



Bedales School

BUILDING ON THE LEGACY OF JOHN BADLEY, FOUNDER OF BEDALES

The generosity of Old Bedalians, former teachers and parents has made the school a wonderful place. Many gifts have come in the form of legacies, which have allowed us to build new facilities, improve existing ones and fund bursaries for students whose family circumstances would have otherwise put a Bedales education beyond their reach. It is important to remember that the whole school is itself a remarkable gift – a legacy from John Badley and his sisters who invested a high proportion of their family wealth in the estate that now makes up Bedales, Dunhurst and Dunannie.

But it is of course an inspired legacy of a different kind that Badley gave to us all – a vision for a school which had the courage to stand out against prevailing educational dogmas and which puts such precious, humanising qualities as tolerance, individuality and concern for the community at the centre of that vision. Today, we aim to have a similar courage to live by those ideals, pursuing innovations in teaching and learning and staying true to Badley's ideal of educating the whole person in 'head, hand and heart'.

I hope that you will be inspired to help us by leaving a gift in your Will.

Thank you.

Keith Budge, Headmaster

TYPES OF GIFTS

There are different ways in which you can leave a gift to Bedales in your Will.

RESIDUARY LEGACY

If you are not sure which type of legacy to leave, then please consider a residuary legacy.

Residuary legacies retain their value because they follow inflation and are based on a proportion of your estate rather than a set amount of money.

THE WORDING FOR A RESIDUARY GIFT

“Subject to the payment of my debts, funeral and testamentary expenses, I give the whole (or a percentage – please state) of my estate not otherwise disposed of by this my Will to Bedales School (charity registration number 307332) of Church Road, Steep, Petersfield, Hampshire, GU32 2DG for their general purpose and I declare that the receipt of its treasurer or the proper officer for the time being of Bedales School shall be a complete discharge to my executors.”

THE OTHER TYPES OF LEGACY INCLUDE

PECUNIARY LEGACY

A gift of a specific sum of money. The value of these types of legacy may decrease over time as the cost of living increases.

THE WORDING FOR A PECUNIARY GIFT

“I give free of tax to Bedales School (charity registration number 307332) of Church Road, Steep, Petersfield, Hampshire, GU32 2DG, the sum of £ _____ for their general purpose and I declare that the receipt of its treasurer or the proper officer for the time being of Bedales School shall be a complete discharge to my executors.”

SPECIFIC LEGACY

A specific legacy consists of an item of personal property, assets or shares which could be sold to benefit Bedales School.

CONTINGENT LEGACY

If all beneficiaries named in your Will die before you do, you may wish to leave a ‘contingent legacy’ to Bedales School.

I would like to talk to someone to find out more about leaving a gift to Bedales School in my Will

I have already made a bequest to Bedales School in my Will

This is for

- General Purposes *To be used in the area of most need*
- Capital Projects *The creation or improvement of buildings or facilities for teaching and learning*
- Bursaries *To help broaden access to the school*

Are there any other details that you would like us to know about your bequest?

RECOGNITION OF YOUR GENEROSITY

There are a variety of ways in which it may be possible to recognise your contribution to Bedales School; please tick here if you would like to discuss

All those mentioning Bedales School in their Wills are invited to join the John Haden Badley Society which meets annually for lunch with the Headmaster. If you would prefer not to become a member of this Society, please tick here

YOUR DETAILS

Title: _____ First Name: _____ Surname: _____


Address: _____

_____ Postcode: _____

Email: _____

Telephone: _____ *please tick:* mobile home work



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PLEASE RETURN TO

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THANK YOU