Unlocking potential



Teach First

EVERY CHILD FUND

Why support Teach First?

Great teachers. Brilliant leaders. Thriving schools. Building a fair education for all.



The UK is failing to unlock the potential in all our children. It leaves their future at risk – and our society's. Your investment can change that, and build a fair education for all.

- Independent research found a direct link between Teach First teachers and improved GCSE results.
- Of the 10,000+ teachers we have trained 61% are still teaching today.
- Many of our former trainees go on to work for change at the system level – as civil servants, social entrepreneurs, journalists and more.
- Our teaching and leadership programmes have helped more than one million children.
 By 2023, we aim to help two million more.

Children like Farhia have to work twice as hard to succeed.

The street they grow up on and how much their parents earn mean the odds are stacked against them. Farhia's parents find it hard to make ends meet. Sometimes she comes to school hungry. Being shy and withdrawn, she struggles to communicate.

But Farhia's teacher, Miss Graham, has been specially trained by us. She and Fahria spend time together practising speaking and listening to help build up Farhia's vocabulary. Miss Graham invites Farhia's parents to workshops at school to learn how to help her with homework, and gives them fun activities to do together at home. Her school also has a breakfast club, so she never goes hungry.

Without the support of great teachers and schools, children like Farhia risk falling further behind. A shocking 40% of children like her will struggle to read and write by the time they leave primary school. And two thirds of children will leave school without five good GCSEs, trapping them in a vicious cycle of disadvantage.

Every day at school can be a step towards a brighter future. By supporting more great teachers like Miss Graham, you can help rewrite their futures.

Across the UK, there are almost four million children like Farhia who aren't getting the education they deserve to help them reach their potential. Your donation will train and develop more dedicated and inspiring teachers and leaders.

Will you pledge your support today to help us give every child a bright future?

The difference you'll make

Support the Every Child Fund and help place talented teachers where they're needed the most.



£5,000

Will provide high-quality professional development to two Teach First teachers aspiring to become middle or senior leaders, or headteachers. Investing in future leaders keeps great teachers in the most disadvantaged schools.

£10,000 + GIFT AID

Will help us recruit and train three talented and passionate Teach First teachers, like Miss Graham, who could teach up to 375 pupils in their first year. We aim to recruit 1,750 teachers every year.



"The children we work with live in the margins of our society. They visit foodbanks, their lives are difficult. And it's through no fault of their own, or their parents. They're here on time, every day, working hard. Harder than their counterparts. And they deserve so much more from us."

Sophie, English Teacher

Together we can change lives

Your support is vital for the work we do. Your gift will:

- recruit and train talented teachers, including those for shortage subjects like science and maths
- provide high-quality training to help teachers become school leaders
- train teachers to become specialist Careers Leaders and transform careers education in their school

- provide **intensive support** to schools as they improve
- fund important **important research to help launch pioneering new programmes**, and influence national education policy change for the most disadvantaged children

Become a supporter of our Every Child Fund by donating £5,000 or more today and change children's lives forever.

Shaping the future

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You'll always be kept updated and involved in the work we do, and as a supporter you'll:

- have the chance to visit a Teach First school, where you'll meet meet our teachers and their pupils
- receive regular updates and stories on the difference you've made, and access to the latest research from Teach First and our partners
- be invited to inspiring events, where you'll hear from experts in education
- meet like-minded supporters who are passionate about improving education

In the average class, nine children are growing up in poverty

A great education could change their lives, forever. Together we can make this happen.

To pledge your support for the Every Child Fund, or if you have any questions about Teach First, contact Jess Bishop at **jbishop@teachfirst.org.uk** or call **0203 862 8290**.



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