

The Paragon School PTA Charity Application 2019

The Paragon School PTA is a fundraising and social organisation which aims to stage a series of events and activities throughout the year for the enjoyment and benefit of pupils, parents, staff and the wider school community. As a not-for-profit enterprise any surplus funds created through these activities are used to fund a range of school-based projects or investments together with a percentage of our funds being granted to a nominated charity.

For the 2019-20 academic year the PTA is seeking a new charity partner to support. Applications are now open for charities wishing to be considered as the nominated charity partner for 2019-20.

The incumbent charity, 52 Lives, will benefit this year from in excess of £5K from the PTA, topped-up with direct fundraising planned and carried-out by school pupils.

Charity Selection Process

May 2019 - Charity application window open

14th June 2019 - Charity applications deadline

By end of June 2019 - Charity selected

The PTA Executive Committee will shortlist applications and a charity will then be chosen as the partner for the forthcoming academic year beginning in September 2019.

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Please submit all responses via email to ptaparagon@gmail.com marked 'Charity Application' and your charity name in the subject field.

1. Charity Name.
2. Registration number.
3. Website.
4. Address and contact information.
5. Person(s) completing application, position and contact details.
6. Person(s) who will have on-going contact with The Paragon School and PTA (if different to in 3 above).
7. Please provide an executive summary of charity activity and purpose.
8. Description of charity activity, history and relevant future plans. Please feel free to include in your application any videos, presentations, photographs, links etc. that support your application. Please include details of your senior management and trustees.
9. Please declare any links to The Paragon School or Prior Park College (e.g. parents of pupils, alumni etc.)
10. Please state if you have any similar support or partner arrangements in place with other schools in the Bath area.
11. What specific use or project(s) is the Paragon PTA funding likely to be used for?
12. As part of our charity support representatives from your charity would be invited to present to our staff and pupils during an assembly on at least two occasions during the academic year. Ideally the first assembly would be in September 2019 to 'kick-off' the fund-raising awareness, with the second assembly further into the year. Please outline how you would structure this first assembly.
13. A key aim for us in supporting a charity is to enable our pupils to gain a great understanding of our chosen charity and how their fundraising has a direct beneficial effect. Please describe how you would see our pupils being engaged and experiencing the results of their collective support.
14. Please feel free to include any additional information or comments that will support your application.