	Notes	Unrestricted general funds	Restricted general funds	Restricted fixed assets fund	Total 2013 £	Total 2012 £
Income and expenditure and statement of total recognised gains and losses incoming resources						
Incoming resources from generating funds						
Voluntary income	12	70,758	57,943	_	128,701	_
Investment income	2	43,945	_	_	43,945	36,512
Incoming resources from chantable activities						
Funding for College's educational operations Other income	3	 3.417	9,427,887 58,119	525,174 —	9,953,061 61,536	11,146,826 93,959
Total incoming resources	·	118,120	9,543,949	525,174	10,187,243	11,277,297
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Resources expended Chantable activities						
College's educational operations	5	(19,839)	9,004,630	775,049	9,759,840	9,901,555
Governance costs	6	· · ·	32,346	· -	32,346	33,938
Total resources expended	7	(19,839)	9,036,976	775,049	9,792,186	9,935,493
Net incoming (outgoing) resources before transfers		137,959	506,973	(249,875)	395,057	1,341,804
Transfers between funds	15	_	(277,895)	277,895	_	
Net incoming resources after transfers		137,959	229,078	28,020	395,057	1,341,804
Other recognised gains and losses Actuarial gain (loss) on defined benefit pension	1					
scheme	8		67,000		67,000	(199,000)
Net movement in funds		137,959	296,078	28,020	462,057	1,142,804
Balances brought forward						
at 1 September 2012		350,865	347,620	17,252,544	17,951,029	16,808,225
Balances carried forward						
at 31 August 2013		488,824	643,698	17,280,564	18,413,086	17,951,029

All of the Academy's activities derive from continuing operations during the above two financial periods

Balance sheet 31 August 2013

	Notes	2013 £	2013 £	2012 £	2012 £
Fixed assets					
Tangible fixed assets	11		17,280,564		17,252,5 44
Investments	12		3		3
			17,280,567		17,252,547
Current assets					
Debtors	13	448,329		587,461	
Short term deposits		487,181		1,484,691	
Cash at bank and in hand		1,662,017		98,693	
	·	2,597,527	•	2,170,845	
Creditors amounts falling due					
within one year	14	(796,408)		(844,763)	
Net current assets		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,801,119		1,326,082
Net assets excluding pension					
liability			19,081,686		18,578,629
Pension scheme liability	8		(668,600)		(627,600)
Net assets including pension					
liability			18,413,086		17,951,029
Funds of the Academy.					
Restricted funds					
Fixed assets fund	15		17,280,564		17,252,5 44
General funds		1,312,298		975,220	
Pension reserve	8	(668,600)		(627,600)	
	15		643,698		347,620_
Total restricted funds			17,924,262		17,600,164
Unrestricted general funds			488,824		350,865
Total funds	16		18,413,086		17,951,029

The financial statements on pages 25 to 47 were approved by the trustees and are signed on their behalf by

> teacock (DAVID PEACOCK)

Approved by the Board on

Company Registration Number 02490773 (England and Wales)

Cash flow statement For the year ended 31 August 2013

	Notes	2013 £	2012 £
Net cash inflow (outflow) from operating activities	19	779,925	(175,201)
Returns on investments and servicing of finance	20	63,784	26,389
Capital expenditure	21	(277,895)	(161,989)
Increase (decrease) in cash	22	565,814	(310,801)

Format of financial statements

The standard format for the financial statements as required by the Companies Act 2006 Part 15 has been adapted to provide appropriate information which complies with the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP 2005) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities' issued in March 2005 and reflects the activities of the College

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention in accordance with applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards, the Charity Commission 'Statement of Recommended Practice Accounting and Reporting by Charities' ('SORP 2005'), the Academies Accounts Direction issued by the EFA and the Companies Act 2006 A summary of the principal accounting policies, which have been applied consistently, except where noted, is set out below

incoming resources

Grants receivable

Grants are included in the statement of financial activities on a receivable basis. The balance of income received for specific purposes but not expended during the period is shown in the relevant funds on the balance sheet. Where income is received in advance of entitlement of receipt its recognition is deferred and included in creditors as deferred income. Where entitlement occurs before income is received, the income is accrued

General Annual Grant (GAG) is recognised in full in the year for which it is receivable and any unspent amount is reflected as a balance in the restricted general fund. Capital grants are recognised when receivable and are not deferred over the life of the asset on which they are expended. Unspent amounts of capital grant are reflected in the balance in the restricted fixed assets fund

Donations

Donations are included in the statement of financial activities on a cash received basis or on an accruals basis where they are assured with reasonable certainty and are receivable at the balance sheet date

Other income

Other income is included within the statement of financial activities on a receivable basis

Resources expended

Resources expended are recognised in the period in which they are incurred. They have been classified under headings that aggregate all costs relating to that activity

Resources expended (continued)

