

Dear Parents / Carers

**RE: Match Funding**

You will hopefully be aware of the fantastic work your PTA are doing to raise funds for our school. It goes without saying that we need their help more than ever as we are facing new challenges in these tough economic times.

The PTA have learned that opportunities are available to double their fundraising efforts through corporate Match Funding. These are schemes run by companies offered to their employees whereby the company match the fundraising total for an event.

We understand that the high street banks, building societies, supermarkets and large corporations will match the PTA's efforts if an employee presents them with a letter from the PTA detailing the date and nature of the event together with the total raised.

As such, we'd like you to let us know if you work for any of these companies. The PTA can supply you with a letter to give to your employer. Even if your employer is not able to assist us in this financial quarter, they might be able to later in the year. So, if you work for Sainsbury's, Morrisons, Tesco's etc, Natwest, Lloyds, HSBC etc, Jaguar Land Rover, National Grid or any other company with a Match Funding scheme in place, please let us know.

These schemes are not exclusive to the major corporate giants, so if you work for an independent company, they may be interested in charitable giving through Match Funding too.

It would be fantastic to double the £1500.00 (gross profit) raised at the Magic Show!

Thank you for your support.

Mr Matthew Bown  
Headteacher



I, (*your name*):..... work for

(*insert company name*):..... I am happy to submit a Match Funding request for their consideration. Please supply me with a letter.

My employer does not currently have Match Funding available but I'm happy to be contacted in the future.

Signed..... Print name.....

Email..... Tel no.....