

Reviewing our Vision as a SACRE

Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education (SACRE)

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Parish / Wards Affected: All

Purpose

- To invite the SACRE over a series of meetings to consider its vision and purpose as a SACRE.

Recommendation

- That the SACRE considers its vision for its role as a SACRE and how it might wish to be promoted to local Schools.

1. Reasons

- 1.1 To ensure that SACRE as a body is clear as to its vision, and purpose.

2. Detail

- 2.1 Over the next three SACRE meetings we will discuss and hopefully come to a consensus about what our vision for SACRE is, why we have that vision and how we hope to implement and communicate it.
- 2.2 This meeting we will try to decide upon a vision statement for SACRE.
- 2.3 A copy of the SACRE's constitution is attached at Appendix '1' as background information to this discussion.

Alternative Options

- There are none.

Risk Management

Financial and Procurement Implications

- There are no financial implications arising from this report.

Legal / Human Rights Implications

- None

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Links to Corporate Plans and Policies (in particular to Swindon 2010 Promises)

- The work of the SACRE contributes to the Council's aims to improve the opportunities for children and young people.

Consultees

- The Director of Finance (Section 151 Officer) and Director of Law and Democratic Services (Monitoring Officer) are consulted on all reports.
- Director of Schools and Learning
- Gill Ilic, Principal Adviser

Background Papers and Appendices

- Appendix 1 – SACRE Constitution