



*Saint Joseph's*

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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## Defibrillator Fund Raising

Did you know that if an adult or a child goes into cardiac arrest, without a defibrillator, there is only a 7% chance of survival. If a defibrillator is on the patient within the first 3–5 minutes, the chance of survival is over 70%.

Whilst we have been fortunate not to have experienced a major incident like this Cardiac Arrest can happen to ANYONE of any age, ANYTIME, ANYWHERE!

We are going to have a non-uniform day for all students on Thursday 14 July to raise funds for the school to purchase a defibrillator. The cost of this is around £1200 so we are requesting a voluntary donation of £2 per student, payable through school gateway.

Below is the defibrillator we would like to purchase; it is fully automatic and is suitable for anyone over the age of 1.

