

Everything you need to know about...Gift Aid

When an individual donates money to a charity, the Gift Aid scheme enables the charity to claim back the basic rate of tax already paid on the donation.

Most donations will be eligible for Gift Aid provided:

- The donor is an individual (donations from charities, trusts and companies are not eligible)
- The donor pays at least as much Income Tax or Capital Gains Tax in the UK as the value of the Gift Aid claim
- The donor is NOT connected to the participant. A person is connected if they are a spouse, an immediate relative (parent, grandparent, child, sibling) or the spouse of an immediate relative

Please note, these are the rules and regulations as stipulated by HM Revenue and Customs NOT by Raleigh.

Currently, the rebate we can claim is 28%, so if somebody makes a donation of £100, Raleigh can convert that into £128. This scheme is to benefit charities and the Inland Revenue pay the rebate directly to Raleigh. However, we have decided to credit half of what we receive in Gift Aid from your donations to your fundraising account.