In accordance with Sections 394A, 448A and 479A of the Companies Act 2006.

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Statement of guarantee by a parent undertaking of a subsidiary company

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✓ **What this form is for**
You may use this form as a statement of guarantee for a subsidiary company.

✗ **What this form is NOT**
You cannot use this form as a statement of guarantee for a subsidiary which is an LLP, use form LLAA06.

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1 Subsidiary company details

Please enter the registered name and number of the company delivering this statement.

Company number: 0 0 8 7 2 8 2 8

Company name in full: Pearson Education Limited

→ **Filling in this form**
Please complete in typescript or in bold black capitals.

*All fields are mandatory unless specified or indicated by **

2 Relevant financial year

Please show the financial year end date to which the guarantee relates.

Date of financial year ending: d 3 d 1 m 1 m 2 y 2 0 y 1 y 9

3 Guarantee ❶

Please show details of the guarantee.

By this guarantee, Pearson plc of 80 Strand, London WC2R 0RL, company no. 53723, as the parent undertaking of Pearson Education Limited of 80 Strand, London WC2R 0RL, company no. 00872828 and for the purposes of the exemptions from audit referred to in section 479A of the Companies Act 2006 (the "Act") and not otherwise, hereby irrevocably guarantees all of the outstanding liabilities to which Pearson Education Limited was subject at the end of the financial year ended 31 December 2019 and until such liabilities are satisfied in full; provided that this guarantee shall not extend to any liability or commitment of Pearson Education Limited which was not outstanding at the end of that financial year or which shall not constitute a liability within the meaning of section 479C of the Act.

❶ You **must** include:
Details of the section of the Companies Act 2006 under which the guarantee is being given:
a. Section 394C—exemption from preparing accounts for a dormant subsidiary.
b. Section 448C—exemption from filing accounts for a dormant subsidiary.
c. Section 479C—audit exemption for a subsidiary company.

The name of the parent undertaking and:
a. if the parent was incorporated in the UK its registered number (if any); or
b. if the parent was incorporated and registered (in the same country) elsewhere in the EEA, its registration number and the identity of the register where it is registered.

Schedule
If necessary, please attach a schedule to this form.

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4 Statement date

Please insert the date the statement was made.

Date: d 1 5 m 1 0 y 2 0 2 6

5 Signature on behalf of the parent undertaking ❷

I am signing this form on behalf of the parent undertaking.

Signature

Signature

X [signature] X

❷ This section must be signed on behalf of the parent undertaking.

6 Signature of subsidiary ❸

I am signing this form on behalf of the subsidiary company.

Signature

Signature

X [signature] X

❸ This form must be signed by a director of the subsidiary company

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Presenter information

You do not have to give any contact information, but if you do it will help Companies House if there is a query on the form. The contact information you give will be visible to searchers of the public record.

Contact name: Emily Spooner

Company name: Pearson plc

Address: 80 Strand

Post town: London

County/Region:

Postcode: WC2R 0RL

Country:

DX:

Telephone:

Checklist

We may return forms completed incorrectly or with information missing.

Please make sure you have remembered the following:

- ☐ The company name and number match the information held on the public Register.
- ☐ You have entered the date of the financial year in Section 2.
- ☐ You have completed Section 3.
- ☐ You have entered the date of the statement in Section 4.
- ☐ A representative of the parent has signed their name in Section 5.
- ☐ A director of the subsidiary has signed the form.
- ☐ To benefit from one of these exemptions, the subsidiary must also submit the following documents to the registrar of companies on or before the date on which its accounts are due:
  - a written notice that all members of the subsidiary agree to the exemption in respect of the relevant financial year; and
  - a copy of the parent undertaking's consolidated accounts, including a copy of the auditor's report and the annual report on those accounts.

Important information

Please note that all information on this form will appear on the public record.

Where to send

You may return this form to any Companies House address, however for expediency we advise you to return it to the appropriate address below:

For companies registered in England and Wales:
The Registrar of Companies, Companies House,
Crown Way, Cardiff, Wales, CF14 3UZ.
DX 33050 Cardiff.

For companies registered in Scotland:
The Registrar of Companies, Companies House,
Fourth floor, Edinburgh Quay 2,
139 Fountainbridge, Edinburgh, Scotland, EH3 9FF.
DX ED235 Edinburgh 1
or LP - 4 Edinburgh 2 (Legal Post).

For companies registered in Northern Ireland:
The Registrar of Companies, Companies House,
Second Floor, The Linenhall, 32-38 Linenhall Street,
Belfast, Northern Ireland, BT2 8BG.
DX 481 N.R. Belfast 1.

Further information

For further information, please see the guidance notes on the website at www.companieshouse.gov.uk or email enquiries@companieshouse.gov.uk

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