

INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT

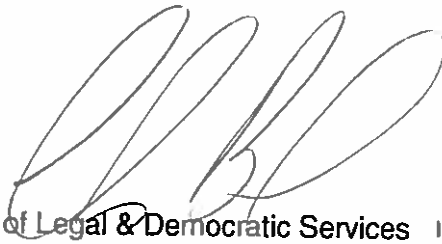
1. The name of the school is St Mary and All Saints Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School.
 2. The school is a Voluntary Aided school.
 3. The name of the Governing Body is The Governing Body of St Mary and All Saints Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School.
 4. The Governing Body shall consist of:
 - 2 parent governors
 - 1 LA governor
 - 1 staff governor
 - 1 head teacher
 - 7 foundation governors
 5. Total number of governors shall be 12, except that, at any time that the Headteacher has given written notice to the Clerk to the governors that he/she chooses not to be a governor, the total shall be 11.
 6. Of the Foundation Governors 3 shall be appointed by the Oxford Diocesan Board of Education, and 4 shall be appointed by the Parochial Church Council of the Parish of St Mark and All Saints, Reading.
 7. (a) the holder of the following office shall be a foundation governor ex officio:
 - The vicar of St Mark and All Saints, Reading
 - (b) The Archdeacon of Berkshire shall be entitled to appoint a foundation governor to act in the place of the ex officio foundation governor whose governorship derives from the office named in (a) above, in the event that that ex officio foundation governor is unable or unwilling to act as a foundation governor, or has been removed from office under regulation 21(1) of the Regulations.
 - (c) The Archdeacon of Berkshire shall be entitled to request the removal of the ex officio foundation governor named in (a) above and to appoint a substitute foundation governor.
8. The school has a trust deed dated 14th January 1850, and the first pupils were enrolled at the school in 1851.
 9. The religious ethos of the school as follows:

"The school was founded by, and is part of, the Church of England. Recognising its historic foundation, the school will preserve and develop its religious character in accordance with the principles of the Church of England, and in partnership with the Church at diocesan and parish levels.

The school aims to serve its community by providing an education of the highest quality within the context of Christian belief and practice. It encourages an understanding of the meaning and significance of faith, and promotes Christian values through the experience it offers to all its pupils”

10. This instrument of government comes into effect on 19 June 2017.
11. This instrument was made by order of Reading Local Authority on

A copy of the instrument must be supplied to every member of the governing body (and the head teacher if not a governor), and trustees, and to the Oxford Diocesan Board of Education.

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of several large, overlapping loops and a long horizontal stroke at the bottom.

Head of Legal & Democratic Services 14/9/17.