Prior to 31 March 2011, all costs were inclusive of irrecoverable VAT although the College received a VAT grant as part of its GAG funding Since 1 April 2011, the College has been able to reclaim the VAT paid on the provision of education but is not entitled to a VAT grant Costs are stated net of recoverable VAT from this date

Allocation of costs

In accordance with the Charities SORP 2005, expenditure has been analysed between the College's charitable activities and governance. Items of expenditure which involve more than one cost category have been apportioned on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent These include maintenance of premises, basis for the cost category concerned occupancy costs and furniture and equipment depreciation, where apportionment is made based on capacity of accommodation utilised and staff numbers

Governance costs

Governance costs include the costs attributable to the College's compliance with constitutional and statutory requirements, including audit, strategic management and trustees' meetings and reimbursed expenses

Fund accounting

The unrestricted general fund is for monies which may be used towards meeting any of the objectives of the College at the discretion of the trustees

Restricted funds comprise of grants received from the EFA and other donors which are to be used for specific purposes as explained in note 15

Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets acquired since the College was established are included in the financial statements at cost

Where tangible fixed assets have been acquired with the aid of specific grants, either from Government or from the private sector, they are included in the balance sheet at cost and depreciated over their expected useful economic life. The related grants are credited to a restricted fixed assets fund (in the statement of financial activities and carried forward in the balance sheet) The depreciation on such assets is charged in the statement of financial activities over the expected useful economic life of the related asset on a basis consistent with the depreciation policy

Leasehold costs relate to classrooms built by Bacon's College Community Services Ltd as part of the Mellish Fields facilities These are depreciated over the life of the lease

Tangible fixed assets (continued)

Computer equipment and IT software are written off in the year of acquisition. Equipment, other than computer equipment and IT software, costing less than £500 per individual item or groups of related items is written off in the year of acquisition. All other equipment is capitalised

Assets under construction include direct costs incurred to date on building work that is in This includes professional costs These costs are not progress at the year end depreciated until the asset is brought into use

Tangible fixed assets are written off over their estimated useful lives on the following basis

٠	Leasehold co	sts	2% straight line
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Nil Freehold land

2% straight line Buildings

Furniture and equipment 25% straight line

Motor vehicles 25% straight line

A full year of depreciation is charged in the year of acquisition

Investments

The College's shareholding in the wholly owned trading subsidiary Bacon's College Educational and Community Services ("BCECS Ltd") is included in the balance sheet at the cost of the share capital owned
Consolidated financial statements are not prepared on the basis that the results of the trading company are not deemed material

Leased assets

Rental applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged to the statement of financial activities on a straight line basis over the lease term

Pension costs

Retirement benefits to employees of the College are provided by the Teachers' Pension Scheme ('TPS') and the Local Government Pension Scheme ('LGPS') These defined benefit schemes are contracted out of the State Earnings-Related Pension Scheme ('SERPS') and the assets are held separately from those of the College

Pension costs (continued)

The TPS is an unfunded scheme and contributions are calculated so as to spread the cost of pensions over employees' working lives with the College in such a way that the pension cost is a substantially level percentage of current and future pensionable payroll. The contributions are determined by the Government Actuary on the basis of quinquennial valuations using a prospective benefit method. As stated in note 8, the TPS is a multiemployer scheme and the College is unable to identify its share of the underlying assets and liabilities of the scheme on a consistent and reasonable basis. The TPS is therefore treated as a defined contribution scheme and the contributions recognised as they are paid each year

The London Borough of Southwark Pension Scheme is a funded scheme and the assets are held separately from those of the College in separate trustee administered funds Pension scheme assets are measured at fair value and liabilities are measured on an actuarial basis using the projected unit method and discounted at a rate equivalent to the current rate of return on a high quality corporate bond of equivalent term and currency to the liabilities. The actuarial valuations are obtained at least triennially and are updated at each balance sheet date. The amounts charged to the statement of financial activities are the current service costs and gains and losses on settlements and curtailments. They are included as part of staff costs. Past service costs are recognised immediately in the statement of financial activities if the benefits have vested. If the benefits have not vested immediately, the costs are recognised over the period until vesting occurs. The expected return on assets and the interest cost are shown as a net finance amount of other finance costs or credits adjacent to interest Actuarial gains and losses are recognised immediately in other gains and losses

Taxation

The College is considered to pass the tests set out in Paragraph 1 Schedule 6 of the Finance Act 2010 and therefore it meets the definition of a charitable company for UK corporation tax purposes. Accordingly, the College is potentially exempt from taxation in respect of income or capital gains received within categories covered by Chapter 3 Part 11 of the Corporation Tax Act 2010 or Section 256 of the Taxation of Chargeable Gains Act 1992, to the extent that such income or gains are applied exclusively to charitable purposes

