

# SACRE Development Plan 2012-2014

Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education

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Locality Affected:	All
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## **1. Purpose and Reasons**

- 1.1 To consider updates to the SACRE Development Plan for 2012/14.

## **2. Recommendations**

The SACRE is recommended to:

- 2.1 Note the updated Development Plan for 2012-14 and agree any further changes which it considers are appropriate.

## **3. Detail**

Development Plan 2012/14

- 3.1 The SACRE amended its Development Plan for 2012/14 at the last meeting to reflect the adoption of the Annual Report. A copy is attached at Appendix '1', including some further amendments.
- 3.2 The SACRE Advisor will provide an update on the changes at the meeting and Members of the SACRE are invited to comment on any further amendments to be made, to reflect progress or changes to circumstances or priorities since the last meeting.
- 3.3 Members are asked in particular to consider SACRE's relationship with Academies in Swindon. To facilitate this discussion notes from the NASCRE AGM 2013 and some Frequently Asked Questions are appended to the report.

## **4. Alternative Options**

- 4.1 The SACRE can set its own Development Plan, in line with its statutory responsibilities.

## **5. Implications, Diversity Impact Assessment and Risk Management**

Financial and Procurement Implications

- 5.1 A £5k annual budget is provided to support the SACRE's work, which includes funding for support from the SACRE Advisor. Any activities identified as a result of this report, will be funded from this budget.

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## Legal and Human Rights Implications

- 5.2 The report has no specific legal or human rights implications.

## All Other Implications (including Staff, Sustainability, Health, Rural, Crime and Disorder)

- 5.3 No other implications have been identified.

## Links to One Swindon, Strategic Objectives, Plans and Policies

- 5.4 The work of the SACRE seeks to support Theme 5 of the Community Strategy, “for Swindon to be a place where high aspirations are supported by superb education provision for all ages”.

## Diversity Impact Assessment

- 5.5 A Diversity Impact Assessment has not been completed for this report, as it does not relate to a specific policy or strategy change.

## Risk Management

- 5.6 There are no risk management factors which have been identified in relation to this report.

## **6. Consultees**

- 6.1 The Board Director Resources (Section 151 Officer) and Director of Law and Democratic Services (Monitoring Officer) are consulted in respect of all reports.

## **7. Background Papers**

- 7.1 None

## **8. Appendices**

- 8.1 Appendix 1 - Notes for NASCRE AGM 2013  
8.2 Appendix 2 – Frequently Asked Questions relating to Academies