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Company number: 3544402

Manchester Islamic Educational Trust Limited
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Trustees' report and financial statements
for the year ended 31 August 2017

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Legal and administrative information

Charity registration number	1073862
Company registration number	3544402
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Head teachers	Mrs Mona Mohamed Mrs Doris Ghafoori Mr Akhmed Hussain
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Auditors	Riley Moss Audit LLP Chartered Accountants First Floor 184 Cheetham Hill Road Manchester M8 8LQ
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Trustees' report (incorporating the directors' report) and strategic report
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The trustees present their report which includes the strategic report and the audited consolidated financial statements of the charity and its subsidiary for the year ended 31 August 2017. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out in note 1 to the accounts and comply with the charity's governing document, the Charities Act 2011, Companies Act 2006 and the Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2015). The trustees, who are also directors for the purposes of company law and who served during the year and up to the date of this report, are set out on page 1.

Structure, governance and management

Manchester Islamic Educational Trust (MIET) Ltd was incorporated on 9 April 1998 as a company limited by guarantee, under company number 3544402 and has been granted charitable status under Charities Act 1960, in February 1999 under registration number 1073862.

MIET runs KD Grammar School for Boys, Manchester Islamic High School for Girls and Manchester Muslim Preparatory School. MIET also has a subsidiary by the name of Hartley Hall of Residence Ltd. This is being operated as an accommodation for university and college students. 100% of the shares owned by MIET. Hartley Hall of Residence Ltd., located in part of MIET's Hartley Hall property site, rents the premises from MIET. All the buildings housing these schools, and the student accommodation, are owned by MIET. MIET, which is a limited company, is governed by the policies made from time to time by the trustees together with the terms of its Memorandum and Articles of Association which set out the objects and powers of the charitable company.

The trustees are also Directors of the Charity for the purposes of the Companies Act 2006. The power of appointing new trustees is vested in the trustees. The procedure to appoint or withdraw a trustee is adopted in accordance with the Trust Deed. The Board may appoint a trustee during the year to fill a casual vacancy to serve a probationary period of six months. Subject to a satisfactory outcome of the probationary period, a permanent trusteeship is offered subsequently. Trustees are also encouraged to attend relevant external briefings and training courses. They meet regularly to manage the affairs of the schools and to discuss other affairs. The Board comprises members from a variety of backgrounds and there are sub-committees dealing with various aspects of the operation. All major decisions are ratified by the Board of Trustees. In addition, the trustees are also responsible for setting out the strategy of the Trust and monitoring its progress towards the stated aims and objectives.

Staff & management are required to progress the aims and objectives of the schools under the Trust's control. Furthermore, students and staff are continuously encouraged to contribute to the local community and wider community by the establishment and development of links at various levels. The day to day management of each school is delegated to the respective Head teachers supported by their Senior Management/Leadership Teams. In addition, there are sub-committees covering staffing, curriculum, finance and buildings which meet more regularly and are attended by the Head teachers. This team in turn delegates the responsibility to the teaching and non teaching staff to ensure smooth implementation.

The Trust is managed by the Board of Trustees. This Board, annually, appoints a Chairperson, Vice Chair Person, and Treasurer. The Board also appoints various coordinators and personnel responsible of policies which are of great importance to the schools, i.e. Safeguarding of children; Health & Safety, Finance, ethos and vision of the schools and the Trust, etc. Trust, in addition to performing visits to the schools and having meeting with the leadership of the schools every six weeks has also been employing Trust Administrative Manager to provide a more intrusive oversight over schools operation and performance reporting to the Chairperson and the Vice Chair as well as the treasurer. Each school has a dedicated professional leadership team, most of them have either been already been trained in a Senior Leadership role or are being encouraged to undertake this training from the appropriate and accredited training colleges/institutions. The cost of this training is borne by the Trust. The school leadership is also encouraged to develop middle leadership skills within each school.

Investment policy

The Board of Trustees is authorised under the Memorandum and Articles of Association to make and hold investments using the general funds of the above Charity in any way the trustees wish. However, no such investments are presently held or have been made. Part of the property, Hartley Hall, rented to Hartley Hall of Residence, has not been valued separately as an additional investment. Its valuation has been provided and included in the asset value given for Trust properties in the accounts being submitted with this report. No separate valuation for the part of the property rented to Hartley Hall of Residence has been done as the trustees feel it would not serve any purpose as the property in its entirety has been valued. This would only incur unnecessary expense. For the purpose of obtaining a fair rent, an outside rental valuation agency was employed to determine this. Rent based on this valuation is being received from Hartley Hall of Residence.

