

### FULWELL JUNIOR SCHOOL

### FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT – MODEL PUBLICATION SCHEME May 2018

This model publication scheme has been prepared and approved by the Information Commissioner. It may be adopted without modification by any public authority without further approval and will be valid until further notice.

This publication scheme commits an authority to make information available to the public as part of its normal business activities. The information covered is included in the classes of information mentioned below, where this information is held by the authority. Additional assistance is provided to the definition of these classes in sector specific guidance manuals issued by the Information Commissioner.

The scheme commits an authority:

- To proactively publish or otherwise make available as a matter of routine, information, including environmental information, which is held by the authority and falls within the classifications below.
- To specify the information which is held by the authority and falls within the classifications below.
- To proactively publish or otherwise make available as a matter of routine, information in line with the statements contained within this scheme.
- To produce and publish the methods by which the specific information is made routinely available so that it can be easily identified and accessed by members of the public.
- To review and update on a regular basis the information the authority makes available under this scheme.
- To produce a schedule of any fees charged for access to information which is made proactively available.
- To make this publication scheme available to the public.
- To publish any dataset held by the authority that has been requested, and any updated versions it holds, unless the authority is satisfied that it is not appropriate to do so; to publish the dataset, where reasonably practicable, in an electronic form that is capable of re-use; and, if any information in the dataset is a relevant copyright work and the public authority is the only owner, to make the information available for re-use under a specified licence. The term "dataset" is defined in section 11(5) of the Freedom of Information Act. The terms "relevant copyright work" and "specified licence" are defined in section 19(8) of that Act.

### **Classes of Information**

#### Who we are and what we do

Organisational information, locations and contacts, constitutional and legal governance.

### What we spend and how we spend it

Financial information relating to projected and actual income and expenditure, tendering, procurement and contracts.

#### What our priorities are and how we are doing

Strategy and performance information, plans, assessments, inspections and reviews.

#### How we make decisions

Policy proposals and decisions. Decision making processes, internal criteria and procedures, consultations.

#### Our policies and procedures

Current written protocols for delivering our functions and responsibilities.

#### Lists and registers

Information held in registers required by law and other lists and registers relating to the functions of the authority.

#### The services we offer

Advice and guidance, booklets and leaflets, transactions and media releases. A description of the services offered.

The classes of information will not generally include:

- Information the disclosure of which is prevented by law, or exempt under the Freedom of Information Act, or is otherwise properly considered to be protected from disclosure.
   Information in draft form.
- Information that is no longer readily available as it is contained in files that have been placed in archive storage, or is difficult to access for similar reasons.

### The method by which information published under this scheme will be made available

The authority will indicate clearly to the public what information is covered by this scheme and how it can be obtained.

Where it is within the capability of a public authority, information will be provided on a website. Where it is impracticable to make information available on a website or when an individual does not wish to access the information by the website, a public authority will indicate how information can be obtained by other means and provide it by those means.

In exceptional circumstances some information may be available only by viewing in person. Where this manner is specified, contact details will be provided. An appointment to view the information will be arranged within a reasonable timescale.

Information will be provided in the language in which it is held or in such other language that is legally required. Where an authority is legally required to translate any information, it will do so.

Obligations under disability and discrimination legislation and any other legislation to provide information in other forms and formats will be adhered to when providing information in accordance with this scheme.

#### Charges which may be made for information published under this scheme

The purpose of this scheme is to make the maximum amount of information readily available at minimum inconvenience and cost to the public. Charges made by the authority for routinely published material will be justified and transparent and kept to a minimum.

Material which is published and accessed on a website will be provided free of charge. Charges may be

made for information subject to a charging regime specified by Parliament.

Charges may be made for actual disbursements incurred such as:

- photocopying
- postage and packaging
- the costs directly incurred as a result of viewing information

Charges may also be made for information provided under this scheme where they are legally authorised, they are in all the circumstances, including the general principles of the right of access to information held by public authorities, justified and are in accordance with a published schedule or schedules of fees which is readily available to the public.

Charges may also be made for making datasets (or parts of datasets) that are relevant copyright works available for re-use. These charges will be in accordance with either regulations made under section 11B of the Freedom of Information Act or other enactments. Model publication scheme.

If a charge is to be made, confirmation of the payment due will be given before the information is provided. Payment may be requested prior to provision of the information.

#### Written requests

Information held by a public authority that is not published under this scheme can be requested in writing, when its provision will be considered in accordance with the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act.



| Information to be published.   | How the information can be obtained  | Cost |
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| Class 1 - Who we are and what we do  |  |      |
| (Organisational information, structures, locations and contacts) This will be current information only           | Website: <u>www.fulwelljunior.co.uk</u><br>Hard copy: Contact Business Manager | Free |
| Who's who in the school  | Website: <u>www.fulwelljunior.co.uk</u><br>Hard copy: Contact Business Manager | Free |
| Who's who on the governing body / board of governors and the basis of their appointment                          | Website: www.fulwelljunior.co.uk<br>Hard copy: Contact Business Manager        | Free |
| Instrument of Government / Articles of Association   | Hard copy: Contact Clerk to Governors via the school                           | Free |
| Contact details for the Head teacher and for the governing body, via the school (named contacts where possible). | Website: <u>www.fulwelljunior.co.uk</u><br>Hard copy: Contact Business Manager | Free |
| School prospectus/brochure   | Website: <u>www.fulwelljunior.co.uk</u><br>Hard copy: Contact Business Manager | Free |
| Annual Report (if any)   | No longer applicable   | Free |





|                                     | Website: www.fulwelljunior.co.uk    |      |
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| Staffing structure                  |                                     | Free |
|                                     | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager |      |
|                                     | Website: www.fulwelljunior.co.uk    |      |
| School session times and term dates |                                     | Free |
|                                     | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager |      |

