Leith Academy parent council

Data Protection

HEADING	EXPLANATION
Aims of this Policy	Leith Academy parent council needs to keep certain information on Parents volunteers, members of the Parent Forum, helpers, friends and committee members in order to keep them up-to-date with Parent Council/PTA matters.
	Leith Academy parent council is committed to ensuring any personal data will be dealt with in line with General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) 2018.
	The aim of this policy is to ensure that everyone handling personal data is fully aware of the requirements.
Type of information held	Leith Academy parent council handles the following personal information: email addresses for parents, local councillors and friends of Leith Academy parent council Personal information is kept in the following forms: A data base of contacts on the parent council g mail account
	People within the Parent Council/PTA who will handle personal information are: The chair and vice chair of Leith Academy parent council
Policy implementation	In order to meet our responsibilities Leith Academy parent council chair and vice chair will:
	 Ensure any personal data is collected in a fair and lawful way; Explain why personal data is needed at the start, how it will be used, and how long it will be kept;
	 Ensure that only the minimum amount of information needed is collected and used; Ensure the information is up-to-date and accurate;
	 To hold personal data only as long as initially stated at the time of gathering consent;
	 Make sure it is kept safely; Update the information we hold every year, asking people to confirm the details are correct and to give permission for us to hold the information for another year.
	 Ensure any disclosure of personal data is in line with our procedures; Deal with any queries about handling personal information quickly.

Security	Leith Academy parent council will take steps to ensure that personal data is kept secure all times. The following measures will be taken: The Leith Academy parent council g mail account is password protected with access by the chair and vice chair, in the event of a new chair or vice chair being elected the password will be changed.
	Any unauthorized disclosure of personal data to a third party by Parent Council member may result in the dismissal from the parent council. The individual involved will be informed of the unauthorized disclosure of their personal data.
Requests for access	 Anyone whose personal information we handle has the right to know: What information we hold and process on them How to gain access to this information How to keep it up-to-date What we are doing to comply with GDPR.
Review	This policy will be reviewed every two years to ensure it remains up- to-date and is compliant with the law.
Declaration	I confirm I have read and understood Leith Academy parent council Data Protection Policy and will act in accordance to it. I am connected with this organization in my capacity as a Member of the committee Volunteer Member of staff Signature: Print name: Aurea Record Date: 25 5 8