

## HAMMERSMITH AND FULHAM SACRE MEETING

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2025

Venue: Online via Teams

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

### MINUTES

**For the meeting to be Quorate there must be at least 1 representative present from each of the groups listed below**

#### Attendees:

GROUP	PRESENT
<b>GROUP A</b> <b>Christian Faiths and Other Religious Denominations</b>	Naif Shaikh (NS)
	Vicky Harris (VH)
	Joanna Asia Grzybowska (JAB)
	Imran
	Bhupinder Singh (BS)
<b>GROUP B</b> <b>Church of England</b>	<b>Mark Newton (MN) – Chair y</b>
	Astrid Wilson (AW)
	Eleanor Allen (EA)
<b>GROUP C</b> <b>Teacher Association</b>	Nicky Bromley (NB)
	Fiona Battah (FB) Y
	Lalani Perera (LP)
<b>GROUP D</b> <b>Local Authority</b>	Chris Cosker (CC) Y
	Ian Nicholson (IN) Y
	Sharon Webber (SW) Y
	Cllr Mercy Umeh (MU)
<b>OTHER ATTENDEES</b>	Tracy Barrow - CLERK
<b>APOLOGIES</b>	Georgina Herry

ITEM NUMBER	AGENDA ITEM
1	<b>Welcome, Introduction and Apologies</b> The Chair welcomed all to the meeting.  Apologies received: Georgina Herry  Meeting started at 18:08 – meeting was not Quorate at that point – agreed to go ahead

2	<p><b>Agree Minutes to Meeting of last meeting – Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2024</b></p> <p>The SACRE Panel agreed with the minutes of the previous meeting, although the following was discussed.</p>
3	<p><b>Membership &amp; Recruitment including election of new Vice Chair 25/26</b></p> <p>Ian to send SACRE information re Vice Chairs</p>
4	<p><b>SACRE Report Update</b></p> <p>IN Provided an update regarding the report, and explained that confirmation was being received from DfE. All information required has been added as well as the Workforce Data – this explains how much time is given to RE within the Borough – School names were removed. Z's mean the school does not include RE within their teachings. Agreed syllabus recommends 5% curriculum time for RE. 1 school is teaching at nearly 8% curriculum time.</p> <p>Other than 2 schools there is a full GCSE RS course. Oracy in these schools are very high.</p> <p>Report is complete and can be circulated, and put on the website.</p> <p>MN – Do schools understand the amount of work that goes into these reports?</p> <p>IN – No but we can draft something.</p>
5	<p><b>Audit – What Teachers are Teaching</b></p> <p>Look at what teachers in H&amp;F are teaching. We spoke about a questionnaire, which I have put together.</p> <p>Form was discussed with SACRE members.</p>
5	<p><b>Local &amp; National Update</b></p> <p>Today the curriculum and assessment interim report. RE has a section, feeling is that RE is not being taught correctly and that there isn't any national content standards. This will be looked at.</p> <p>RE Council has put together an RE Standard to go forward for National Content Standard.</p> <p>This will mean a change in legislation. RE is compulsory for all pupils up to 18 but there is a lack of national standards which has lead to varying degrees in teaching – there needs to be a high content for all and a degree of flexibility within schools.</p>

	<p>Final report with recommendations will be published in the Autumn.</p> <p>Survey of primary schools and the teachers feel confident with the Abrahamic religions but not so much with the Dharmic faiths. 42% of primary coordinator have done the role for more than 4 years. New program for humanism to help teach non religious world views. Still grants available for up to £600 for Christianity teachings.</p> <p>There is a lot about belonging and inclusion and social change.</p>
<b>6</b>	<p><b>GCSE Data Information</b></p> <p>I will get this information to you</p>
<b>7</b>	<p><b>Developing Diversity Bid</b></p> <p>Westhill Bid – money/grant for promoting a project within your LA which promotes diversity or religions and is asking to be done in a creative way, H&amp;F is diverse and inclusive, so good opportunity to get involved. This will raise profile of SACRE – bid has been submitted.</p> <p>Get artists from different faiths to work with schools and they can then produce artwork with children which can be displayed in the borough. We will get the results in May at the Conference.</p> <p>This will require some SACRE members to go into school when the Artists are in the school.</p>
<b>8</b>	<p><b>NASACRE Conference</b></p> <p>19<sup>th</sup> May in Stratford, at the Town Hall.</p> <p>Sharon and Ian will be attending.</p>
<b>9</b>	<p><b>AOB</b></p> <p>No AOB</p>
<b>10</b>	<p><b>Date of Next Meeting</b></p> <p>3rd June 2025 at 6:00 p.m.</p>
<b>Meeting closed at 18:48</b>	

<b>Spring term</b>	<b>Summer term</b>
18 <sup>th</sup> March 2025	3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2025

Agenda Number	Action	Who to Action
4	Look at National Figures	Ian Nicholson
5	Send Google Form Link to SW & GH	Ian Nicholson
	Email schools the Google form	Tracy Barrow
	Check InspiREd course to see if it can be extended to LA	Mark Newton