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| Class 2 – What we spend and how we spend it<br>Annual budget plan & financial statements (current year) | Hard copy: Contact Business<br>Manager | As per rate per page |
| Capital funding   | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager    | As per rate per page |
| Additional funding  | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager    | As per rate per page |
| Procurement, projects and contracts the school has entered into   | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager    | As per rate per page |
| Pay policy  | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager    | As per rate per page |



| Staffing, pay and grading structure. | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager | As per rate per page |
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| Class 3 – What our priorities are and how we are doing<br>(Strategies and plans, performance indicators, audits, inspections and reviews) Current information<br>as a minimum        | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager  | As per rate per page |
| School profile (if any)  | No longer applicable   |                      |
| <ul> <li>And in all cases:</li> <li>Government supplied performance data</li> <li>The latest Ofsted Inspectorate report <ul> <li>Summary</li> <li>Full report</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | Website: <u>www.fulwelljunior.co.uk</u><br>Hard copy: Contact Business Manager | Free                 |
| Performance management policy and procedures adopted by the governing body.  | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager  | As per rate per page |
| The school's future plans; for example, proposals for and any consultation on the future of the school, such as a change in status   | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager  | As per rate per page |



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| Class 4 – How we make decisions<br>Admissions policy/decisions (not individual admission decisions) – where applicable  | Website: <u>www.fulwelljunior.co.uk</u> | Free                    |
|   | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager     |                         |
| Agendas and minutes of meetings of the governing body and its committees. (NB this will exclude information that is properly regarded as confidential to the meetings). | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager     | As per rate per<br>page |



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| Class 5 – Our policies and procedures<br>(Current written protocols, policies and procedures for delivering our services and responsibilities)<br>Current information only.<br>As a minimum these must include policies, procedures and documents that the school is required to<br>have by statute. These will include policies and procedures for handling information requests. | Website: <u>www.fulwelljunior.co.uk</u><br>Hard copy: Contact Business Manager | Free |
| <ul> <li>Records management and data policies, including:</li> <li>Information security policies</li> <li>Records retention, destruction and archive policies</li> <li>Data protection (including information sharing policies)</li> </ul>   | Website: www.fulwelljunior.co.uk<br>Hard copy: Contact Business Manager        | Free |



| Charging & remission policies.        |                                     |      |
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| Pupil, premises & curriculum policies | Website: www.fulwelljunior.co.uk    |      |
| Special Educational Needs             |                                     |      |
| Accessibility                         | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager | Free |
| Child Protection                      |                                     |      |
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| Class 6 – Lists and Registers  |   | <b>Free</b> |
| Currently maintained lists and registers only (this does not include the attendance register).   | Inspection only   | Free        |
| Curriculum circulars and statutory instruments   | Hard copy: Contact school office                          | Free        |
| Disclosure logs  | Not applicable  | Free        |
| Asset register   | Inspection only   | Free        |
| Any information the school is currently legally required to hold in publicly available registers | Inspection only / Hard copy (contact<br>Business Manager) | Free        |



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| <u>Class 7 – The services we offer</u>   |   |      |
| (Information about the services we offer, including leaflets, guidance and newsletters produced for the public and businesses) | Website: <u>www.fulwelljunior.co.uk</u> | Free |
| Current information only   | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager     |      |
| Extra-curricular activities  | Website: www.fulwelljunior.co.uk        |      |
|  | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager     | Free |
| Out of school clubs  | Website: www.fulwelljunior.co.uk        |      |
|  |   | Free |
|  | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager     |      |
| School publications, leaflets, books and newsletters   | Website: www.fulwelljunior.co.uk        |      |
|  |   | Free |
|  | Hard copy: Contact Business Manager     |      |
| Additional Information   |   |      |
| This will provide schools with the opportunity to publish information that is not itemised in the lists                        |   |      |
| above  |   |      |
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### SCHEDULE OF CHARGES

### This describes how the charges have been arrived at and should be published as part of the guide.

| TYPE OF CHARGE    | DESCRIPTION   | BASIS OF CHARGE  |
|-------------------|---|--|
| Disbursement cost | Photocopying/printing @ 0.004p<br>per sheet (black & white) | Actual cost *  |
|                   | Photocopying/printing @ 0.004p<br>per sheet (colour)        | Actual cost  |
|                   | Postage   | Actual cost of Royal Mail standard 2 <sup>nd</sup> class |
| Statutory Fee     |   | In accordance with the relevant legislation              |
| Other             |   |  |

\* the actual cost incurred by the school (public authority)

### Contact details:

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