



## **Children and Young People's Service**

### **Agenda**

**Notice of a public meeting of**                      **North Yorkshire Standing  
Advisory Council on Religious  
Education (SACRE)**

**Date:**                      **Tuesday, 10 December 2024**

**Time:**                      **4.00 pm**

**Venue:**                      **Hybrid meeting held via Microsoft Teams, and in  
person at County Hall**

Members of the public are entitled to attend this meeting as observers for all those items taken in open session. Please contact the Democratic Services Officer, whose details are below, if you would like to find out more.

This meeting is being held as an in-person meeting. The meeting is also 'hybrid', which enables people to attend the meeting remotely using MS Teams. Please contact the Democratic Services Officer if you would like to find out more.

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### **Business**

**1. Welcome and Announcements**

**2. Apologies for Absence**

**3. Minutes of the Meeting held on Tuesday 10 September**                      **(Pages 5 - 8)**

Members to approve the minutes of the meeting held on 12 September 2024 as an accurate record.

**4. Declarations of Interest**

**5. Public Participation**

Members of the public may ask questions or make statements at this meeting if they have given notice to Edward Maxwell, Clerk to North Yorkshire SACRE (contact details below) by midday on Thursday 5 December, three working days before the day of the meeting. Each speaker should limit themselves to 3 minutes on any item. Members of the public who have given notice will be invited to speak:

- at this point in the meeting if their questions/statements relate to matters which are not otherwise on the Agenda (subject to an overall time limit of 30 minutes);
- when the relevant Agenda item is being considered if they wish to speak on a matter which is on the Agenda for this meeting.

If you are exercising your right to speak at this meeting, but do not wish to be recorded, please inform the Chair who will instruct anyone who may be taking a recording to cease while you speak.

**6. Member Presentation**

Members to hear a presentation from a member of the SACRE on an aspect of their work or faith, to increase awareness and understanding.

**7. SACRE Annual Report (Pages 9 - 24)**

Members to consider the 2023/24 Annual Report of the North Yorkshire SACRE.

**8. Update by the Professional Religious Education Adviser (Pages 25 - 32)**

The Professional RE Adviser to present a report updating members on work undertaken since the last SACRE meeting, and to provide local and national updates.

**9. Update by the Local Authority (Pages 33 - 38)**

The Principal Advisor (Monitoring) to present a report informing Members of work undertaken by the Local Authority since the last SACRE meeting.

**10. Work Programme (Pages 39 - 40)**

The Clerk to present the SACRE Work Programme and update members on future issues and agenda items.

**11. Any Other Items**

Any other items which the Chair agrees should be considered as a matter of urgency because of special circumstances

**12. Date of Next Meeting**

The next meeting of the SACRE will take place on Tuesday 1 April 2025, at 4:00pm. It will be a hybrid meeting, held in The Grand meeting room, County Hall, Northallerton, with the option of attending via Teams.

Barry Khan  
Assistant Chief Executive  
(Legal and Democratic Services)  
County Hall  
Northallerton

Monday, 2 December 2024

**MEMBERSHIP OF THE STANDING ADVISORY COUNCIL ON  
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

<b>Group A: Faith Groups</b>	
Professor John Adams	Humanist
Sarah Beveridge	Society of Friends
Hayden Cohen	Judaism
Tom Clayton	Methodist
Chris Devanny	Catholic
David Haddock	The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints
Abhijeet Kulkarni	Hindu
Nasr Moussa Emam	Muslim
Mohinder Singh Chana	Sikhism
<i>Vacancy</i>	Baptist
<i>Vacancy</i>	Salvationists
<i>Vacancy</i>	Buddhist
<b>Group B: Church of England</b>	
Claire Soderman	
Lee Talbot	
<i>Vacancy</i>	
<b>Group C: Teaching Associations</b>	
Tara Askew	
Jo Colledge	
Sarah Hodgson	
<i>Vacancy</i>	
<i>Vacancy</i>	
<b>Group D: Local Authority:</b>	
Councillor Alyson Baker	
Councillor Robert Heseltine	
Councillor George Jabbour	
Councillor Janet Jefferson	
Councillor Annabel Wilkinson	
<b>Co-opted Member: Academic Expertise in Religious Education</b>	
<i>Vacancy</i>	