

## WEBSITE COOKIE NOTICE

The Gatsby Charitable Foundation (“Gatsby, “we”, “us”, “our”) use cookies on our websites (<https://Gatsby.org.uk/>, <http://www.gtep.co.uk> and <http://www.technicaleducationnetworks.org.uk>). This cookie notice explains more about cookies and why we use them. It also explains how you can control and opt out of receiving them.

We update this cookie notice from time to time in response to changes in applicable laws and regulations and to changes on our website. When changes are made, we will update the ‘Last updated’ date at the bottom of this page.

Please review this cookie notice periodically to check for updates.

### COOKIES

Cookies are small text files. They are downloaded to your device when you visit a website unless you have set your browser to stop them. We use several types of cookies that have been developed by Google. The types of cookie we use on our website may include:

#### **Strictly necessary cookies**

These are essential to the operation of our website and enable you to browse and use all features of the website.

#### **Functionality / preference cookies**

Functionality cookies remember the choices you make when you visit our website. This includes, for example, your choice of language and text sizing. They remember your preferences on return visits and tailor your use of our website.

#### **Statistics / analytics cookies**

These cookies collect anonymous information about your use of our website such as the pages you visit most often, how you arrived at our website and error messages you may receive. These do not collect any personal information and are used to improve our website performance.

### **Marketing cookies / pixels**

These are placed by trusted third-party suppliers and help us count visitors to our website. They provide aggregated information which we use to monitor the popularity of our services.

Further technical details of each cookie used on this website can be found by going to our cookie table below. You can also learn more about cookies by going to <http://www.allaboutcookies.org/>.

### **MANAGING COOKIES**

You can manage and delete cookies and web beacons through your web browser. Each browser manages cookies differently, but you can learn more about cookie settings in the most common browsers using the links below:

- [Chrome](#)
- [Firefox](#)
- [Safari for Mac](#)
- [Safari for iOS](#)
- [Edge](#)
- [Internet Explorer](#)

### **HOW TO CONTACT US**

If you have any questions about our use of cookies you can contact us at [dataprotection@sfct.org.uk](mailto:dataprotection@sfct.org.uk)

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## Cookie Table

### Strictly Necessary Cookies:

Domain	Cookie Name	Description	Duration
gatsby.org.uk	PHPSESSID	Preserves the user state across the page requests	Session
Google.com	rc::a	Used to distinguish between humans and bots. This is beneficial to us in order to make valid reports on the use of the website	Persistent
Google.com	rc::c	Used to distinguish between humans and bots.	Session
Gtep.co.uk	DYNSRV	Used to optimize the response rate between the visitor and the site by distributing the traffic load in the multiple network links or servers.	Session
technicaleducation networks.org.uk/	CookieControl	This saves the Civic banner status.	90 days

### Functional / Preference Cookies:

None

### Statistics / Analytics Cookies

Domain	Cookie Name	Description	Duration
gatsby.org.uk	_ga	Registers a unique ID that is used to generate statistical data on how visitors use the website.	2 years
gatsby.org.uk	_gat	Used by Google Analytics to throttle request rate	1 day
gatsby.org.uk	_gid	Used to distinguish users on Google Analytics in order to count user visits and traffic sources so that we can measure and improve the site performance	1 day
technicaleducation networks.org.uk/	pk_hsr _pk_ref _pk_cvar _pk_id _pk_ses	Please see full details for description and duration at this link: <a href="https://matomo.org/faq/general/faq_146/">https://matomo.org/faq/general/faq_146/</a>	-



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technicaleducationnetworks.org.uk/	_hjSessionUser_*	Used for Hotjar visitor analytics. The cookie ensures data from subsequent visits is attributed the same user ID. Hotjar does not track users across different sites.	365 days
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**Marketing Cookies & Pixels:**

None