

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN

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AND

.....SCHOOL

(The parties to this Memorandum of Understanding)

A commitment is made bySchool
and School

to work together to develop the understanding of the pupils and teachers about the world we live in and assist each other to overcome the challenges we face each day to provide a quality education for all.

We will do this in the knowledge that the challenges which confront our institutions and communities can be addressed through mutual support, co-operation and collaboration.

We will respect and relate to each other on all institutional matters as appropriate, but in particular on matters relating to school governance, school leadership and management, financial management, and initiatives to raise standards by improving teaching and learning.

We resolve that both our institutions shall channel their energies towards the improvement of education for all our children and the communities we serve.

We therefore agree to adopt this Memorandum of Understanding as a statement of our commitment to this agreement, which will serve as the basis for the development of a meaningful relationship between these two education institutions in particular and other education institutions in the UK and SA in general.

We recognise that we have the lead responsibility for the development of our schools and a key responsibility for the communities in which our schools are situated. In this regard we commit ourselves to programmes of cultural exchange, to the development of shared curricula, to teacher and pupil exchanges, and educational assistance.

We recognise the potential for collaborative training programmes over common areas of interest such as school governance, good citizenship, democratic values, leadership and institutional management , institutional development and financial management. We further recognise that consultation among themselves on issues of common interest shall enhance our respective abilities, skills and experiences.

Our schools agree, if required, to participate in a Consultative Forum which shall meet as required and which will serve as a coordinating and liaison body for all schools participating in the project. The Consultative Forum shall serve as a platform for discussion and communication for all schools in the partnership programme, and as an aid for resolving common issues.

**THE PARTIES TO THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING AGREE
TO ITS ADOPTION AT,.....
ON THE DAY OF THE MONTH OF..... IN
THE YEAR**

SIGNATORIES (Head teachers):

1.	NAME	DESIGNATION	SIGNATURE
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NAME OF INSTITUTION AND ADDRESS

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2.	NAME	DESIGNATION	SIGNATURE
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