## St Scholastica's Catholic Primary School Teaching and Learning Committee Terms of Reference

MEMBERSHIP: Head Teacher and at least four Governors.

QUORUM: Three

MEETINGS: Termly

REMIT: The Teaching & Learning Committee has been delegated by the Governing Body the responsibility to make decisions in respect of the following functions of the Governing Body. In completing these responsibilities it should seek guidance from the Diocese and Hackney Education when necessary.

# **Curriculum Tasks and Responsibilities**

- a) To approve the school's Curriculum Policy and to monitor implementation of changes to the school curriculum in line with national, Diocesan and local guidelines and requirements
- b) To receive information from the Headteacher and the staff about how the curriculum is taught, evaluated and resourced
- c) To agree the arrangements for educational visits and ensure that they are in line with current Health and Safety guidelines
- d) To agree any specific involvement by individual governors in curriculum areas
- e) To consider curricular issues which have implications for Finance and Personnel decisions and to make recommendations to the relevant Committees or the Governing Body
- f) To oversee arrangements for individual governors to take a leading role in specific areas of provision, e.g. R.E. SEND, Literacy, Numeracy. To receive regular reports from them and advise the Governing Body.

### Inclusion

- a) To ensure that the requirements of children with special needs are met through establishing and monitoring a Special Educational Needs & Disability policy and any arrangements for gifted and talented children
- b) To ensure the needs of looked after children are met through the agreement and review of the relevant policy
- c) To ensure that the school is fulfilling its responsibilities regarding Child Protection and current requirements on safeguarding
- d) To ensure that the school meets the statutory requirements relating to equality legislation (race, disability, gender etc. also link to Staffing)
- e) To monitor pupil attendance and set targets as necessary
- f) To monitor pupil discipline and behaviour
- g) To receive termly reports on pupil attendance
- h) To oversee arrangements for assessment, reporting and communicating with parent/carers
- i) To review the information and data about school performance and group targets

### **General (Standards & School policies)**

- a) To review and evaluate progress relating to the above targets using school assessment data and analysis, Fisher Family Trust, etc.
- b) To present an annual report to the Governing Body on national testing.
- c) To ensure the SEF (or alternative) is up-to-date and to develop sections relevant to this Committee.
- d) To annually review and update the School Prospectus.
- e) To contribute towards the School Improvement Plan.
- f) To agree policy, protocol and timetable for governor visits to the school
- g) To monitor, update and keep under review the following policies:
- Curriculum
- Behaviour Policy / Anti-Bullying Policy
- Collective Worship Policy
- School Mission/Vision Statement
- RE Policy

- RSE Policy
- Foundation Stage Policy
- Gifted and Talented Policy
- Governor Visits Policy
- Homework Policy
- Marking Policy
- Outdoor Education, Visits and Off-site Activities Policy
- Personal Social and Health Education Policy including citizenship
- Restraint & Physical Contact Policy
- Special Educational Needs & Disability Policy
- Policy for Teaching & Learning

By order of the Governing Body of St Scholastica's Catholic Primary School.

Agreed at the Governing Body Meeting on: 30" November 2022	
(Signed)	Date:
(Head teacher)	
(Signed)	Date:
(Chair of Governing Body)	
(Signed)	Date:
(Chair of Teaching & Learning Committee of Governing Body)	

Committee Members	Individual responsibilities
Roy Vidal	Chair
Althea Marshall	Vice Chair
Nick Blackham	
Sandra Brierley	
Christina Boey	

# St Scholastica's Catholic Primary School Governing Body: Teaching and Learning Committee School Year 2021-2022 Yearly Plan

Meetings		Policies
Autumn Term	Elect Chair Review terms of reference and yearly plan Reports from subject coordinators Update on curriculum & long-term plans Review of Assessment Review previous year's attainment and progress Review 2021/22 targets and results Targets for 2021	Positive behaviour Online Safety Policy SRE Collective Worship Reasonable Force
Spring Term	Review progress towards targets for 2021 Subject Re Review pupil progress Review assessment practices Look at curriculum developments	RE Handbook Sustainability IT Acceptable Use (Staff and Pupils) Positive Hdling SMSC Anti-Bullying
Summer Term	Review relevant policies Subject Reports Development Plan Report priorities to Resources Committee Committee performance evaluation	RWI/Phonics Computing Weblikning Music Obervation Uniform PE Educational Visits