Risk management

The trustees actively review the major risks which the charity faces on a regular basis and believe that maintaining reserves at current levels, combined with an annual review of the controls over key financial systems, will provide sufficient resources in the event of adverse conditions. The trustees have also examined other operational and business risks faced by the charity and confirm that they have established systems to mitigate the significant risks. In addition to the risk assessments carried for the purpose of insurance, the school also carry out numerous other risk assessments as required by the various regulations governing schools.

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Objectives and activities

The objective of the Trust is the advancement in the United Kingdom of education in general, in conjunction with, and complimented by Islamic education. Secondly, it is the objective of the Trust to provide and maintain schools within the United Kingdom for providing facilities to enable young persons in the doctrines and practices of the Islamic faith and in the Arabic language. In this respect the Trust follows the latest regulations in that it promotes actively the Prevent Strategy of the government and the promotion of democracy and British values. The Trust may in the future try and establish additional Islamic schools to meet demand, but this is subject to availability of adequate funds. In setting the objectives and planning activities, trustees have given careful consideration to the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit, advancing education and on fee-charging.

Intended Impact and strategies

Within these Objects, MIET aims to provide services which will be beneficial to the community it has been set up to serve. The aim of the Charity is to benefit the public in the widest possible manner with a view to educate children in a faith based ethos and environment. MIET is firmly of the belief that such an ethos and environment best serves the public interest and is beneficial to the children who are recipients of the service provided. Education steeped in a faith ethos will prove a firm foundation on which higher education can build a much better citizen who can benefit the nation much more. It is for these reasons that MIET first established faith based schools: Islamic High School for Girls was established in 1992, followed shortly thereafter by Manchester Muslim Preparatory School. KD Grammar School for Boys was established in 1999.

The Schools implement the aims and objectives of the Trust, and further the interest of public benefit by endeavouring to provide an outstanding independent education, through strong academic tuition, awareness of spiritual values and developing artistic, spiritual moral, cultural and social skills in all students. This is intended to provide an environment where each pupil can begin to realise his or her own potential, thus helping to build self-confidence and self-esteem in preparation for a contented and fulfilling life contributing to the welfare of the wider community. This is achieved by offering education appropriate to the needs of boys and girls aged from 3 to 16. Progression is given as much emphasis as attainment. The schools have consistently shown to achieve a much higher value added component to its educational mix and regime than the national average. Quality of pupils wishing to enrol in our schools is varied, and as diagnostic tools are becoming more sophisticated, it is becoming increasingly evident that some children require specialist SEND support. The schools are equipping themselves to be able to provide this in as many cases as possible. It is been agreed by the Trust to send an existing SEND leader on a specialist course to Manchester Metropolitan University. This person then can, in turn, other teaching staff on application of diagnosing and proper application of teaching methodology for these pupils.

The Trustees aim to create a supportive and caring environment where each pupil is recognised and is educated as an individual. MIET seeks to produce academically and spiritually well-educated young men and women, with highly developed interpersonal skills with a broad range of interests. Hence pupils can compete at any level with the brightest and the best. The Trust has over the years continued to extend additional financial help and assistance, in various forms, to the less fortunate who have found it difficult to pay the full fees, as well as discounts to siblings. This has amounted to almost £200,000 over the year. By offering discount on fees and helped by donations received from Hartley Hall of Residence Ltd., MIET has been able to help those who require financial assistance. The trustees continue to explore the area of higher education where some of the students after completing their GCSEs can also avail the opportunity of doing their A level at our schools. It is hoped that with the improvement of economic climate and outlook in the country additional funds will become available to implement this plan. Capital cost and operational viability permitting, the Trustees continue to hope that this plan will go ahead in the near future. It is also worth mentioning here that no discount on fees, or any other incentive, financial or otherwise, is offered or given to any trustee who has a child or children enrolled in any of our schools.

Strategic report

Achievements and performance

The trustees are pleased that the academic attainment and achievement of the schools has been satisfactory throughout the year. In the recent inspections carried out by Ofsted of our Manchester Muslim Preparatory School in February 2018 this school received outstanding judgement for "Personal development, behaviour and welfare" and Good in all other categories. However there is always room for improvement in certain areas. The public examination results for GCSEs continued to reflect the high level of progress and achievement expected from the students at both schools.

Teaching and learning continues to improve. Staff is continuously being trained to further improve in this area; regular CPDs and staff insets are organised; extra-curricular activities continue to expand. Trips are regularly organised by the schools to museums, football matches, going abroad for educational trips, etc. Participation in various outdoor and health related activities continue to be organised by the schools with competitive matches being played with local schools. The organisation of interfaith exchange programmes, fund raising for various Appeals and Charities, such as Penny Appeal, Islamic relief, Christies Hospital, etc. are regularly conducted with a view to impart the importance of such activities in raising awareness of the children and character building. Important, inspirational speakers are invited, after stringent vetting, to speak to the school pupils with the hope that this will inspire them to become better human beings and British Muslims and in the future they themselves will act as role models for their younger school colleagues.

