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MATCH FUNDING

Dear Parents/Carers

You will hopefully be aware of the hard work and effort we at FOSS are putting in to try and raise funds for our lovely school. We wanted to take this opportunity to remind you about the match funding scheme and how a little bit of your time could possibly double the funds raised.

If you work for an organisation that has a match funding policy, any money you raise could be matched by your employer. Companies may match the fundraising total for an event, or for the stall that their employee is working on. Usually, the employee will need to supply them with a letter from the PTA detailing the date and nature of the event, together with the total raised.

We understand that the high street banks, building societies, supermarkets and large corporations are likely to do match funding, but these schemes are not exclusive to the major corporate giants. If you work for an independent company, they may be interested in charitable giving through match funding too.

We would be hugely grateful if you could see if your employer has a match funding scheme, or if they are willing to match fund any of our events. All you need to do is ask your line manager or email your HR department and ask the question. This could potentially be a really large source of income for the PTA and help us raise money for the trim trail we are currently aiming for.

If you are able to help us this way, please email us at <u>foss@saltergateschools.co.uk</u> to let us know and we can discuss your companies' requirements.

Thank you as always for your ongoing support.

FOSS team x

## Match Funding Companies

Please note, these are companies that have been known to match fund. The list is not exhaustive so please, if your company is not detailed below, still contact them to find out.

