



There are a variety of ways for you to ensure that CPA Studios derives the maximum possible value from your gift in support of our work.

#### **Gift Aid**

If you are a UK taxpayer then you can Gift Aid your donations to CPA Studios. Gift Aid allows us to reclaim an extra 25p in tax from the Inland Revenue for every £1 you donate at no additional cost to yourself.

To qualify for Gift Aid, what you pay in income tax or capital gains tax must be at least equal to the amount we will claim in tax each year.

Just tick the Gift Aid box on our [donation form](#) and we will do the rest. Alternatively, you can complete a separate [Gift Aid declaration form](#) which will allow us to claim Gift Aid on all your future donations.

#### **Legacies – Remembering CPA Studios in your will**

A gift to CPA Studios in your will is not subject to inheritance tax. The current inheritance tax threshold is £325,000; anything above this is liable to tax at 40%. Once you have taken care of your family and loved ones in your will, please consider leaving a legacy to support the future of education in performing arts. Making a will is relatively easy and if you have already made a will, a charitable legacy can be added by making a simple amendment called a Codicil.

From Fri 6 April 2012, if you leave a legacy of more than 10% of your net estates value to charity, you will receive a reduction in the rate of Inheritance Tax you are liable to pay e.g. 36% instead of the usual 40% on the remainder of your estate.