



Educational Support – Sponsorship Form

Omid International www.omid.org.uk is a charitable organisation with the aim of relieving financial hardship of those living in the developing countries and the UK. We also aim to provide educational, vocational and social / recreational resources or make grants to individuals for the use of such resources.

Currently we have three projects: An educational hostel for up to 50 Dalit (untouchable) children in a rural part of India, befriending & mentoring for young people and an educational support project primarily for unaccompanied asylum seeking **young people in education** in the UK.

Educational support for young people:

While awaiting the Home Office decision, some young people may not be entitled to work or receive government funding. We aim to support young asylum seekers & refugees to complete their education by e.g. providing grants & loans, supplementary allowance or educational resources.

We are also developing a befriending / mentoring scheme run by volunteers to help young people:

- Instil confidence
- Receive peer support
- Participate in social / recreational activities to enhance their emotional wellbeing
- Improve their scholastic skills
- Have opportunities to learn about the host culture
- Receive individual counselling & mental health support.

Your donation will enable us to respond more widely to the pressing needs of this group. Payments by Standing Order reduce administrative costs and will be much appreciated. Standing Order and Gift Aid forms are available on request.

The charity's bank account details are:

<i>Name of Bank:</i>	<i>Lloyds TSB</i>
<i>Branch:</i>	<i>Silver Street Enfield</i>
<i>Sort Code:</i>	<i>30-99-86</i>
<i>Account name:</i>	<i>Omid International</i>
<i>Account number:</i>	<i>02455633</i>
<i>IBAN:</i>	<i>GB63 LOYD3099 8604 6124 18</i>
<i>BIC:</i>	<i>LOYDGB21043</i>

On behalf of the trustees, I welcome your support and thank you in advance for your generosity.

Dr K Saedi
Chair of Trustees