ACE EDUCATION

Registered Charity Number: 1206623

TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT AND ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

Legal form	Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) - Foundation
Governing document	Constitution dated 19 December 2023
Registered office	18 West Meads, Guildford, GU2 7ST
Reporting period	1 January 2025 to 31 December 2025

Trustees' Annual Report

The trustees present their annual report and the receipts and payments accounts of ACE Education for the year ended 31 December 2025.

Charity objectives

ACE Education exists for the public benefit to advance education in Nigeria by providing teachers with the training and information required to improve the quality of school teaching in Nigeria, and by assisting school leaders in the development of an inclusive multilingual curriculum that prepares children for the modern world.

The charity's work includes educator development, innovation and inclusion in education, international knowledge exchange and practical support that improves learning opportunities for children.

Activities and achievements in 2025

During 2025, ACE Education moved from the planning and structuring phase reported in 2024 into active programme delivery. The charity strengthened educational opportunities for children and teachers through teacher capacity development, cultural and educational exchange, and technology support across public primary schools in the Federal Capital Territory (FCT), Nigeria.

Teacher training programme. In October 2025, ACE Education delivered a teacher training programme for 52 public primary school teachers from Apo, Kuchingoro, Kadokuchi and Durumi LEA Primary Schools. The programme focused on creating effective teaching aids from low-cost and recyclable materials and on collaborative learning strategies for improved classroom engagement. Post-training assessments reported that 82% of teachers improved their confidence in creating instructional materials from recyclable materials and 79% reported improvement in managing and engaging learners in large classrooms.

Bridging Classrooms Across Continents. In October 2025, ACE Education UK, in partnership with Queen Eleanor's C of E Junior School, launched a six-month programme connecting pupils and teachers in Nigeria and the United Kingdom through cultural and educational exchange. Pupils in Primary 3 to Primary 5 from Apo Resettlement, Durumi and Kuchingoro LEA Primary Schools participated. More than 300 letters were exchanged by email, supporting literacy development and meaningful cross-cultural connections.

ICT and digital learning support. Queen Eleanor's Junior School donated 15 Central Processing Units (CPUs) to support ICT education in Nigeria. Monitors were procured and a computer laboratory was established at Apo Resettlement Primary School. The project is intended to strengthen digital literacy and creative computing through the ACE Tech Club.

Public benefit

The trustees have had regard to the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit when planning and delivering the charity's activities. The 2025 programmes directly furthered the charity's educational objects through teacher development, literacy and cultural exchange, and improved access to digital learning.

Financial review

The charity did not have an official bank account during the reporting year and hence received no cash donations or other cash income into the charity's bank account during the reporting period. No payments were made from charity cash or bank funds during the year.

£3,090 of costs connected with the charity's 2025 programmes were paid personally by Kiki James, Coordinator of the charity. Kiki James has confirmed that she does not seek reimbursement. As these amounts did not pass through the charity's cash or bank account, they are not included as receipts or payments in the receipts and payments account. They are disclosed separately in the notes as personally funded support for the charity's activities.

The £3,090 relates broadly to teacher training, the Bridging Classrooms Across Continents programme, ICT/computer laboratory support, programme logistics and associated administration.

The 15 donated CPUs are also disclosed separately. No monetary value has been included in these receipts and payments accounts because no cash was received.

Reserves policy

At 31 December 2025 the charity held no cash reserves. The trustees will review and adopt an appropriate reserves policy as fundraising and direct income develop, with the aim of maintaining sufficient unrestricted funds to support programme continuity and future commitments.

Structure, governance and management

ACE Education is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO), foundation model, registered with the Charity Commission for England and Wales on 19 January 2024. It is governed by its constitution dated 19 December 2023. The trustees are responsible for compliance, strategic direction, financial oversight and safeguarding the charity's assets.

