



A GIFT
TO FUTURE
GENERATIONS





Your generosity would inspire many more Abingdonians to realise their potential, make their mark on society and, in turn, inspire future generations.

It is evident from the many paths Old Abingdonians are following that their education provided the foundation for a lifetime of success. They are politicians, artists, scientists, sportsmen, captains of industry, stars of stage and screen, medical specialists, eminent professors, teachers and headmasters. Indeed, OAs are making a difference in every field, all over the world.

At Abingdon, high achievement is encouraged. The School offers outstanding teaching involving the boys in all aspects of their learning and challenging their intellects. The academic programme is complemented

by a myriad of exciting extra-curricular activities – ‘the Other Half’ – providing the opportunity to try something new and to develop existing talents. Community service encourages the boys to appreciate what they have and to give something back. This well-balanced combination engenders a commitment to learning and understanding, a genuine curiosity and a desire for success.

As you would expect, Abingdon is ambitious and understands the need to move forward at pace. To continue to provide the opportunities which the boys enjoy and value highly, the School must



Small or large, your donation can make a huge difference

grow and develop. This means updating existing buildings, providing new facilities and investing in equipment which enhances teaching and learning. And, there must be funds available to support those who cannot afford the fees ensuring a socially diverse mix of boys and enabling the recruitment and fostering of talent.

Past generations have recognised this and many of the facilities the teaching staff and the boys enjoy today have been made possible by their generosity. The more recent legacy of Nigel Hammond, an alumnus and former member of Common Room, will

afford many boys the opportunity to flourish in an academic environment which has proved to be extremely enriching to so many, regardless of their financial circumstances.

Please do consider leaving a gift to Abingdon in your Will and joining a rich heritage that has allowed the School to challenge, motivate, enthuse and fulfil boys for over 750 years. As a direct result, OAs have been enabled to serve their communities and their countries in countless ways. With your help, we hope they will continue to do so.



In 2008, a £500 legacy from an Old Abingdonian helped to fund a boy on a bursary

What next?

Arranging to leave a gift to Abingdon School in your Will could not be simpler. In the first instance, we suggest that you talk to a solicitor to discuss your intentions. Or, you can ask us for more detailed information about the types of bequest. You can make your request on the enclosed form.

Letting us know of your intentions

The details of your Will are a very private matter and you may wish to keep your intentions to yourself. However, you can let us know whether you propose to leave a legacy to the School by returning the enclosed form to us. This does not commit you in any way at all. It simply lets us know of your current plans and allows us to respond appropriately. And, of course, your reply will be treated in the strictest confidence.



In 1991, a £100,000 bequest from JW Greening enabled the building of an extension to the science block

At present, I am intending to include a gift to Abingdon School in my Will

PERSONAL DETAILS

please complete in capitals

Full name

Address

Email

Telephone

Signature

Date

I WOULD LIKE MY LEGACY TO SUPPORT:

- Abingdon School as a whole
- Bursaries and scholarships
- Another area e.g. music, sport (please indicate)

- It would be helpful to talk to a member of the Development Office about my plans. Please contact me on the telephone number above.
- Please send me more information about the types of bequest.

If you would like to give us an approximate idea of the value of your intended legacy please use the space below:

Please return this form to:
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