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Trips abroad have proved to be an important educational experience for the students and have now become a regular fixture. Whilst various activities are held throughout the year, this remains popular with the students, helping them to bond with each other and to increase their sense of common social responsibility. As in the past Umrah (lesser pilgrimage) trips have continued to be organised to educate the learners in the importance of pilgrimage. The students completed a successful Umrah, attaining a life changing experience of both spiritual and educational benefits. Trips to other countries have also been arranged with a view to help broaden the outlook of students and for them to understand other cultures and history of those countries. Other activities include participating in debating competitions helps their ability to research and deliver a point of view more forcefully and confidently. Inter-faith and multi-faith activities are vigorously pursued. Schools marked Holocaust Day on 27th January as well recognising problems being faced across the globe by other communities under undemocratic regimes.

Other activities which add to their experience and awareness of where they live included "Citizenship Week", mock elections, visiting House of Parliament and meeting the Prime Minister, etc. Community related projects were also organised and these included litter picking from local parks, feeding the homeless. Students at both schools undertook work experience projects. All accepted placements at various local locations and every single pupil expressed this as an enjoyable learning experience. Positive and supportive reports from employers who participated in the placement programmes have been noted. The PTA is being reinforced so as to be more effective with the hope that they will be supportive to their respective schools in many other ways in addition to be able to try and raise funds for additional resources and facilities in the school.

The schools have continued to build upon their reputation for educating its pupils to a high standard, whilst also providing them with a full and rounded education through a full programme of extra-curricular activities.

The Trustees are also satisfied that the schools are achieving their stated objectives throughout the year.

In line with maintaining the buildings and keeping the schools in good and presentable condition, and to fulfil the Health & Safety guidelines, regular repair and maintenance work is carried out. In the Schools computers are regularly upgraded or replaced as and when necessary for the betterment of education. The schools have inter-active boards as an additional resource to be used by staff to inform the students better and facilitate their educational experience in a more robust manner. All this is in line with the Trusts' strategy to improve their educational facilities and to provide an atmosphere where students can feel safe and learn in an environment conducive to learning.

The Trust has this year, as in last few years, been unable to raise funds for capital projects either locally or from abroad. This has remained difficult. However attempts are continually being made to raise funds to implement smaller improvement and refurbishment work. Efforts are also made to raise funds to provide financial help to deserving children and their parents.

In line with the policy and vision of the Trust, all MIET schools try and impart to their students British values which are in no way different from the values expressed by their faith: values of tolerance, peace, coexistence, to be charitable, etc. The pupils are taken to houses of worship of other religions and faiths; pupils of other faiths are invited to visit our schools and pupils from our schools visit schools of other faiths or none.

The Schools each have a separate dedicated Head teacher and each of the Schools is fortunate to have staff that is hard working and is fully committed and, in turn, is led by a capable Head teacher and Senior Management/Leadership Teams. The head teacher of Manchester Muslim Preparatory School was asked to resign as she did not meet the targets given to her. New structure in the form of a promotion of senior leadership member to the position of Acting Head teacher, under the guidance of the very experience Head teacher of our Manchester Islamic High School for Girls was instituted in September 2017. The Head teacher of Manchester Islamic High School for Girls was given the title of "Executive Head teacher" and was also informed that this position had been created as an interim measure with certain specific tasks, of which three were primary, i.e. improving school teaching and learning; to improve school budgetary position and to train the Acting Head teacher so that she would eventually take over as the Headteacher. There have been a few staff changes during the year at all the schools; this is in line with such changes taking place at all schools during the academic year. The Boys School and the Preparatory School also have a Deputy Head teacher to help the Head teachers. Hartley Hall of Residence Ltd., the wholly owned subsidiary of MIET, has a dedicated "Residential Letting and Admin. Manager" to look after that side of the operations and to ensure a good service is being provided to the residents.

Fund raising for other charities

The staff and pupils supported various local and national appeals at other events, supporting good causes and humanitarian appeals. Student participation in fund raising for people struck by various natural calamities and disasters abroad was forthcoming and generous. They showed keenness and were able to raise funds for various charities. The events are appreciated by pupils as a reflection of their faith, individual well-being, fortunate circumstances and responsibilities as future citizens. The Trustees would sincerely like to record their gratitude and thanks to their staff and others who may have volunteered their time and money, for their tremendous efforts in furthering the schools' development and for their compassionate voluntary services rendered during the year.