Notes to the financial statements 31 August 2013

1 General Annual Grant (GAG)

Under the funding agreement with the Secretary of State, the College was subject to limits at 31 August 2013 on the amount of GAG that could be carried forward from one year to the next An amount equal to 12% of GAG could be carried forward, of which up to 2% could be used for general recurrent purposes, with any balance being available for premises/capital purposes

The College has not exceeded these limits during the year ended 31 August 2013

2 Investment income

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total 2013 £	Total 2012 £
Bank interest receivable Interest receivable on loan balance with	33,784	_	33,784	26,389
BCCS Ltd (see note 18)	10,161	-	10,161	10,123
· ,	43,945		43,945	36,512

3 Funding for College's educational operations

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total 2013 £	Total 2012 £
Grants receivable				
EFA GAG (note 15)	_	8,786,370	8,786,370	8,895,613
EFA capital grants	_	547,230	547,230	2,020,043
Other EFA grants	_	612,192	612,192	218,149
Other Government grants	_	7,269	7,269	13,021
ū		9,953,061	9,953,061	11,146,826

4 Other income

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total 2013 £	Total 2012 £
Music tuition fees	3,417		3,417	3,417
Sportswear sales	_	1,630	1,630	1,735
Gang workshop	_	_	_	3,675
School Games Co-ordinator		44,653	44,653	45,090
Youth for Sports Trust (LPSSN)	_	2,704	2,704	4,750
General sports (SSCO)/Aiming High	_		_	800
Jack Petchey Foundation	_	1,200	1,200	1,800
Football Academy	_		_	31,263
Other	_	7,932	7,932	1,429
	3,417	58,119	61,536	93,959

Notes to the financial statements 31 August 2013

5	Cha	ritable	activities
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Charitable activities				
	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total	Total
	funds	funds	2013	2012
	£	£	£	£_
Direct costs (note 7)				
Teaching and educational support staff	f			
costs		5,670,879	5,670,879	5,866,616
Maintenance	_	123,683	123,683	122,382
Occupancy	_	302,955	302,955	268,725
Education and other supplies	_	512,568	512,568	519,923
Examination fees	_	106,281	106,281	136,045
Educational consultancy		37,623	37,623	141,411
Staff development	_	20,146	20,146	43,036
Depreciation	_	643,291	643,291	530,301
IT software and other expenditure		67,422	67,422	63,444
Pupil recruitment and support		83,084	83,084	119,642
		7,567,932	7,567,932	7,811,525
Support costs (note 7)				
Support staff costs**	_	1,408,261	1,408,261	1,418,474
Maintenance	_	25,333	25,333	25,066
Occupancy	_	62,051	62,051	55,040
Staff development	_	9,803	9,803	4,439
Transport	_	38,391	38,391	16,680
Catering	_	133,462	133,462	133,391
Insurance	_	25,008	25,008	23,651
Depreciation	_	131,758	131,758	108,614
Other ***	(19,839)	377,680	357,841	304,675
	(19,839)	2,211,747	2,191,908	2,090,030
Total	(19,839)	9,779,679	9,759,840	9,901,555
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^{**} Support staff costs includes £107,000 charge (2012 £58,000 charge) in relation to the FRS17 liability

6 Governance costs

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total 2013 £	Total 2012 £
Legal and professional fees		13	13	4,460
Auditor's fees				
Statutory audit		11,650	11,650	10,850
Other services	_	8,300	8,300	5,040
Consultancy fees	_	7,792	7,792	10,000
Trustees' and governors' reimbursed				
expenses (note 9)		4,591	4,591	3,588
•		32,346	32,346	33,938

^{***} Other support costs includes £1,000 (2012 £9,000) for net interest payable in relation to the FRS 17 liability

Notes to the financial statements 31 August 2013

7 Resources expended

-	Staff costs (note 8) £	Other costs	Subtotal £	Depreciation (note 11)	Total 2013 £	Total 2012 £
College's educational operations						
Direct costs (note 5)	5,670,879	1,253,762	6,924,641	643,241	7,567,932	7,811,525
Support costs (note 5)	1,408,261	651,889	2,060,150	131,758	2,191,908	2,090,030
	7,079,140	1,905,651	8,984,791	755,049	9,759,840	9,901,555
Governance costs (note 6)	_	32,346	32,346	_	32,346	33,938
	7,079,140	1,937,997	9,017,137	775,049	9,792,186	9,935,493

The method used for the apportionment of support costs is disclosed within the accounting policies

8 Staff costs

	GAG Expenditure £	Non-GAG Expenditure £	Total 2013 £	Total 2012 £
Wages and salaries	5,529,934	41,250	5,571,184	5,729,723
Social security costs	489,702	_	489,702	491,030
Pension costs	666,038	107,000	773,038	731,242
Other costs	245,216	_	245,216	333,095
	6,930,890	148,250	7,079,140	7,285,090

Pension costs include a FRS 17 charge of £107,000 (2012 charge of £58,000) This is included within non-GAG expenditure

