

LONDON BOROUGH OF RICHMOND UPON THAMES

INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT: VOLUNTARY AIDED SCHOOLS

1. The name of the school is **St Mary's and St Peter's Church of England Primary School**.
2. The school is a voluntary aided school.
3. The name of the governing body is "The governing body of **St Mary's and St Peter's Church of England Primary School**"
4. The governing body shall consist of:
 - (a) **2** parent governors;
 - (b) **1** LA governor;
 - (c) **2** staff governors; one of whom will be the Headteacher
 - (d) **7** foundation governors,
5. Total number of governors **12**.
6. The bodies entitled to appoint foundation governors are:
 - (a) 1 appointed by the London Diocesan Board for Schools;
 - (b) 1 appointed by the Parochial Church Council of St Mary's and St Alban's Church;
 - (c) 1 appointed by the Parochial Church Council of St Peter's and St Paul's Church;
 - (d) 1 appointed by the Hampton Deanery.
 - (e) 1 appointed by the other Foundation governors.
7.
 - (a) The holder of the following office shall be a foundation governor ex-officio:
Vicar of St Mary's and St Alban's Church.
 - (b) The Archdeacon of Middlesex shall be entitled to appoint a foundation governor to act in place of the ex-officio foundation governor whose governorship derives from the office named in 7 (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 23 (2) of the Regulations.
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 - (a) The holder of the following office shall be a foundation governor ex-officio:
Vicar of St Peter's and St Paul's Church.
 - (b) The Archdeacon of Middlesex shall be entitled to appoint a foundation governor to act in place of the ex-officio foundation governor whose governorship derives from the office named in 8 (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 23 (2) of the Regulations.

9. The Archdeacon of Middlesex shall be entitled to request the governing body to remove the ex-officio foundation governors referred to in 7 (a) and 8 (a) above and to appoint any substitute governor.

10. The school has a trust deed.

11. Ethos Statement.

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 parish and diocesan level.

The school aims to serve its community by providing an education of the highest quality within the context of Christian beliefs and practice whilst respecting other religions. It encourages an understanding of the mean and significance of faith, and promotes Christian values through the experience it offers to all its pupils.

12. The term of office of all governors is four years.

13. This instrument of government comes into effect on 26th November'14

14. This instrument was made by order of the London Borough of Richmond upon Thames Local Education Authority on 8th October'14.

15. A copy of the instrument must be supplied to every member of the governing body (and headteacher if not a governor), any trustees and to the London Diocesan Board for Schools.

Signed:

Duly Authorised Officer