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Financial review

The schools' principal funding source is from school fees, which amounted to £2,752,285 (2016:£2,658,412). The schools continue to hire out facilities during vacations and after-school hours, and have received £47,632 (2016:£49,139). This facility is provided to the community and the public at discounted prices/rates so as to facilitate ease of availability with a view to be benefit to the community and public. The Charity's subsidiary company Hartley Hall of Residence Limited (HHR) has continued to maintain its valuable contribution to the charity by the method of gift aid which amounted to £48,200 (2016: £112,209). Rental income from HHR amounted to £43,200 (2016:£43,200). Fees and salary increase had to be implemented given that salary increase can only be justified in most cases with an increase in school fees. Overhead percentage has remained fairly consistent throughout the period. If the Trust and the schools are to fulfil the purpose for which they were established then its existence and availability must be known to as many in the community as possible.

Although the principal source of funding for running the schools is the fee charged from the students however fundraising is continually and continuously being pursued by the Schools and the Trust to augment the funds needed by the schools.

Reserves policy

The Trust has a Reserves Policy. This policy details that the charity presently maintains unrestricted funds at a level sufficient to cover unforeseen and major expenditure and shortfalls in income of at least two months. These funds are unrestricted. The trustees remain confident in their ability to raise the necessary funds, thereby adhering to the maintenance of a balanced budget. The Trust also has the following written policies: *Volunteer Policy, Conflict Of Interest Policy and Investment Policy.*

Remuneration Policy

The Charity follows a policy on remuneration very much dependant on demand and supply of requirement of personnel with a particular skill set or specialism at the given time. It nevertheless takes into account the overall budgetary and financial position of the Charity at that particular time. The risk of losing personnel to other organisations willing to pay more lucrative remuneration always exists, however the Charity offsets this by employing younger less experienced personnel but at the same time instituting a very rigorous and robust training and professional development programme. Another attraction offered, especially to the higher management level staff, is to provide a very congenial and friendly workplace environment where they are made to feel important and valued.

Going concern

The trustees consider that the projected net income and the value of realisable assets will be more than adequate to cover the current liabilities of the charity. Its subsidiary, Hartley Hall of Residence Ltd, is a viable going concern, and major risks have been reviewed and procedures have been established to manage risks if they arise. Hence the trustees conclude that the accounts comply with the requirements of the trust's governing body and it remains a going concern.

Plans for future periods

The key plans related to the charitable aspects of the Schools are as follows:

- Improvement in teaching & learning;
- Greater emphasis was given to continuous development & training of staff members so that improved teaching and learning and greater numbers could be classified as "Outstanding" and "Good" in their field of work;
- Improvement in systems was achieved;
- A more forensic review of budgets and financial spending was carried out throughout the year. A more thorough scrutiny was instituted;
- The need for effective use of space and resources within the Schools;
- To maintain and improve the current high standards of academic achievement as measured by external examinations and independent value added criteria;
- To continue focusing on continued professional development for teachers and the management;
- To find ways & means to provide funding so as to offer financial assistance to more applicants than being presently done.

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Statement of trustees' responsibilities

The trustees (who are also the directors of Manchester Islamic Educational Trust Limited for the purpose of company law) are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards).

Company law requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the trustees have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). 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 charitable company and the group and of the incoming resources and application of resources, including the income and expenditure, of the charitable group 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 SORP;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK 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 charitable company will continue in business.

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

Statement as to disclosure of information to auditors

Each of the persons who is a trustee at the date of approval of this report confirms that:

- so far as they are aware there is no relevant audit information of which the charitable company's auditors are unaware; and,
- 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 charitable company's auditor is aware of that information.

Auditors

A resolution proposing that Riley Moss Audit LLP be reappointed as auditors of the charity will be put to the Annual General Meeting.

Vote of Thanks and Gratitude

The Trustees would sincerely like to record their gratitude and thanks to their staff, parents and the PTA's of the school and for all the volunteers for their tremendous efforts in furthering the school's development and for their compassionate voluntary services rendered during the year. Secondly, we thank all voluntary supporters and donors whose commitment and dedication has led to the success of this charity.

This report was approved by the trustees and signed on its behalf by



Mr Farroukh Zaheer
Director / Trustee

Date: 29/05/2018

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Independent auditor's report to the members of Manchester Islamic Educational Trust Limited

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Manchester Islamic Educational Trust Limited for the year ended 31 August 2017 which comprise the Consolidated Statement of Financial Activities, the Consolidated and Charity Balance Sheets, the Consolidated and Charity Cash Flow Statement and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

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 and its members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the group's and the charitable company's affairs as at 31 August 2017 and of group's incoming resources and application of resources; including its income and expenditure, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the charitable company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the ISAs (UK) require us to report to you where:

- the trustees' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the trustees have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the charitable company's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The trustees (who are the directors of the charitable company for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the other information. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

Opinions on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006.

