

**St Mary's C of E Primary School  
Fowler Road, Islington, London N1 2EP**

**INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT**

- 1** The name of the school is **St Mary's Church of England Primary School**.
- 2** The school is a voluntary aided school.
- 3** The name of the governing body is **"The Governing Body of St Mary's Church of England Primary School"**.
- 4** The governing body shall consist of:
  - a** 2 parent governors;
  - b** 1 local authority governor;
  - c** 1 staff governor;
  - d** the headteacher;
  - e** 1 co-opted governor;
  - f** 8 foundation governors.
- 5** The total number of governors shall be **14**.
- 6** Seven foundation governors shall be appointed as follows:
  - a** The Islington Deanery Synod shall appoint **3** foundation governors;
  - b** The London Diocesan Board for Schools shall appoint **2** foundation governors;
  - c** The Parochial Church Council of St Mary's Church, Islington shall appoint **2** foundation governors.
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  - a** The vicar of St Mary's Church, Islington shall be a foundation governor ex-officio.
  - b** The Archdeacon of Hackney shall be entitled to appoint a foundation governor to act in the place of the ex-officio governor named in a) above, in the event that that ex-officio governor is unable or unwilling to act as a foundation governor, or has been removed under s21(1) of the Regulations.
- 8** The Archdeacon of Hackney shall be entitled to request the governing body to remove the ex-officio governor referred to in 7a above and to appoint a substitute governor.

- 9 School ethos**  
Recognising its historic foundation, the school 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 diocesan level and with other Church schools in the Islington deanery. The school aims to serve its community by providing an education of the highest quality within the context of Christian beliefs and practice. It encourages an understanding of the meaning and significance of faith, and promotes Christian values through the experience it offers to all its pupils.
- 10** This instrument of government comes into effect on 1 September, 2015.
- 11** This instrument of government was made by order of the London Borough of Islington on 30 July 2015.
- 12** A copy of this instrument must be supplied to every member of the governing body, and to the London Diocesan Board for Schools.

**THE COMMON SEAL OF  
THE COUNCIL OF THE  
LONDON BOROUGH OF  
ISLINGTON was hereunto affixed  
BY ORDER**

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