



Modern Slavery Statement

This statement is made pursuant to section 54 of the Modern Slavery Act 2015 (MSA). It constitutes Kingsbridge Educational Trusts slavery and human trafficking statement for the financial year ending 31 August 2020. This statement covers the activities of Kingsbridge Educational Trust, Kents Hill Park School, Middleton Primary School, Monkston Primary School and Oakgrove School, who procure goods and services.

Kingsbridge Educational Trust is committed to driving out acts of modern-day slavery and human trafficking within the Trust and from within its supply chains, including sub-contractors, and partners.

Kingsbridge Educational Trust acknowledges its obligations with regard to the Modern Slavery Act 2015 and will ensure transparency within the Trust and with suppliers of goods and services to the Trust. These, as well as the suppliers of services, make up the supply chain within The Kingsbridge Educational Trust.

As part of the Trust's due diligence processes into slavery and human trafficking, the supplier approval process will incorporate a review of the controls undertaken by the supplier. Imported goods from sources from outside the UK and EU are potentially more at risk for slavery/human trafficking issues. The level of management control required for these sources will be continually monitored.

The Trust procures goods, services, or works in a manner that is considerate of the impact, both positive and negative, that the Trust may have on the environment, the economy, and society in general and will not support or deal with any business knowingly involved in slavery or human trafficking.

Kingsbridge Educational Trust shall take responsibility for implementing this statement and shall provide adequate resources and investment to ensure that slavery and human trafficking is not taking place within the Trust or within its supply chains.

This statement and a link to the [Modern Slavery Act 2015](#) is available on the Trust and member schools' websites along with a copy of the Kingsbridge Educational Trust Whistleblowing Policy.

This statement has been approved by the Board of Directors and will be reviewed annually and published on our website.

Link to MSA - <http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2015/30/contents/enacted>

Link to MSA Overview - <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/modern-slavery-bill>

Signed:  (Prof. M Crawford, Chair of Board)

Date: 15/12/20