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the trustees' report and the strategic report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the trustees' report and the strategic report have been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

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Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the charitable company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the trustees' report and in the strategic report.

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

- the parent charitable company has not kept adequate accounting records, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the parent charitable company financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; 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.

Responsibilities of the trustees

As explained more fully in the Trustees' Responsibilities Statement set out on page 2 - 6, the trustees (who are also directors for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view and for such internal control as the trustees determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are responsible for assessing the charitable company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the trustees either intend to liquidate the charitable company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

**Farook Patel
Senior Statutory Auditor
For and on behalf of Riley Moss Audit LLP
Statutory Auditor**

Date: 29/05/2018

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Consolidated statement of financial activities (incorporating the consolidated income and expenditure account)
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	Notes	Unrestricted funds £	2017 Total £	2016 Total £
Income from:				
Donations and legacies	2	15,145	15,145	12,472
Charitable activities	3	3,033,952	3,033,952	2,965,207
Other trading activities				
Fundraising events	4	10,148	10,148	4,914
Turnover of trading subsidiary	5	244,045	244,045	294,300
Total income		3,303,291	3,303,291	3,276,893
Expenditure on:				
Raising funds:				
Fund raising costs	6	-	-	5,099
Trading cost of subsidiary	5	152,645	152,645	138,891
Charitable activities	7	3,296,656	3,296,656	3,158,850
Total expenditure		3,449,301	3,449,301	3,302,839
Net income/(expenditure) and net movement in funds for the year		(146,010)	(146,010)	(25,946)
 Total funds brought forward	20	 3,871,941	 3,871,941	 3,897,887
Total funds carried forward	20	3,725,931	3,725,931	3,871,941

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year. All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

The notes on pages 12 to 17 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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Consolidated and Charity balance sheet
as at 31 August 2017

	Notes	Group 2017 £	Group 2016 £	Charity 2017 £	Charity 2016 £
Fixed assets					
Tangible Assets	14	3,512,788	3,586,729	3,512,788	3,586,729
Investments	15	-	-	100	100
		<u>3,512,788</u>	<u>3,586,729</u>	<u>3,512,888</u>	<u>3,586,829</u>
Current assets					
Debtors	16	76,003	89,865	124,203	153,347
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>716,332</u>	<u>702,427</u>	<u>623,371</u>	<u>624,621</u>
		<u>792,335</u>	<u>792,292</u>	<u>747,574</u>	<u>777,968</u>
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	17	(579,193)	(507,080)	(534,532)	(492,857)
Net current assets		<u>213,142</u>	<u>285,212</u>	<u>213,042</u>	<u>285,111</u>
Net assets		<u>3,725,931</u>	<u>3,871,941</u>	<u>3,725,931</u>	<u>3,871,941</u>
Funds					
Unrestricted income funds	20	<u>3,725,931</u>	<u>3,871,941</u>	<u>3,725,931</u>	<u>3,897,941</u>
Total funds		<u>3,725,931</u>	<u>3,871,941</u>	<u>3,725,931</u>	<u>3,897,941</u>


The financial statements were approved by the board and signed on its behalf by



Mr Farroukh Zaheer
Director / Trustee

Date: 29/5/18

Company number: 3544402
Charity number: 1073862



Mr Nasar Mahmood
Director / Trustee

Date: 29/5/18

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Consolidated and Charity cash flow statement
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	Notes	Group 2017 £	Group 2016 £	Charity 2017 £	Charity 2016 £
Net cash inflow from operations					
Net cash provided by operating activities	a	52,310	90,486	37,154	130,120
Cash flows from investing activities					
Payments to acquire tangible assets		(38,404)	(2,428)	(38,404)	(2,428)
Receipts from sale of investments		0	1,000	-	1,000
Net cash used in investing activities		<u>(38,404)</u>	<u>(1,428)</u>	<u>(38,404)</u>	<u>(1,428)</u>
Change in cash and cash equivalents in the year					
		<u>13,906</u>	<u>89,058</u>	<u>(1,250)</u>	<u>128,692</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at start of the year	b	702,427	613,369	624,621	495,929
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the year	b	<u>716,332</u>	<u>702,427</u>	<u>623,371</u>	<u>624,621</u>

