

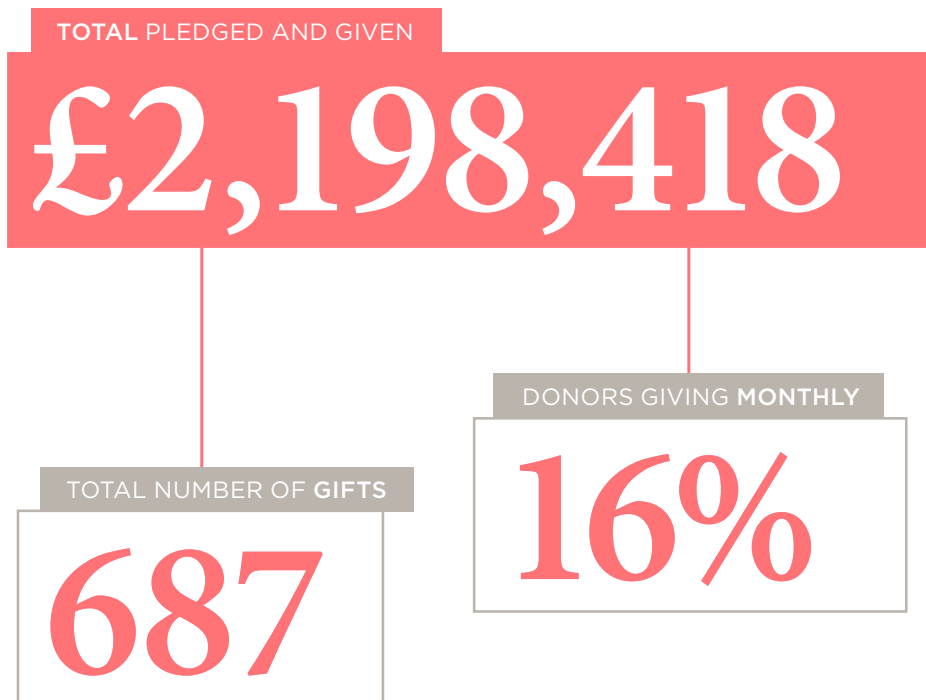
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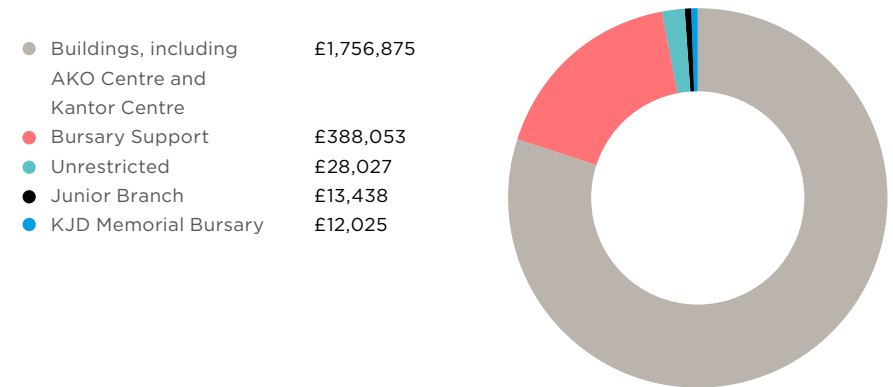
➤ **MARK J BEARD — HEADMASTER**

The *Impact of Philanthropy* at UCS can be seen across the Foundation in newly completed projects, including in our beloved Great Hall: supporters' benevolence quite literally affects the heart of the school. This review aims to show how each donation enhances the experience and opportunities available to all at UCS, and especially the children. Thank you to all those who have joined me in showing their support, coming together to make a difference to this amazing institution.