Average numbers of full time equivalent persons employed by the College

		2012
College's educational operations		
Teachers	78	77
Administration and support	71	74
Management	25	25
Hourly paid	10	10
	184	186

9 employees (2012 - 11) earned more than £60,000 per annum excluding employers' pension contributions (but including taxable benefits) during the year. The total emoluments of these employees were in the following ranges

	2013	2012
£60,001 - £70,000	4	6
£70,001 - £80,000	2	3
£80,001 - £90,000	2	1
£100,001 - £110,000	_	1
£150,001 - £160,000	1	

Eight of the above employees participated in the Teachers' Pension Scheme During the year ended 31 August 2013, pension contributions for these staff amounted to £88,174. The other employee participated in the Local Government Pension Scheme, pension contributions amounted to £12,421.

Staff costs (continued)

Pension costs

There were two pension schemes available to employees of the College during the year the Teachers' Pension Scheme (TPS) and the Local Government Pension Scheme (LGPS), which is managed by the London Borough of Southwark

Pension contributions payable by the College to these schemes in the year were as follows

	2013 £	2012 £
Teachers' Pension Scheme (TPS)	462,722	473,639
London Borough of Southwark Pension Scheme (LGPS)	203,316	199,603
•	666,038	673,242
FRS 17 charge	107,000	58,000
Pension costs to the College	773,038	731,242

Teacher's Pension Scheme (TPS)

Introduction

The Teachers' Pension Scheme (TPS) is a statutory, contributory, defined benefit scheme, governed by the Teachers' Pensions Regulations (2010) These regulations apply to teachers in schools that are maintained by local authorities and other educational establishments, including academies, in England and Wales In addition, teachers in many independent and voluntary-aided schools and teachers and lecturers in some establishments of further and higher education may be eligible for membership. Membership is automatic for full-time teachers and lecturers and from 1 January 2007 automatic too for teachers and lecturers in part-time employment following appointment or a change of contract Teachers and lecturers are able to opt out of the TPS

The Teachers' Pension Budgeting and Valuation Account

Although members may be employed by various bodies, their retirement and other pension benefits are set out in regulations made under the Superannuation Act (1972) and are paid by public funds provided by Parliament The TPS is an unfunded scheme and members contribute on a "pay as you go" basis -- these contributions along with those made by employers are credited to the Exchequer under arrangements governed by the above Act

The Teachers' Pensions Regulations require an annual account, the Teachers' Pension Budgeting and Valuation Account, to be kept of receipts and expenditure (including the cost of pensions' increases) From 1 April 2001, the Account has been credited with a real rate of return, which is equivalent to assuming that the balance in the Account is invested in notional investments that produce that real rate of return

Staff costs (continued)

Teacher's Pension Scheme (TPS) (continued)

Valuation of the Teachers' Pension Scheme

At the last valuation, the contribution rate to be paid into the TPS was assessed in two parts First, a standard contribution rate (SCR) was determined. This is the contribution, expressed as a percentage of the salaries of teachers and lecturers in service or entering service during the period over which the contribution rate applies, which if it were paid over the entire active service of these teachers and lecturers would broadly defray the cost of benefits payable in respect of that service. Secondly, a supplementary contribution is payable if, as a result of the actuarial review, it is found that accumulated liabilities of the account for benefits to past and present teachers, are not fully covered by standard contributions to be paid in future and by the notional fund built up from past contributions The total contribution rate payable is the sum of the SCR and the supplementary contribution rate

The last valuation of the TPS related to the period 1 April 2001 to 31 March 2004 The Government Actuary's report of October 2006 revealed that the total liabilities of the Scheme (pensions in payment and the estimated cost of future benefits) amounted to £166,500 million. The value of the assets (estimated future contributions together with the proceeds from the notional investments held at that valuation date) was £163,240 million The assumed real rate of return was 3 5% in excess of prices and 2% in excess of earnings The rate of real earnings growth was assumed to be 15%. The assumed gross rate of return was 65% From 1 January 2007, the SCR was assessed at 1975%, and the supplementary contribution rate was assessed to be 0 75% (to balance assets and liabilities as required by the regulations within 15 years) This resulted in a total contribution rate of 20.5%, which translated into an employee contribution rate of 6.4% and employer contribution rate of 14 1% payable From 1 April 2012 to 31 March 2013, the employee contribution rate ranged between 6 4% and 11 2% depending on a members' full time equivalent salary Further changes to the employee contribution rate will be applied in 2014 -15

Actuarial scheme valuations are dependent on assumptions about the value of future costs, the design of benefits and many other factors. Many of these assumptions are being considered as part of the work on the reformed TPS, as set out below Scheme valuations therefore remain suspended. The Public Service Pensions Bill, which is being debated in the House of Commons, provides for future scheme valuations to be conducted in accordance with Treasury directions. The timing for the next valuation has still to be determined, but it is likely to be before the reformed schemes are introduced in 2015