Notes to the consolidated cash flow statement

	2017 £	2016 £	2017 £	2016 £
a. Net cash provided by operating activities				
Net movement in funds	(146,010)	(25,946)	(146,010)	(25,946)
Depreciation and impairment	112,345	112,451	112,345	112,451
(increase)/Decrease in debtors	13,862	13,562	29,144	62,531
increase/(Decrease) in creditors	72,113	(9,581)	41,675	(18,915)
	<u>52,310</u>	<u>90,486</u>	<u>37,154</u>	<u>130,120</u>
b. Analysis of cash and cash equivalents				
Cash at bank and in hand	<u>716,332</u>	<u>702,427</u>	<u>623,371</u>	<u>624,621</u>

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Notes to financial statements
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1. Accounting policies

1.1. Basis of accounting

Manchester Islamic Educational Trust Limited meets the definition of a Public Benefit Entity under FRS 102. Manchester Islamic Educational Trust Limited is a private company limited by guarantee, registered in England and Wales (Company number: 3644402) and a registered charity in England and Wales (Charity number: 1073862). The address of the registered office is Trust Office, Hartley Hall, Alexandra Road South, Manchester, M16 8NH, UK.

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland (FRS 102), the Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Companies Act 2006.

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis. The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the entity.

Trustees consider that the charitable company has sufficient resources and there are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue. Accordingly, trustees continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements.

1.2. Basis of consolidation

The group financial statements consolidate the financial statements of the Charity and its wholly owned subsidiary Hartley Hall Residence Limited. All inter group transactions and profits are eliminated fully on consolidation. As permitted by section 408 of the Companies Act 2006, a separate Statement of Financial Activities and income and expenditure account for the charity itself are not presented.

1.3. Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds - these are funds which can be used in accordance with the charitable objects at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted funds - these are funds that can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

1.4. Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the statement of financial activities when entitlement has passed to the charity; it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the charity and the amount can be reliably measured. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

Income from school fees represents fees earned in respect of the provision of education to pupils during the year. Fees for education to be provided in future years are carried forward as deferred income in the balance sheet.

Income from donations or grants is recognised when there is evidence of entitlement to the gift, receipt is probable and its amount can be measured reliably.

Income from investments is included in the year in which it is receivable.

1.5. Resources expended

Expenditure is recognised on an accrual basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is reported as part of the expenditure to which it relates.

Expenditure on raising funds includes the costs of all fundraising activities, events, non-charitable trading activities, and the sale of donated goods.

Expenditure on charitable activities includes all costs incurred by a charity in undertaking activities that further its charitable aims for the benefit of its beneficiaries, including those support costs and costs relating to the governance of the charity apportioned to charitable activities.

All costs are allocated to expenditure categories reflecting the use of the resource. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs are apportioned between the activities they contribute to on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent basis.

1.6. Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported. These estimates and judgements are continually reviewed and are based on experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

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1.7 Financial instruments

The charity only has financial assets and liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at amortised cost. Financial assets held at amortised cost comprise cash and bank in hand, trade debtors and other debtors. A specific provision is made for debts for which recoverability is in doubt. Financial liabilities held at amortised cost comprise all creditors except social security and other taxes.

1.8 Pension costs

The charity operates a defined contribution pension scheme for employees. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the charity in an independently administered fund. The charity contributions for the scheme are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities on a payable basis.

1.9. Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Land and buildings	-	Straight line over 50 years
Ground and building improvements	-	Straight line over ten years
Fixtures, fittings and equipment	-	15% reducing balance
Motor vehicle	-	25% reducing balance

1.10. Investments

Investments in subsidiaries are valued at cost less provision for impairment.

1.11. Company limited by guarantee

Manchester Islamic Educational Trust Limited is a company limited by guarantee and accordingly does not have a share capital. Every member of the company undertakes to contribute such amount as may be required not exceeding £1 to the assets of the charitable company in the event of its being wound up while he or she is a member, or within one year after he or she ceases to be a member.

2. Income from donations and legacies

	Unrestricted funds £	2017 Total £	2016 Total £
Unrestricted donations	15,145	15,145	12,472
	<u>15,145</u>	<u>15,145</u>	<u>12,472</u>

3. Income from charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds £	Group 2017 Total £	Group 2016 Total £	Charity 2017 Total £	Charity 2016 Total £
School fees	2,752,285	2,752,285	2,658,412	2,752,285	2,658,412
Books, sundry fees and miscellaneous income	234,035	234,035	257,656	234,035	257,656
Rent received and hire of facilities	47,632	47,632	49,139	90,832	92,339
	<u>3,033,952</u>	<u>3,033,952</u>	<u>2,965,207</u>	<u>3,077,152</u>	<u>3,008,407</u>

4. Income from fundraising events

	Unrestricted funds £	2017 Total £	2016 Total £
Fundraising events - Donations	10,148	10,148	4,914
	<u>10,148</u>	<u>10,148</u>	<u>4,914</u>

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5. Income from subsidiary trading activities

The charity controls its trading subsidiary Hartley Hall of Residence Limited (Company Number 08956450), a company registered in England and Wales, by virtue of holding 100% equity share capital.

