



STANDING ADVISORY COUNCIL ON RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (SACRE)

Date: Wednesday, 27 November 2019

Time: 4.30 pm (arrive from 4pm)

Place: St Stephen's CofE Primary Academy - Sneinton, Nottingham NG2 4QW

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- 1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**
- 2 PRESENTATION FROM SARAH PEEK, SPECIALIST LEADER FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AT SNEINTON PRIMARY SCHOOL**
- 3 DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS**
- 4 MINUTES AND INFORMAL MEETING NOTES**
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Of the meeting held on 14 June 2018 (for confirmation)
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Of the inquorate meetings held on 22 November 2018 and 13 June 2019 (for information)
- 5 APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHAIR**
- 6 MEMBERSHIP UPDATE**
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- 14 NEXT MEETING**
To agree a meeting date before the end of March 2020.

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SACRE is the 'Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education'. Since 1944 every Local Authority is required by law to have a SACRE. Its role was further strengthened in the Education Reform Act of 1988 and most recently in 1996.

The responsibilities of SACRE are:

- to provide advice to the Local Authority (LA) on all aspects of its provision for RE in its schools (this does not include Voluntary Aided Schools);
- to decide whether the LA's Agreed Syllabus for RE needs to be reviewed and if so, to ensure that this is completed;
- to provide advice to the LA on Collective Worship in its schools (this does not include Voluntary Aided or Voluntary Controlled Schools);
- to consider any requests from Headteachers to hold Collective Worship that is not of a broadly Christian character;
- to advise on matters relating to training for teachers in RE and Collective Worship;
- to publish an Annual Report of its work.