



## INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT

1. The name of the Federation is The Federation of Minster and Monkton Church of England Primary Schools
2. The names and categories of the schools in the federation are:
  - School name: Minster Church of England Primary School
  - Category: Voluntary Controlled.
  - School name: Monkton Church of England Primary School
  - Category: Voluntary Controlled.
3. The name of the Governing Body is " The Federation of Minster and Monkton Church of England Primary Schools "
4. The Governing Body shall consist of:
  - 2 Parent Governors
  - 1 Local Authority Governor
  - 1 Staff Governor
  - 1 Headteacher
  - 3 Foundation
  - 7 Co-opted Governors
5. Total number of Governors 15
6. The following are the foundation bodies, and if applicable, persons entitled to appoint foundation governors:
  - Two Governors appointed by the Diocese in consultation with the Parochial Church Council in which the schools are situated.
7. (a) The holder of the following office shall be a foundation governor ex officio:
  - The Principal Officiating Minister of the Parish in which the school is situated
- (b) The Archdeacon of Canterbury 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 Canterbury is entitled to request the removal of any ex officio foundation governor and to appoint any substitute governor.
9. A trust deed exists.

10. 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.

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 comes into effect on 23 April 2019

12. This Instrument was made by order of Kent County Council as the Local Authority on 18 February 2019

13. A copy of the Instrument must be supplied to every member of the Governing Body (and the Headteacher if not a Governor), any trustees and to the appropriate religious body.

Signed: Chair of Governors .....  .....

Print name ..... VICTORIA SOLLY .....

Signed: Governor Services  
Manager, The Education  
People on behalf of Keith  
Abbott, Commissioning  
Director, Kent County  
Council .....  .....