Trustees

- Kiki Pamela O James - Chair
- Maria Itunu T Oke - Trustee
- Adelowo Olawoye Adeoye - Trustee
- Tosin Durosinmi-Etti - Trustee
- Margaret Ifeyinwa Ebubedike - Trustee
- Robert Gbolabo Aransiola - Trustee
- Hawah Omideyi - Trustee

No trustee remuneration was paid by the charity during the year. No trustee expenses were reimbursed from charity funds during the year.

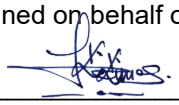
Plans for future periods

The trustees intend to build on the progress achieved in 2025 by developing teacher capacity-building programmes, strengthening the Bridging Classrooms Across Continents programme, developing the ACE Tech Club and increasing access to digital-learning opportunities. The charity also intends to develop fundraising activities so that future programmes can increasingly be funded directly through the CIO.

Trustees' declaration

The trustees approve the Trustees' Annual Report for the year ended 31 December 2025.

Signed on behalf of the trustees:



Kiki Pamela O James
Chair of Trustees

Date: 20th October 2026

Receipts and Payments Account

For the year ended 31 December 2025

	Unrestricted funds £	Total 2025 £	Total 2024 £
Receipts			
Donations and gifts received in cash	0	0	0
Other cash receipts	0	0	0
Total receipts	**0**	**0**	**0**
Payments			
Charitable activities paid from charity funds	0	0	0
Governance/administration paid from charity funds	0	0	0
Total payments	**0**	**0**	**0**
Net receipts/(payments)	**0**	**0**	**0**
Cash funds at 1 January	0	0	0
Cash funds at 31 December	**0**	**0**	**0**

Important note: The receipts and payments account records cash movements of the CIO. The £3,090 paid personally by Kiki James did not pass through the charity's bank account and is therefore disclosed in the notes rather than recorded as cash receipts and payments.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities

As at 31 December 2025

	2025 £	2024 £
Cash funds - bank and cash	0	0
Amounts owed to Kiki James	0	0
Other monetary liabilities	0	0

Non-monetary assets / donated equipment

Fifteen CPUs were donated by Queen Eleanor's Junior School in connection with the charity's ICT education project, and monitors were procured for the computer laboratory at Apo Resettlement Primary School. No monetary value is stated in these accounts.

Guarantees and secured debts

Based on the information provided for preparation of these accounts, no guarantees or debts secured by a charge on the CIO's assets have been identified as of 31 December 2025.

Notes to the Accounts

1. Basis of preparation

These accounts have been prepared on the receipts and payments basis. This basis records cash and cash-equivalent amounts actually received and paid by the charity during the financial year and is accompanied by a statement of assets and liabilities.

2. Personally funded programme costs

During 2025, Kiki James personally met £3,090 of costs connected with ACE Education's charitable activities. She has confirmed that she does not seek reimbursement. Accordingly, no liability to her is shown at 31 December 2025 and, because no charity cash moved, these costs are not included in the receipts and payments statement.

The costs supported the following areas:

- Teacher training programme and associated teaching/training materials;
- Bridging Classrooms Across Continents activities;
- ICT/computer laboratory support, including monitors and related setup;
- Local programme transport and logistics; and
- Associated programme administration and communications.

A detailed expense schedule and supporting receipts are retained with the charity's accounting records.

3. Trustee remuneration and expenses

No remuneration was paid to trustees from charity funds during the year. No trustee expenses were reimbursed from charity funds. The personally funded programme costs described in note 2 were not reimbursed and are not payable at the year end.

4. Donated equipment

Queen Eleanor's Junior School donated 15 CPUs in connection with the ICT education programme. The donation was non-cash and is not included as a receipt in the receipts and payments account.

5. Restricted and endowment funds

No cash restricted funds or endowment funds were identified from the information supplied for the year ended 31 December 2025.

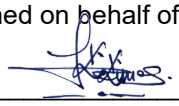
6. Comparative figures

The 2024 comparative figures reflect the prior-year report, which recorded no income, no expenditure and no opening or closing bank balance.

Approval of the accounts

These accounts were approved by the trustees on: 20th October 2026

Signed on behalf of the trustees:



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Kiki Pamela O James
Chair of Trustees