



Instrument of Government

1. The name of the school is St Andrew's Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School.
2. The school is a Voluntary Aided school.
3. The name of the governing body is "The Governing Body of St Andrew's Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School.
4. The governing body shall consist of:
 - a. 2 parent governors
 - b. 2 staff governors (including the Headteacher) .
 - c. 1 local authority governor
 - d. 1 co-opted governor
 - e. 8 foundation governors
5. Total number of governors is 14.¹⁷
6. The Foundation that is entitled to appoint Foundation Governors is Salisbury Diocesan Board of Education in consultation with the Parochial Church Council of the Parish.
7. (a) the holder of the following office shall be a foundation governor ex officio:

The Principal Officiating Minister

(b) The Archdeacon of the Archdeaconry in which the school is situated shall be entitled to appoint a foundation governor to act in the place of the ex officio foundation governor whose governorship derives from the office named in (a) above, in the event that that ex officio foundation governor is unable or unwilling to act as a foundation governor, or has been removed from office under regulation 21 (1) of the Regulations.
8. The Archdeacon of the Archdeaconry in which the school is situated is entitled to request the removal of any ex officio foundation governor and to appoint any substitute governor.
9. St Andrew's has a Trust Deed.

10. Recognising its historic foundations, 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 levels.

The school aims to serve its community by providing an education of the highest quality within the context of Christian belief and practice.

It encourages an understanding of the meaning and significance of faith and promotes Christian values through the experiences it offers to all its pupils.

11. This instrument of government came into effect on 28th January 2015.

12. This instrument was made by order of Wiltshire Council on 13n March 2015-

13. A copy of the instrument will be supplied to every member of the governing body (and the headteacher if not a governor), any trustees and to the appropriate religious body.