

Report from The Locally Distinctive RE Sub committee

1.

On 9th May 2014 Miss Janet French and Katy Staples spent a morning at Gateway Church taking photographs and interviewing people about the work that they do in running a Food bank and a Furniture recycling centre for people in need.

This will be written up and trialled in schools in Terms 1 and 2.

Materials will be bought to SACRE in the Autumn.

2.

Sadly Rev Beth Brown who was leading on a

“How to use a Church to support RE: East Swindon example” is no longer in post.

If another SACRE member would like to work on this unit it would be most appreciated.

3.

Mr Khan has kindly supplied the contact details for making engagement with the Gorse Hill Mosque.

Katy Staples has yet to successfully make contact but hopes to make a visit in August when Ramadan has finished and will begin to see the opportunities for writing a Swindon Distinctive unit centred around the Mosque.

4. It would be good if any other SACRE members have ideas for writing other Swindon Distinctive units to attend the next overview meeting