Teachers' Pension Scheme Changes

Lord Hutton published his final report in March 2011 and made recommendations about how pensions can be made sustainable and affordable, whilst remaining fair to the workforce and the taxpayer The Government accepted Lord Hutton's recommendations as the basis for consultation and Ministers engaged in extensive discussions with trade unions and other representative bodies on reform of the TPS Those discussions concluded on 9 March 2012 and the Department published a Proposed Final Agreement, setting out the design for a reformed TPS to be implemented from 1 April 2015

Staff costs (continued)

Teacher's Pension Scheme (TPS) (continued)

Teachers' Pension Scheme Changes (continued)

The key provisions of the reformed scheme include a pension based on career average earnings, an accrual rate of 1/57th, and a Normal Pension Age equal to State Pension Age, but with options to enable members to retire earlier or later than their Normal Pension Age Importantly, pension benefits built up before 1 April 2015 will be fully protected

In addition, the Proposed Final Agreement includes a Government commitment that those within 10 years of Normal Pension Age on 1 April 2012 will see no change to the age at which they can retire, and no decrease in the amount of pension they receive when they retire There will also be further transitional protection, tapered over a three and a half year period, for people who would fall just outside of the 10 year protection

In his interim report of October 2010, Lord Hutton recommended that short-term savings were also required, and that the only realistic way of achieving these was to increase member contributions At the 2010 Spending Review, the Government announced an average increase of 3.2 percentage points on the contribution rates by 2014-15. The increases were to be phased in from April 2012 on a 40 80 100% basis

Under the definitions set out in Financial Reporting Standard (FRS 17) Retirement Benefits, the TPS is a multi-employer pension scheme. The academy is unable to identify its share of the underlying assets and liabilities of the scheme. Accordingly, the College has taken advantage of the exemption in FRS 17 and has accounted for its contributions to the scheme as if it were a defined contribution scheme. The College has set out above the information available on the scheme

Under the definitions set out in Financial Reporting Standard (FRS 17) Retirement Benefits, the TPS is a multiemployer pension scheme. The College is unable to identify its share of the underlying assets and liabilities of the scheme

Accordingly, the College has taken advantage of the exemption in FRS 17 and has accounted for its contributions to the scheme as if it were a defined-contribution scheme The College has set out above the information available on the scheme and the implications for itself in terms of the anticipated contribution rates

The pension cost for the year ended 31 August 2013 for the TPS was £462,772 (2012 -At 31 August 2013, contributions amounting to £340 (2012 - £534) were outstanding to the Scheme and are included within creditors

Local Government Pension Scheme (LGPS)

The College commenced participation in the London Borough of Southwark Pension Scheme on 1 June 2008 The College is one of several employing bodies included within this LGPS which is a funded defined benefit scheme, with the assets held in separate trustee administered funds. Contributions to the scheme are determined by a qualified actuary on the basis of triennial valuations using the projected unit method

Staff costs (continued)

Local Government Pension Scheme (LGPS) (continued)

The following information is based upon a full actuarial valuation of the fund at 31 March 2011 updated to 31 August 2013 by a qualified independent actuary

Assumptions

The major assumptions used by the actuary were

	31 August	31 August
	2013	2012
	% per	% per
	annum	annum
Retail Price Index (RPI) inflation	3 7%	3 2%
Consumer Price Index (CPI) Inflation	2 8%	2 2%
Salary increase	4 7%	4 7%
Rate of discount	4 5%	4 2%
Rate of increase in pensions in payment		
and deferred pensions	2.8%	2 2%

The mortality assumptions used were as follows

	2013	2012
	years	years_
Longevity at age 65 for current pensioners		
Men	21 3	21 2
Women	26 0	25 9
Longevity at age 65 for future pensioners		
Men	23 1	23 0
Women	28 0	27 9

The assets of the scheme and the expected rates of return were

	Long term rate of		Long term rate of	
	return	Asset split	return	Asset split
	expected at 31	at 31 August	expected at 31	at 31 August
	August 2013	2013 %	August 2012	2012 %
Equities	7 9%	65 9	7 5%	60 7
Property	7 4%	13 4	7 0%	14 9
Government bonds	3 4%	9 4	2 5%	11 0
Corporate bonds	4 1%	10 3	3 2%	12 1
Cash	0 9%	1.0	1 3%	13

Staff costs (continued)

Local Government Pension Scheme (LGPS) (continued)

Movement in net deficit during year

				2013 £'000	2012 £'000
Net deficit in scheme at 1 S	eptember			(628)	(362)
Movement in year					
Employer service cost (net	of employee cor	ntributions)		(325)	(266)
Employer contributions				218	208
Net interest on assets				(1)	(9)
Actuarial gain (loss)			_	67	(199)
Net deficit in scheme at 3	1 August	·		(669)	(628)
	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Scheme liabilities	(2,785)	(2,223)	(1,552)	(890)	(568)
Fair value of scheme					
assets	2,116	1,595	190	681	382
Deficit in the scheme	(669)	(628)	(362)	(209)	(186)
Total expenditure recogn	ised in the sta	tement of fina	ancial activitie	s, (SOFA)	
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			2013 £'000	2012 £'000
Current service cost				(325)	(266)
Interest cost on scheme liab	oilities			(102)	(91)
Expected return on scheme	assets			101	82
Employer contributions				218	208
Total expenditure recogni	sed in SOFA			(108)	(67)

