



## **Child Sponsorship Policy**

Child Sponsorship is a vital part of the funds raised by Chaffinch.

1. All monies will be added to Chaffinch funds and spent as agreed by the trustees and in accordance with our Charitable Objects, which can be viewed on the Charity Commission website. This includes monies received from Child Sponsors.
2. Sponsored children are guaranteed all reasonable education, food and healthcare costs as well as social and emotional support and intervention.
3. If any sponsor ceases sponsorship, Chaffinch's general reserve fund will allow sponsorship of that child to continue for up to 3 additional months while another sponsor is identified.
4. A sponsor will receive:
  - A sponsorship card with the child's photograph and details;
  - Communications (e.g. letters, drawings, videos) from their sponsored child a minimum of four times each year;
  - Copies of their sponsored child's school reports and other relevant progress reports;
  - Year-End summary with an updated photograph of their sponsored child;
  - The option to receive digital copies of additional photographs taken throughout the sponsorship period;
  - The opportunity to communicate with their sponsored child.

*This policy may be revised at any time with the agreement of a majority of the trustees.*