



MODERN SLAVERY STATEMENT

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We have identified our Supply Chains to be the highest risk to the School. As we have a number of safeguarding checks in place when we recruit staff, we assess the risks associated with staff recruitment to be low.

The School's supply chain includes suppliers of educational materials, school uniforms, catering, maintenance, cleaning, furniture, equipment, stationery, ICT hardware and construction.

As part of our initiative to identify and mitigate risk, we have considered our current supply chains in order to identify those that could be at a high risk of slavery or human trafficking. When doing so, we have given due regard to those supply chains that originate outside of the UK, that are high-risk areas of industry, and have acted in accordance with the guidance prepared by The Independent School's Bursars Association (ISBA) which has identified catering, bed linen, furniture, IT equipment and uniform as high risk supply chains for schools specifically.

We have identified specific key suppliers as the highest risk for the School and we have sought assurances from them in the year. They include our outsourced catering company, our outsourced uniform provider, our outsourced IT equipment provider, our sportswear supplier and our furniture supplier.

We ensure that our high-risk suppliers are aware of our policies and procedures and request confirmation that they adhere to the same high standards as our own staff in relation to preventing slavery and trafficking.

All new contracts with suppliers in high-risk sectors and with franchise partners wi G08()-119(A)3(s)-2()-118F1 11.04