

# STARS Webpage

Supporters and Teachers at Ruislip Gardens School (STARS) is the Parent Teacher Association (PTA) for Ruislip Gardens Primary School.

Our aim is to get parents involved with the school, working together and supporting teachers to make our children's time at school as engaging and rewarding as possible.

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At the heart of STARS is the committee. There are three officers, who are formally in charge of keeping everything organised, such as accounts and registrations. Alongside the officers, there are committee members: parents and teachers who support the officers, offer ideas and advice, and keep everything running smoothly. We are parents of children at the school, volunteering and giving up our time and energy, because we want the school and our children to thrive.

Throughout the school year, we organise and run events to support our children and the school. One of our current priorities is selling Nearly New Uniform for pupils. When children outgrow their uniform, you can donate it to us, to be checked, cleaned and organised, and we then sell it on to other parents.



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We host a coffee morning for parents and guardians each term, so we can share our plans and updates, and so you can ask questions and get to know us. Dates for coffee mornings, along with other STARS events, are in the school calendar.

Fundraising is a key role for a PTA, and our aim is to use all of the funds we raise to support children and the school. We work with the school's leadership team to identify funding needs that we can support, and to plan events and activities to raise money. Whilst most events will be for children, we are hoping to host some parent-focused events as well. If you have ideas, or if you have a useful contact we could make, let us know.

We are also going to establish a "support fund" for each year group, with the aim of paying to allow children to participate in school trips and events when they would otherwise not be able to pay.

With everything we do, it only works because of the support of parents. If you want to be involved with STARS, in planning and organising, or by helping at events, please do get in contact. Volunteering to help isn't a big commitment; it just gives us a list of people to keep in contact with, and when events happen we'll ask who is available.

If you want to order uniform, or if you have any questions, you can contact us at [stars@ruislipgardensschool.co.uk](mailto:stars@ruislipgardensschool.co.uk). We send regular updates in the school newsletter each month, and at our termly coffee mornings.