

# Annual Reporting for Schools: Getting Prepared Webinar

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# What is the Annual Report?

Describes your activities and financial affairs for the preceding 12 months.

• It is required by law, 10 months after the end of your financial year. For most schools this is 30 June.

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## **Annual Reporting process**

FSSU supply Charities Regulator with financial, staffing and volunteer information

We add information related to your activities

You check the information and submit



## **How do I submit my Annual Report?**

Only through our online portal - MyAccount.

 For access, you need a customer account linked to your charity account.

Setting up a new authorised filer is fast and straight forward.

• Requires a letter signed by a member of the Board of Management (must be different than the filer).



## **Demonstration**



#### What you need to have for Annual Reporting?

#### Log in

- Check if you can access your account
- If not, create one ahead of time
- Log in

# Check information

Check information is correct

Submit

• Submit the form



# Keeping your school up-to-date

Other information you must provide to the Charities Regulator to keep your records up-to-date:

 Board of Management – inform us of all changes to your board of management, via the form update trustees, connections and external advisors.

• Charity details verification - complete this form to ensure your schools information is up-to-date



### Helpful resources

- We have a range of resources to help you on:
- Short 'how to' videos
- Step by step guides
- FAQs
- User Guides









#### Last but not least....

• It is a legal requirement.

• The Charities Regulator cannot grant extensions.

Check you can access MyAccount today.



# Thank You

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