



**GRANGE PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION**  
We are the official arm of Grange Park Primary and look to bring parents, families, friends, staff and local communities together socially to support our school.

Welcome to the Grange Park Primary School Association (GPPSA). As a parent of a child attending the school, you're automatically a member of the GPPSA. We are a registered charity and our aim is to raise funds for the school. Over the last six years, we've raised over £125,000 which has gone to support a variety of activities within the school, including:

- A range of electronic devices including iPads
- New LCD screens in each classroom
- The new fire pit for use when the children have their sleepovers
- New canvasses for the school
- Contributing to the website design
- Enterprises projects, workshops and class trips
- A donation towards the setup of the new school nursery (2019)
- New reception playgrounds
- Helping Grange park to become more of a forestry school -new hedges, plants and pathways
- The refurbishment of the reading hub
- Purchasing a new sound system for all the productions at the school.
- New sports equipment and sound proofing of all the halls at the students request. The list goes on.

We're extremely proud of the money we've been able to raise to help our children get the best from their time at Grange Park School - and it's only with the support from you, the parents, that we can do this. So how can you help? We need as many parents as possible to get involved! The more of you that help out and support the events, the easier it is to raise money and have fun.

There are 3 main ways for you to get involved:

### JOIN THE COMMITTEE

It's much more fun than it sounds! The GPPSA Committee are a lively and dedicated group of parents, who meet monthly to organise events throughout the year, to raise funds for the school which all goes towards enhancing the children's learning experience. All we ask is that you attend the meetings and help organise fun events for the school.

### GET INVOLVED

Not everyone can commit to joining the committee or attending monthly meetings, but we rely on our parents to volunteer to help out at our many events. Just sign up as a class rep or a helper, respond to any of the Parentmail requests that come round asking for help at specific events or just email us your ideas for raising money - all contributions are welcome. We have a new WhatsApp helpers group where information is shared and everyone is welcome to join! Please contact us to find out more on [gppsa@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:gppsa@hotmail.co.uk).

### ATTEND OUR EVENTS

We arrange a wide variety of events over the year for the parents and the pupils and there is bound to be something for everyone, whether it is enjoying a boogie at one of our disco's or testing your knowledge at our quiz night. The events are great fun and a really good way to get to know other parents. Look out for what is coming up in the GPPSA calender.

**Alexia Edwards and Chris Christofi - Co Chairs GPPSA**