Hartley Hall of Residence Limited's (HHR Ltd) principal activity continues to be that of receiving rental income from student accommodation. HHR Ltd was set up for furthering the fundraising activities of Manchester Islamic Educational Trust Ltd (Charity) with all profits to be donated back to Charity. A summary of HHR Ltd's trading results for the year ended 31 August 2017, as extracted from the audited financial statements are summarised below:

Summary of trading results:

	2017 £	2016 £
Turnover	244,045	294,300
Rent paid to charity	(43,200)	(43,200)
Administrative expenditure	(152,645)	(138,891)
Net profit for the year	48,200	112,209
Amount gift-aided to the charity	(48,200)	(112,209)
Retained profit	-	-
Shareholders' Funds	100	100

6. Costs of generating funds

	Unrestricted funds £	2017 Total £	2016 Total £
Costs of fund raising event	-	-	5,099
	-	-	5,099

7. Charitable activities

	Notes	Unrestricted funds £	2017 Total £	2016 Total £
Teaching staff costs		1,904,681	1,904,681	1,725,747
Book and resources		118,876	118,876	153,819
School trips		121,712	121,712	114,766
Support costs	8	1,123,510	1,123,510	1,147,140
Governance costs	9	27,876	27,876	17,379
		3,296,656	3,296,656	3,158,850

8. Analysis of support costs

The breakdown of support costs and how these were allocated between costs of generating funds and charitable activities is shown in the table below:

	Basis of allocation	Costs of charitable activities £	2017 Total £	2016 Total £
Staff costs - non teaching staff	Staff time	444,033	444,033	477,420
Rates including water rates	Usage	62,766	62,766	27,298
Light and heat	Usage	69,457	69,457	67,854
Repairs and maintenance	Usage	143,179	143,179	157,932
Insurance	Usage	23,320	23,320	33,201
Motor and travelling costs	Usage	7,163	7,163	5,501
Legal and professional costs	Usage	15,863	15,863	9,039
Depreciation	Usage	112,345	112,345	112,451
Advertising	Usage	37,451	37,451	50,289
Telephone	Usage	12,140	12,140	14,978
Catering expenditure	Usage	33,984	33,984	35,811
Software expenses	Usage	5,723	5,723	(503)
Cleaning	Usage	48,514	48,514	50,810
Subscriptions	Usage	14,696	14,696	27,237
Printing and postage	Usage	28,557	28,557	25,677
Bank charges	Usage	5,675	5,675	5,594
General expenses	Usage	12,890	12,890	10,169
Staff recruitment and training	Staff time	10,091	10,091	10,164
Bad debts	Usage	35,664	35,664	26,219
		1,123,510	1,123,510	1,147,140

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9. Analysis of governance costs

	Costs of charitable activities	2017 Total	2016 Total
	£	£	£
Accountancy and bookkeeping fees	Governance costs 24,276	24,276	13,779
Audit fees	Governance costs 3,600	3,600	3,600
	<u>27,876</u>	<u>27,876</u>	<u>17,379</u>

10. Net income/(expenditure) for the year

	2017 £	2016 £
Net income/(expenditure) for the year is stated after charging:		
Depreciation and other amounts written off tangible fixed assets	112,345	112,451
Auditors' remuneration for group	<u>5,700</u>	<u>4,600</u>

11. Employees

Employment costs

	2017 £	2016 £
Wages and salaries	2,171,766	2,039,477
Social security costs	164,412	156,580
Pension costs	<u>12,535</u>	<u>7,109</u>
	<u>2,348,713</u>	<u>2,203,167</u>

Number of employees

The number of employees who earned more than £60,000 during the year was as follows:

	2017 Number	2016 Number
£60,001 to £70,000	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>

The average monthly number of employees (excluding trustees) during the year, was as follows:

	2017 Number	2016 Number
Teaching staff	88	88
Support staff	<u>40</u>	<u>40</u>
	<u>128</u>	<u>128</u>

The key management personnel of the charity comprise the Trustees, the Head teachers and the trust administrators. The total employee benefits of the key management personnel of the charity were £189,595 (2016:£177,562).

