



Notice of a public meeting of

SACRE (Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education)

To:

Group A

Such Christian denominations and other religious denominations as, in the opinion of the Authority, will approximately reflect the principal religious traditions in the area.

Karen Vincent (Faith/Catholic)

Penny Coppin-Siddall (Faith/ The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints)

Imam Amar (Faith/Muslim)

Ben Rich (Vice Chair) (Faith/Jewish)

Mark Jones (Faith/Buddhist)

Fleur Kennedy (Faith/Bahai'i)

Colin Lewisohn (Faith/Humanist)

Dee Boyle (Faith/Unitarian, Buddhist, Pagan)

Tony Lawton (Faith/Catholic)

Group B

A groups of persons representing The Church of England.

Sue Bland (CoE)

Joseph Everdell (CoE)

Group C

A group of persons to represent such associations representing teachers as, in the opinion of the authority, ought to be represented, having regard to the circumstances of the area.

Taco Michiels (Joseph Rowntree School)

Diane Norton (York St John University)

Group D

A group of persons representing the City of York Council. In this case of Elected Members appointment to this group should ensure political balance and state which political group they represent. As an alternative, the Council may appoint representatives such as a governors association.

Cllr Robert Webb (Chair) (City of York Council)

Cllr Emilie Knight (City of York Council)

Cllr Martin Rowley BEM (City of York Council)

Cllr Sarah Wilson (City of York Council)

LA Officer

Maxine Squire (Assistant Director Education and Skills,
City of York Council)

Date: Tuesday, 10 March 2026

Time: 6.00 pm

Venue: West Offices

AGENDA

- 1. Apologies for Absence and Declarations of Interest** (Pages 5 - 6)
To receive and note apologies for absence.

At this point in the meeting, Members are asked to declare any disclosable pecuniary interest or other registerable interest they might have in respect of business on this agenda, if they have not already done so in advance on the Register of Interests. The disclosure must include the nature of the interest.

An interest must also be disclosed in the meeting when it becomes apparent to the member during the meeting.

[Please see attached sheet for further guidance for Members]

- 2. Minutes and matters arising from the minutes** (Pages 7 - 12)
To approve and sign the minutes of the meetings held on 14 October 2025.
- 3. SACRE Annual Report** (Pages 13 - 20)
To approve the SACRE Annual Report.
- 4. Review of the Agreed Syllabus**
To discuss the Review of the Agreed Syllabus.
- 5. Update from Interfaith**
To receive an update from Interfaith.
- 6. Delivery of the SACRE Development Plan**
To review the SACRE development plan. The plan is shaped around the five key functions of SACREs contained in the NASACRE Self-Evaluation Toolkit.
- 7. SACRE Visit to Joseph Rowntree School,
Wednesday, 25 March 2026**
- 8. NASACRE News Issue 2** (Pages 21 - 32)
- 9. Correspondence on complaints/determinations**
A verbal update will be given on complaints received and the determinations in respect of those complaints.
- 10. Any Other Business**
- 11. Future Meeting Dates**
21 April 2026 at 6:00pm at West Offices

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এই তথ্য আপনার নিজের ভাষায় দেয়া যেতে পারে। (Bengali)

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