



Ethos Committee Terms of Reference

| Members of the Committee |
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| Mrs C Walker (Chair) |
| Miss S Hunter |
| Mr S Talbot-Hadley |
| Mrs J Surridge |
| Rev C Bladen |

Terms of reference:

- To support the school leadership in continued review and self-evaluation of the school's Christian character and vision.
- To evaluate the effectiveness of the school in implementing its vision and the impact of this.
- To monitor that the values of the school are embedded in the actions of all pupils, staff and all stakeholders
- To monitor the effectiveness of the school as a church school according to the key questions in the current SIAMS inspection documentation and to make recommendations for future developments.
- To receive reports on the effectiveness / quality of the teaching and learning in Religious Education and challenge appropriately.
- To actively encourage local church / school partnerships in order that each can further enrich the life of the other.
- To develop and maintain links with locally / nationally based Christian organisations and to be inclusive of all, regardless of faith, race or ability.
- To suggest initiatives for further developing the Christian ethos of the school and then monitor progress against these.
- To challenge the effectiveness of the school management in promoting the school as a church school.
- To review and agree policies relating to the Ethos committee as delegated by the Governing Body.
- To review and monitor the role of the Foundation Governors within the school.
 - *Additional items which individual Governing Bodies may wish to include*