

## **Application for funding from Saltash Town Council**

**Applicant:** Brunel Friends Association, (charity number 1190340) based at Brunel Primary and Nursery Academy, Saltash PL12 6DX

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Chair: Mrs Jennifer Hall

As the PTA for Brunel Primary school in Saltash, we are applying to Saltash Town Council for funding of 3 in No. 8<sup>th</sup> Generation 32GB iPads for use by Brunel pupils.

These iPads would supplement those supplied via the Department of Education allocation and those already owned by school. These would be used by pupils without access to technology to support home learning during school closures or isolation periods due to Covid-19. The school are very proud to have been able to allow all children access to online learning by loaning a laptop or iPad where families had no equipment. They have now turned to us as there is still a shortfall where a small number of families have siblings needing to share devices, severely restricting their learning opportunities.

The minimum additional iPads required is three, and we would appreciate any funding towards these if they cannot be funded in their entirety.

Each iPad will cost approx. £350 to include the device and installation of the necessary software.

Total Cost: £1,050.

Required: As soon as possible.

Post Covid-19 these will be lent to those children who school feel would benefit from having such a useful resource at home for homework / research etc and to support learning needs through continued access to educational programs and resources as have been provided while home learning.

Full acknowledgement of any funding or contribution made by STC will be shared with our school community.

**End of Report.**