The total amount recognised in the statement of total recognised gains and losses was an actuarial gain of £67,000 (2012 £199,000 loss)

Reconciliation of opening and closing balances of the present value of the College's share of scheme liabilities

	2013 £'000	2012 £'000
Scheme liabilities at 1 September	(2,223)	(1,552)
Current service cost	(325)	(266)
Interest cost	(102)	(91)
Contributions by scheme participants	(91)	(87)
Actuanal loss	(51)	(234)
Net benefits paid out	7	7
Scheme liabilities at 31 August	(2,785)	(2,223)

Staff costs (continued)

Local Government Pension Scheme (LGPS) (continued)

Reconciliation of opening and closing balances of the fair value of the College's share of the scheme assets

				2013 £'000	2012 £'000
Fair value of scheme assets at	t 1 September	_		1,595	1,190
Expected return on scheme as	sets			101	82
Actuanal gain				118	35
Contributions by employer				218	208
Contributions by scheme partic	cipants			91	87
Net benefits paid out				(7)	(7)
Fair value of scheme assets	at 31 August			2,116	1,595
	2013 £	2012 £	2011 £	2010 £	2009 £
Experience adjustment on scheme assets	(51,000)	(234,000)	(247,800)	18,500	(47,000)
Experience adjustment on scheme liabilities	118,000	35,000	181,500	(24,600)	(104,100)

The employers contributions are estimated to be £228,000 for the year ended 31 August 2014

(199,000)

(66,300)

(6,100)

(151,100)

Trustees' and governors' emoluments and expenses

Actuarial loss on the scheme

During the year ended 31 August 2013, travel and subsistence expenses totalling £4,591 (2012 - £3,588) were reimbursed to one trustee (2012 - 1)

Other related party transactions involving the trustees are set out in note 18

67,000

10 Trustees', governors' and officers' insurance

In accordance with normal commercial practice, the College has purchased insurance to protect trustees, governors and officers from claims arising from negligent acts, errors or omissions occurring whilst on College business
The insurance cover is up to £1,000,000 on any one claim and the cost for the year was £900 (2012 - £900)

The College also insures against any losses of money or goods resulting from fraud or dishonesty by College employees The insurance provides cover up to £250,000 and the cost for the year was £3,843 (2012 - £3,761)

11 Tangible fixed assets

	Leasehold costs	Freehold land £	Buildings £	Assets under construction £	Fumiture and equipment £	Motor vehicles £	Total £
Cost							
At 1 September 2012	1,000,000	1,268,085	20,495,101	2,272,367	2,080,736	59,996	27,176,285
Additions	_	_	419,180	_	383,889	_	803,069
Transfers	_	-	1,944,873	(2,272,367)	327,494	_	_
Assets written off		_	_	_	(113,544)	_	(113,544)
At 31 August 2013	1,000,000	1,268,085	22,859,154		2,678,575	59,996	27,865,810
Depreciation							
At 1 September 2012	80,000		7,957,443	717	1,825,585	59,996	9,923,741
Charge for year	20,000	-	456,466	_	298,583	_	775,049
Transfers	_	_	717	(717)	_	_	_
Assets written off	_		_	_	(113,544)		(113,544)
At 31 August 2013	100,000		8,414,626		2,010,624	59,996	10,585,246
Net book values							
At 31 August 2013	900,000	1,268,085	14,444,528	_	667,951	_	17,280,564
At 31 August 2012	920,000	1,268,085	12,537,658	2,271,650	255,151		17,252,544

At 31 August 2013, the College had capital projects planned but not contracted or provided for of £nil in relation to the capital reconfiguration project

12 Investments

	2013	2012
	£	£
Investment in wholly owned subsidiary company at cost	3	3

The College owns 100% of the issued ordinary shares of Bacon's College Educational & Community Services Limited ("BCECS Ltd"), a company incorporated in England & Wales (registration no 02813215) The principal business activity of BCECS Ltd is the letting of educational, leisure and social facilities to the public

A summary of the results for the year and the balance sheet position at the year end 31 August 2013 of BCECS Ltd is shown below

2013 £	2012 £
393,213	228,955
(264,786)	(185,977)
84	51
128,511	43,029
(128,701)	(43,294)
(190)	(265)
15,523	15,788
15,333	15,523
	£ 393,213 (264,786) 84 128,511 (128,701) (190)

