

Does your raffle need a licence?

Will your raffle be run wholly alongside a PTA event with tickets only sold at the event location and on the day?



YOU CAN RUN AN **INCIDENTAL LOTTERY** WHICH DOES NOT REQUIRE ANY PERMISSIONS OR LICENCES

You must ensure that all ticket sales take place during the event. However, the draw may take place after the event.

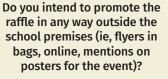
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Online raffles

Any lottery other than that run under a Gambling Commission licence or Local Authority permit is unlawful if tickets are sold online (and in the case of private lotteries, advertised online).

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Will the tickets only be sold on the society premises (ie, on school grounds)?



YES



YOU CAN RUN A **PRIVATE SOCIETY LOTTERY** WITH NO PERMISSIONS OR LICENCES

A challenge for PTAs to run because there can be no promotion outside of the physical premises of the society and tickets can only be sold to members or guests on the premises. In the case of a PTA, this would be the school.

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Will the prize money exceed £25,000?

YOU REQUIRE A LARGE SOCIETY LOTTERY LICENCE FROM THE GAMBLING COMMISSION

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YOU MUST REGISTER

WITH YOUR LOCAL

AUTHORITY AS A

SMALL SOCIETY LOTTERY

There is a proceeds limit of

£20.000 per individual draw

and £250,000 aggregate for

all draws in a calendar year for small society lotteries. If

either the proceeds or prize

large society lottery licence

limit is breached, then a

small-society-lotteries Find your local authority at

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