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jewish primary school

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Welcome to the Simon Marks Jewish Primary School Trust Newsletter

Who are we:

Our Trust consists of three trustees, Howard Pallis, Lauren Buck and Peter Ohrenstein. One of our Trustees, Peter Ohrenstein has retired and the Trust is now actively looking for a new Trustee. Howard Pallis is also the schools Chair of Governors and Lauren Buck is also a school Governor.



What we do:

Simon Marks remains a mainstream 'voluntary aided' school. This means that the Local Authority funds the delivery of the National Curriculum aspect of education amongst other things. The Governors and Trust are responsible for securing

funding for the Jewish aspect of the school. This includes Hebrew (Ivrit) and pays a 10% contribution towards building and maintenance the school requires. This money is dependent on donations from the community as well as parental contributions. Sadly parental contribution remains an area for development and the Trust is working closely with the school to try to increase parental contributions. This may mean that from time-to-time parents may be contacted by Governors for this purpose.



The school has just come through a very successful OFSTED inspection where its curriculum was favourable commented upon.

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Simon Marks has a very well planned and integrated curriculum where Jewish Studies is weaved into its National Curriculum as well as having its own Jewish Studies curriculum. The school has a consultant Rabbi in residence, Rabbi Goldmeier as well as a Jewish Studies lead, Mr Jacobs.



Enrichment activities led by organisations such as Tribe or Seed actively take place across the school as are Festivals of Spoken Ivrit. All these enrichment activities and workshops are supported by the Trust and preserve our Jewish values and culture.



We want to thank all of those who continue to make regular donations to the Trust- every penny makes a difference, and we appreciate all donations. Our hope is that together we can raise the level of donations so that we can continue providing our pupils with the best education and cultural development that the school can offer.



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