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## **STANDING ADVISORY COUNCIL ON RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Monday 27 March 2017

1.30 pm

Warspite Room, Council House, Armada Way, Plymouth

Members are invited to attend the above meeting to consider the items of business overleaf.

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**Tracey Lee**  
Chief Executive

# Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education

## 1. Apologies

To receive apologies for non-attendance submitted by SACRE Members.

## 2. Declarations of Interest

Members will be asked to make any declarations of interest in respect of items on this agenda.

## 3. Minutes (Pages 1 - 8)

To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 14 November 2016.

## 4. Chair's Urgent Business

To receive reports on business which, in the opinion of the Chair, should be brought forward for urgent consideration.

## 5. Welcome to new Members

The Chair will welcome new members -

- Mirella Paganuzzi – Special Schools representative
- Dr David Lundie – Roman Catholic representative

## 6. Membership Issues

The RE Adviser will provide a membership update.

## 7. SACRE Annual Report

To agree the previously circulated (and amended) SACRE Annual Report 2015-16.

## 8. The Big NASACRE Survey

The RE Adviser will lead a brief discussion of the main points of this survey. Please view this survey online prior to the meeting at [www.nasacre.org.uk](http://www.nasacre.org.uk).

## 9. What is Religious Literacy and how well do Secondary School teachers know the 6 major world religions? What are the implications for SACREs and for the support and training of all teachers of Religious Education?

Alison Bradley served on Plymouth SACRE until recently when she took up an interfaith role in Liverpool. She will share her Master's degree research.

**10. Monitoring RE provision in Plymouth schools**

The RE Adviser will provide an update on the monitoring of RE provision in Plymouth schools.

**11. Holocaust Memorial Day**

The RE Adviser will provide feedback from Holocaust Memorial Day 2017 and discuss plans for future events.

**12. National and Local RE news and issues**

The RE Adviser, Katie Freeman and members will provide updates on the following –

- LTLRE project and the Plymouth RE Hub
- Assessment Working Group
- Collective Worship Working Group
- Teaching Judaism – feedback on recent sessions for teachers
- SACRE RE grants
- SW SACRE Conference – feedback
- NASACRE AGM – 16 May (York)

**13. Plymouth Centre for Faiths and Cultural Diversity**

The RE Adviser will provide members with an update on recent developments at the Centre.

**14. Date and venue of next meeting**

The date of the next meeting will be confirmed following approval of the calendar of Council meetings at the Full Council meeting on 20 March 2017.