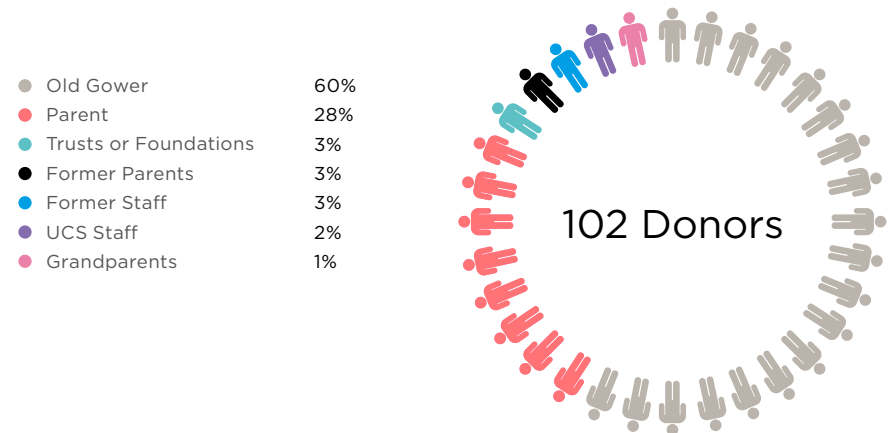
> The past 12 months have shown *extraordinary* generosity.



> This year, donors gave towards these areas



> and donors came from across the UCS Community



> Legacies

Of those who have made gifts over the past year, **three** have also pledged a legacy in their wills.



› **Buildings.**

Developing new environments to enhance the UCS experience.

› This year we are proud to open the *AKO Centre*.

#### AKO CENTRE

Innovation in learning and teaching

The new centre embodies the essence of a UCS education and brings together the resources to learn the fundamental skills that will stand our pupils in good stead far beyond school, no matter what they choose to do.

Embedding a culture of project-based learning and educational research at UCS, it houses the library, areas for independent and collaborative work and study, a discussion and learning forum and a classroom for innovation in learning and teaching.



**CURIOSITY • INDEPENDENCE • INNOVATION  
CONFIDENCE • EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE  
RESOURCEFULNESS • ELOQUENCE • RESILIENCE  
PERSEVERANCE • COLLABORATION**

› And we are delighted to name the new sports pavilion the *Kantor Centre*.

#### KANTOR CENTRE

Supporting health and sustained wellbeing

The opportunity for young people to play sport – team sport in particular – develops important personal attributes that extend beyond the health benefits of physical exercise.

Confidence, resilience, team work and team spirit are obvious examples that play a crucial part

in a person's success in wider life. To that end, the Kantor Centre will be a key game changer for hundreds and thousands of young people for many years to come.



› Opportunities for *young minds* to grow and explore are key to their relationship to learning.

#### THE PRE-PREP ECO GARDEN

Brought to life by support from  
The Rose Foundation

This garden has transformed a previously under used space into a key part of the Pre-Prep School's lessons. Science and creative curriculum sessions now have outdoor learning elements where pupils nurture flowers, herbs and vegetables, taking great care and pride as they watch them grow. They are also learning about organically reducing waste by using a new school wormery for leftovers from their packed lunches.





› **Bursaries.**  
Provision for Bursaries  
can provide life-long  
opportunities.



› Each year we invite our leavers' families to contribute to their *Class Gift*, which supports others who could benefit from the UCS education they have had.

SENIOR SCHOOL

15 FAMILIES GAVE

£16,096

IN SUPPORT OF BURSARIES AND BUILDINGS

JUNIOR BRANCH

9 FAMILIES GAVE

£8,438

IN SUPPORT OF SCIENCE AND OUTDOOR LEARNING

One pupil who received a bursary at UCS between 2016 and 2018 was **Jovana Pepic** who, having secured straight A\* grades in her A-Levels, has just started a degree in Chemistry at the University of Oxford.

Jovana set her sights on Oxford having visited for an open day and felt the support UCS gave her with her application was exceptional.



*“Everyone at the school is valued and given so many opportunities to flourish and excel in their learning.”*

NADA – JOVANA'S MOTHER

## › Donors.

Supporting future generations through philanthropy.

› Since UCS moved to Frognal, we have recognised donors through *UCS Corporation*. This year members have supported every area of need.

### CORPORATION

Building the future of UCS together

Corporation was established in 1905, originally a group of supporters of UCS and its move from Gower Street to Frognal. Today, it continues to recognise those of our community who have shown the same dedication to the school by giving the equivalent of at least one term's school fees.

Members of Corporation are highly valued by UCS and we encourage all members to feel involved with

the school and to attend the annual meeting of the group. This is led by the Chairman of Council who is joined by the heads of each school in the foundation and members of the Senior Management Team, ready to answer any questions members may have.

This year we are proud to welcome more new members to the group.

Thank you, to you  
all, whether you  
are named or  
anonymous donors.

I am glad to be  
amongst you.

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