12 Investments (continued)

Delegas shoot	2013	2012
Balance sheet	<u>-</u>	£
Tangible fixed assets	585	1,066
Net current assets	14,751	14,460
Net assets	15,336	15,526
Called up share capital	3	3
Profit and loss account	15,333	15,523
Shareholder's funds	15,336	15,526

During the year ended 31 August 2013, BCECS Ltd donated £128,701 via Gift Aid to Bacon's College (2012 - £43,294 to BCCS Ltd)

13 Debtors

	2013 £	2012 £
Amounts due from BCECS Ltd (note 18)	114,135	8,013
Sundry debtors	156,038	437,844
Prepayments	77,339	89,518
VAT recoverable	100,817	52,086
	448,329	587,461

14 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

2013 £	2012 £
479,132	140,570
165,421	177,289
66,035	393,240
1,088	2,736
84,732	130,928
796,408	844,763
	£ 479,132 165,421 66,035 1,088 84,732

15 Restricted funds

Restricted funds					
	Balance at 1 September 2012	Incoming resources	Expenditure	Gains, losses and Transfers	Balance at 31 August 2013
	£	£	£	£	£
General funds					
GAG (note 3)	389,380	8,786,370	(8,487,544)	(277,895)	410,311
Other Government grants	215,999	619,461	(365,477)	(277,050)	469,983
Devolved formula capital grant	83,081	22,056	(505,477)	_	105,137
Bovolved Tollitata dapital grant	688,460	9,427,887	(8,853,021)	(277,895)	985,431
Other grants receivable	000,400	9,427,007	(8,655,021)	(277,095)	303,431
Table tennis coaching	7,894	_		_	7,894
General Sports (SSCO)	30,071	_	_	_	30,071
Table Tennis Club	680		<u> </u>	_	680
New Opportunities Fund (NOF)	34,866	_	_	_	34,866
ASS&E Club income	4,016	_	(3,237)	_	779
London Borough of	4,010		(0,207)		
Southwark	10,300	_		_	10,300
School Games Co-ordinator	26,598	44,653	(64,274)	_	6,977
LPESSEN	_	57,943		_	57,943
Youth for Sports Trust	13,095	2,704		_	15,799
Sports England	1,141	_	_		1,141
Multi-Skills Club	286	_	_	_	286
Awards for All	3,166	_	(1,953)	_	1,213
Jack Petchy Foundation	10,600	1,200	(829)		10,971
Other restricted grants	144,047	9,562	(5,662)		147,947
-	286,760	116,062	(75,955)	_	326,867
Pension reserve (note 8)	(627,600)	_	(108,000)	67,000	(668,600)
Total general funds	347,620	9,543,949	(9,036,976)	(210,895)	643,698
Fixed assets funds					
EFA capital grants	14,211,164		_	_	14,211,164
Private sector capital sponsorship					
Southwark DBE	1,089,644		_	_	1,089,644
London Docklands					
Development Corporation	2,992,010		_	_	2,992,010
The Philip and Pauline Harris	702 769				793,768
Charitable Trust	793,768		_	_	41,370
Other	41,370				
Other frieds for contal	4,916,792				4,916,792
Other funds for capital expenditure advanced by EFA					
and other Government grants	8,048,329	525,174	(113,544)	277,895	8,737,854
Accumulated depreciation	(9,923,741)	_	(661,505)	_	(10,585,246)
•	(1,875,412)	525,174	(775,049)	277,895	(1,847,392)
Total fixed assets funds (note 11)	17 252 EAA	525,174	(775.040)	277,895	17,280,564
11)	17,252,544	523,174	(775,049)	277,095	
Total rectinated from to	47.600.404	40.000.400	(0.040.005)	67,000	47.024.202
Total restricted funds	17,600,164	10,069,123	(9,812,025)	67,000	17,924,262

15 Restricted funds (continued)

General Annual Grant

Under the funding agreement with the Secretary of State, the college was subject to a limit on the amount of GAG that it could carry forward at 31 August 2013 (see note 2)

During the year ended 31 August 2013, £277,895 (2012 - £43,515) of GAG monies was used by the College for the purchase of fixed assets

Other Government grants

These relate to other specific Government grants received by the College including Standards Fund £450,728 of the fund balance relates to pupil premium funding

Devolved formula capital grant

The devolved formula capital grant is received from the DfE for capital expenditure

Table tennis coaching

This is partially funded via TTK and the London South Bank University and relates to a three year agreement for funding the services of a table tennis coach working at the College

General Sports (SSCO)

These are additional funds received from various sources to help raise the standard of delivery of sports in primary schools

Table tennis club

This relates to additional funding received from the Jack Petchy Foundation and other sources to help provide table tennis coaching in out-of-school hours

New Opportunities Fund (NOF)

This relates to lottery funding to provide coaches for sporting clubs at the College which are run during out-of-school hours

ASS&E Club income

This includes funding received from the Science Engineering Technology Network (SETNET) to help establish after school science and engineering clubs

