

Standing Advisory Council for Religious Education (SACRE)

Thursday 13 July 2023 at 5.00 pm

This will be held as an online meeting

Membership:

Chair: Basma ElShayyal (Chair)

Vice Chair: Helen Mooney

Adviser: Nadia Nadeem

Representatives of:

- Local Authority
- Church of England
- Brent's other faiths and denominations
- Teachers unions

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The SACRE meeting will be open for the public and press to attend as an online virtual meeting. The link to view the meeting live will be available [HERE](#)

Agenda

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1 Welcome and Introductions

2 Election of Chair and Vice Chair

To undertake the annual election of the SACRE Chair & Vice-Chair.

Members are asked to note that in accordance with the SACRE Constitution:

- The local authority has agreed not to exercise their right to appoint the Chair and Vice Chair, meaning the appointments will be a matter for SACRE to agree; and
- The appointment of Chair & Vice Chair will be for a one year term of office covering the 2023-24 academic year, with future elections to take place at the last SACRE meeting of each preceding academic year.

3 Minutes of the previous meeting 1 - 4

To consider and approve the minutes from the last SACRE meeting held on Thursday 9 February 2023.

4 Determinations (if any) (SACRE agenda only) 5 - 6

4.1 Members are asked to note that since the Agenda was published, a determination application has been received from The Stonebridge School, details attached, which Members are being asked to consider at the meeting.

4.2 To note the following school with an expired determination:

- Uxendon Manor School

5 General SACRE & RE Update 7 -23

Following consideration of the Brent summary 2021 census data relating to religion at the previous meeting a further summary has now been provided mapping Brents population by religion.

This has also been attached for SACREs information.

6 General NSACRE Update

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To consider any current NASACRE updates.

Members are asked to note that the NASCRE Annual Conference took place on 22 May 2023. The key note address at the Conference was provided by Dr Kathryn Wright (Chief Executive Culham St Gabriels Trust). A summary of her keynote address has been attached for reference “An Education in religion and worldviews – the next 30 years”

7 Any Other Business

7.1 Date of Future Meetings

SACRE is asked to note the remaining programme of dates identified for meetings during the 2023-24 academic year, as follows:

- Wednesday 11th October 2023 at 5pm.
- Thursday 8th February 2024 at 5pm.

These will be undertaken as online meetings, unless otherwise indicated.

Date of the next meeting: Wednesday 11 October 2023