



The Governing body of the Federation of
St. Cuthbert's and St. Sebastian's
Catholic Primary Schools,
Field of Dreams Nursery and Extended School

Draft Instrument of Government 2022.04.11

1. The name of the governing body is "The Governing body of the Federation of St. Cuthbert's and St. Sebastian's Catholic Primary Schools, Field of Dreams Nursery and Extended School."

2. The names of the constituent parts of the federation are:

St. Cuthbert's Catholic Primary School and nursery

St. Sebastian's Catholic Primary School and nursery

Field of Dreams Nursery

Extended School.

3. The Schools were founded by and are part of the Catholic Church. The Schools are to be conducted as Catholic Schools in accordance with Canon Law and the teachings of the Catholic Church, and in accordance with the Trust Deed of the Archdiocese of Liverpool and in particular:

(a) religious education is to be in accordance with the teachings, doctrines, discipline and general and particular norms of the Catholic Church;

(b) religious worship is to be in accordance with the rites, practices, discipline and liturgical norms of the Catholic Church;

and at all times the schools are to serve as a witness to the Catholic faith in Our Lord Jesus Christ.

4. The Schools are voluntary aided schools in the trusteeship of the Archdiocese of Liverpool and are an exempt charity for the advancement of the Catholic religion in the Archdiocese in such ways being charitable as the Archbishop shall from time to time direct. The Field of Dreams Nursery and extended school have no element of faith but are under the same Governance arrangements.



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5. The governing body shall consist of 14 governors

- Foundation governors (8)
- Head Teacher from each school (2)
- LA governor (1)
- Staff governor (1)
- Parent governors (2)

6. The term of office for governors is four years.

7. Foundation governors shall be appointed and may be removed by the Archbishop of Liverpool (or any other person exercising Ordinary jurisdiction in his name including, where the See is vacant or impeded, the person or persons on whom the governance of the See has devolved). Other governors may be removed by the governing body or local authority for the LA governor.

8. The foundation body shall be entitled to appoint a governor to Chair meetings in the absence of Chair and Deputy.

9. This Instrument of Government comes into effect on **DD MMM YYYY**.

10. This Instrument of Government was approved by:

- Governors 22nd May 2022
- Archdiocese of Liverpool on **DD MMM YYYY**
- Liverpool City Council **DD MMM YYYY**.

11. A copy of this Instrument of Government must be supplied to every member of the governing body (and any Head Teacher if not a governor), and the Archdiocese of Liverpool.



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12. Where the instrument of government has been varied, the date on which the variation takes effect.

13. A copy of the consolidated instrument must be supplied free of charge to every member and associate member of the governor body (and the Head Teachers if not a governor), as well as, where relevant, the trustees of any foundation, the appropriate archdiocesan authority and appropriate religious body.

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