London Borough of Southwark

The London Borough of Southwark provides funding for students at the College with special educational needs requiring additional learning

15 Restricted funds (continued)

LPESSEN

These relate to funds received from a government agency (ECROYS) to fund the employment of a school games organiser (SGO) to promote competitive sports in schools Funds are also received from Southwark Council to provide access to sporting activities for students with special educational needs

Youth for Sports Trust/Sports England

Government funding is received via the Youth for Sports Trust initiative for the provision of sports for local schools

Multi-Skills Club

The fund is for a multi-skills club which includes training for schools' sports coordinators and students as well as a day camp for sports skills

Awards for All (Joint Lottery Grants Programme)

This is funding for primary schools to access specialised sports coaches during out-ofschool hours

Jack Petchey Foundation

The Jack Petchey Foundation supports projects in London and Essex. This fund is to recognise the achievement of a selected student who gets to attend the Jack Petchey Awards Ceremony The student is also given the opportunity to nominate a club or project they wish to support up to the value of £300

Other restricted grants

This includes funds received specifically for smaller projects

Pension reserve

The pension reserve balance is in relation to the FRS 17 liability in respect of the nonteaching staff with the London Borough of Southwark defined benefit pension scheme

Fixed assets fund

This represents fixed assets funded by Government grants and other sponsors

16 Analysis of net assets between funds

Fund balances at 31 August 2013 are represented by

	Unrestricted general Funds £	Restricted general Funds £	Restricted fixed assets fund	Total £
Tangible fixed assets	_	_	17,280,564	17,280,564
Investments Current assets Current liabilities Pension reserve	3	_		3
	488,821	2,108,706		2,597,527
		(796,408)	_	(796,408)
	_	(668,600)	_	(668,600)
	488,824	643,698	17,280,564	18,413,086

17 Capital commitments

	2013	2012
	£	£_
Contracted for, but not provided in the financial statements		1,700,000

18 Related Party Transactions

During the year ended 31 August 2005, the College set up a separate legal entity, Bacon's College Community Services Limited (BCCS Ltd) to develop and provide recreational facilities on the Mellish Fields site which adjoins the College BCCS Ltd was incorporated as a company limited by guarantee on 24 December 2004 (company registration number 05321174) and registered as a charity on 2 September 2005 (charity registration number 1111158) The principal and three governors of the College served as directors of BCCS Ltd during the year ended 31 August 2013 Bacon's College does not however control BCCS Ltd Therefore, the College has not consolidated BCCS Ltd within these financial statements At 31 August 2009, the College was owed £674,984 by BCCS Ltd However, this amount was fully provided for as the College deemed it unlikely to be recoverable in the foreseeable future Interest of £10,161 was charged by the College to BCCS Ltd in the year ended 31 August 2013 (2012 - £10,123) and a repayment of £30,000 (2012 - £nil) was made by BCCS Ltd in relation to this balance. The interest has also been provided against as it is also not deemed to be recoverable

BCECS Ltd, the College's wholly owned trading company (see note 12), charged a management fee of £44,243 (2012 - £47,295) for the running of BCCS Ltd during the year BCCS Ltd charged Bacon's College £44,243 (2012 - £47,295) for the use of facilities by the College pupils during the year At 31 August 2013, the College owed £1,088 to BCCS Ltd (2012 - £2,736)

19	Reconciliation of net income to net cash inflow (outflow) from operating activities			
	,	,	2013 £	2012 £
	Net income for the year		395,057	1,341,804
	Depreciation (note 11)		775,049	638,915
	Capital grants from EFA and other capital income		(525,174)	(2,020,043)
	Interest receivable (note 2)		(33,784)	(26,389)
	Loan repayment receivable		(30,000)	_
	FRS 17 pension cost charge (note 8)		107,000	58,000
	FRS 17 finance charge (note 5)		1,000	9,000
	Decrease (increase) in debtors		139,132	(216,133)
	(Decrease) increase in creditors		(48,355)	39,645
	Net cash inflow (outflow) from operating activities		779,925	(175,201)
			,	
20	Returns on investments and servicing of finance		2013 £	2012 £
	Interest received		33,784	26,389
	Loan repayment received		30,000	· —
	Net cash inflow from returns on investment and servicing of finance			26,389
21	Capital expenditure		2010	0040
			2013 £	2012 £
	Purchase of tangible fixed assets (note 11)		(803,069)	(2,182,032)
	Capital grants from EFA			2,020,043
	Net cash outflow from capital expenditure and financial investment			(161,989)
22	Analysis of changes in net funds	24		At
		At 1 September	Cash	31 August
		2012	flows	2013
		£	£_	£
	Short term deposits	1,484,691	(997,510)	487,181
	Cash at bank and in hand	98,693	1,563,324	1,662,017
	was a was to write the results	1,583,384	565,814	2,149,198