Trustees received no remuneration (2016:£nil) from the charity and were not reimbursed for any of their expenses in the year (2016:£nil).

12. Pensions

The amount recognised in income or expenditure as an expense in relation to defined contribution plans was £12,535 (2016: £7,109).

13. Taxation

As a registered charity, the company is exempt from income and corporation tax to the extent that its income and gains are applicable to charitable purposes only.

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14. Tangible fixed assets	Land and buildings freehold	Ground and building improvements	Fixtures, fittings and equipment	Motor vehicle	Total
	£	£	£	£	£
Cost					
At 1 September 2016	3,853,393	177,909	647,580	15,271	4,694,153
Additions	-	-	38,404	-	38,404
At 31 August 2017	3,853,393	177,909	685,985	15,271	4,732,557
Depreciation					
At 1 September 2016	461,308	177,909	456,131	12,076	1,107,424
Charge for the year	77,068	-	34,478	799	112,345
At 31 August 2017	538,376	177,909	490,609	12,875	1,219,769
Net book values					
At 31 August 2017	3,315,017	-	195,376	2,396	3,512,788
At 31 August 2016	3,392,085	-	191,449	3,195	3,586,729

Manchester Islamic Educational Trust owns three freehold properties and these are situated as follows:

- 55 High Lane, Chorlton, Manchester,
- Hartley Hall, Alexandra Road South, Manchester,
- The Grange, 551 Wilmslow Road, Withington, Manchester.

In the opinion of the Trustees, the cost of professionally valuing these assets to include a value in the accounts outweighs the benefits to the users of the accounts. They are insured for £28 m which is an estimate of their reinstatement value.

15. Fixed asset investments	Subsidiary undertaking shares	Group Other unlisted investments	Charity Total
	£	£	£
Valuation			
At 1 September 2016	100	-	100
Disposals	-	-	-
At 31 August 2017	100	-	100

16. Debtors	Group 2017	Group 2016	Charity 2017	Charity 2016
	£	£	£	£
Fee debtors	49,435	63,417	49,435	63,417
Amount due from subsidiary undertaking	-	-	48,200	63,482
Other debtors	20,652	20,652	20,652	20,652
Prepayments and accrued income	5,916	5,796	5,916	5,796
	76,003	89,865	124,203	153,347

17. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	Group 2017	Group 2016	Charity 2017	Charity 2016
	£	£	£	£
Trade creditors	93,425	60,090	93,425	60,090
Other taxes and social security	39,685	34,166	38,451	32,871
Other creditors	409,259	375,959	382,954	374,267
Accruals and deferred income	36,824	36,865	19,702	25,628
	579,193	507,080	534,532	492,857

18. Financial instruments	Group 2017	Group 2016	Charity 2017	Charity 2016
	£	£	£	£
Financial assets measured at amortised cost	786,420	786,496	741,658	772,172
Financial liabilities measured at amortised cost	539,508	472,914	496,081	459,985

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19. Analysis of net assets between funds of Group and the Charity

	Unrestricted funds £	Group funds £	Charity funds £
Fund balances at 31 August 2017 as represented by:			
Tangible fixed assets	3,512,788	3,512,788	3,512,788
Investment assets	-	-	100
Current assets	792,335	792,335	747,574
Current liabilities	(579,193)	(579,193)	(534,532)
	<u>3,725,931</u>	<u>3,725,931</u>	<u>3,725,931</u>

20. Unrestricted funds

	At 1 September 2016 £	Incoming resources £	Outgoing resources £	At 31 August 2017 £
Group general fund	<u>3,871,941</u>	<u>3,303,291</u>	<u>(3,449,301)</u>	<u>3,725,931</u>
Charity general fund	<u>3,897,941</u>	<u>3,150,645</u>	<u>(3,296,656)</u>	<u>3,751,931</u>

Purposes of unrestricted funds

The unrestricted funds represents funds which the trustees are free to use in accordance with the charitable objectives.

21. Related party transactions

During the year charity paid £7,270 (2016:£7,386) towards accountancy services to Zaheer and Co, Chartered Certified Accountants, in which Farroukh Zaheer, who is a trustee of Manchester Islamic Educational Trust Ltd, is a partner.

As at 31 August 2017, the amount owed by British Muslim Heritage Centre, a connected charity by way of common trustees was £20,000 (2016: £20,000) and included within other debtors. The loan is interest free, unsecured and payable on demand.

Manchester Islamic Educational Trust Ltd owns 100% share capital of Hartley Hall of Residence Ltd (HHR Ltd). Farroukh Zaheer, Nasar Mahmood, Haytham Al-Khaffaf are directors of HHR Ltd. Its results are shown in note 5.