

SOMERSET EDUCATION SERVICES

INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT

1. The name of the federation is The East Somerset Federation.
2. The names and categories of the schools in the federation are:-
 - a. Bruton Primary School – a foundation school.
 - b. Upton Noble Church of England VC Primary School – a voluntary controlled school.

3. The name of the governing body is:

The Governing Body of The East Somerset Federation

4. The governing body shall consist of:

- a. 2 Parent governors
- b. 1 Local Authority governor
- c. 1 Staff governor
- d. 1 Headteacher
- e. 6 Co-opted governors
- f. 2 Foundation governors
- g. 2 Partnership governors

5. Total number of governors: 15

6. The partnership governors shall be appointed by the governing body on a nomination from the Foundation for Bruton Primary.

7. The foundation governors shall be appointed as follows:

- a) 1 foundation governor appointed by the Bath and Wells Diocesan Board of Education on a nomination from Upton Noble Parochial Church Council.
- b) The holder of the following office shall be a foundation governor ex-officio:

Priest in Charge, Bruton and District Team Ministry

8. The Archdeacon of Wells shall be entitled to appoint a foundation governor to act in the place of the ex-officio foundation governors whose governorship derives from the office named in (6c) above, in the event that the 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 Wells is entitled to request the removal of the ex-officio foundation governor and to appoint any substitute governor.
10. Upton Noble Church of England VC Primary School has a Trust Deed.

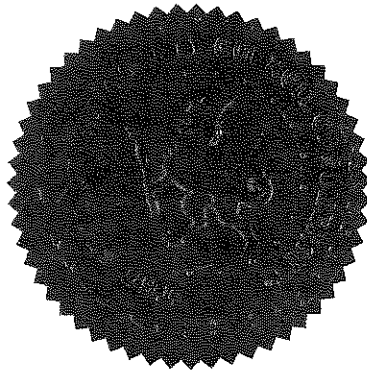
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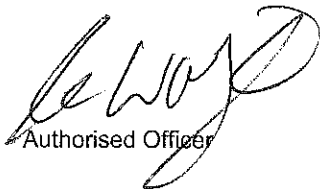
Recognising its historic foundation, Upton Noble Church of England VC Primary, will preserve and develop its religious character in accordance with the principles of the Church of England and in partnership with the Church at parish and diocese level.

The school aim to serve its local community by providing an education of the highest possible 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 their pupils.

12. The original instrument of government was made by order of Somerset Local Authority on 20 March 2013 and came into effect on 15 April 2013. Paragraphs 4 and 5 were varied by Somerset Local Authority on 12 September 2013 to come into effect from 1 September 2013.

The COMMON SEAL of the
SOMERSET COUNTY COUNCIL
was hereunto affixed in the
presence of:-




Authorised Officer

Number in Register 24772