

You do not have to be wealthy to leave a legacy, and Educate Together understands that you will want to make provision for your friends and family first. But please be assured that a gift of any size will be appreciated and will make a difference to many children for generations to come.

There are a number of different ways to remember us, depending on your circumstances:

A residuary gift allows you to leave Educate Together a share of your estate, once your family and friends have been taken care of.

A pecuniary gift allows you to leave a specific amount of money to Educate Together.

A reversionary gift allows you to leave your estate to your dependents while they are living, but after they pass away it will revert to Educate Together.

A legacy left to Educate Together is exempt from tax. By leaving a legacy to Educate Together you are reducing the overall tax bill on your estate and getting the most value from your gift.

All you need is Educate Together's charity number which is CHY 11816. Your legal advisor will do the rest.

If you are considering remembering us in your Will, or have already done so, thank you.

“Educate Together has accumulated many years of experience in operating such schools and delivering excellence in multi-denominational and inter-cultural teaching. The organisation is making a real and lasting impact on the Irish Educational scene and has already opened many schools through out the country. This initiative needs the input, dedication and assistance of many.”

~ Pat Cox, former President of the European Parliament



For more information about leaving a legacy to Educate Together go to www.educatetogether.ie/leave-legacy or contact Mary O'Donovan, Head of Development directly on 086 808 7186

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One hundred years from now



it will not matter what car I drove, what kind of house I lived in, how much I had in my bank account, or what my clothes looked like. But, the world may be a better place because I was important in the life of a child.

~Anon

Remember Educate Together in your will

Give the gift of education

I was visiting an Educate Together school some years ago when Sarah, a ten-year old student in fourth class told me that she had recently met a politician.

I settled down to listen to her as she recounted her first experience outside of school as an active citizen. She was rightly proud of her actions, and had become a bit of a star amongst her classmates.

Sarah had been in Dublin city with her parents, when she spotted the Minister for Education coming out of the big black gates at the front of Leinster House, and noticed that the Minister had stopped to have a conversation with a group of 'important looking people'.

She crossed the road, dragging her mother behind her, and said 'excuse me, but are you the Minister for Education?' Yes I am, replied the Minister.

“Could you change the rules back to allow children to have milk and buns in school” Sarah said. “and why should I do that?” the Minister asked Sarah. **“because a lot of children are coming to school hungry, and hungry children can't learn”**.

Sarah said that the Minister just said 'oh, right then' and took out a notebook and wrote Sarah's name and address, and said that it would be looked into. Sarah said she thanked the Minister and then went about the rest of the day.

I never cease to be amazed at the insight, determination and

just plain human kindness of children, no matter what their race, religion or cultural background.

Every other day I meet a young man or woman who attended an Educate Together school. They continue to inspire me as they venture out into the world as young adults, putting the characteristic spirit of every Educate Together School into action as they make ethical choices and decisions in their jobs, and in their lives.

By remembering Educate Together in your Will you will help us to ensure that more and more children can access a non fee paying Education that will prepare them to be **active citizens** in the 21st century.

Our children and grandchildren need the knowledge and problem-solving skills to cure diseases like cancer and AIDS, and to develop new energy technologies, and protect our environment. They will need insight and critical thinking skills to fight poverty and homelessness, crime and discrimination, and make our world more fair and more free.

What children are learning in Educate Together schools today will ensure that we can meet our greatest challenges of the future.

Paul Rowe

CEO, Educate Together

