

To: Members of the Standing Advisory
Council for Religious Education
(SACRE)

Date: 4 February 2016

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Dear Sir / Madam

You are invited to attend a meeting of the **STANDING ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (SACRE)** to be held at **10.00 am** on **FRIDAY, 12 FEBRUARY 2016** at **CONFERENCE ROOM 1A, COUNTY HALL, RUTHIN.**

Yours sincerely

G Williams
Head of Legal and Democratic Services

AGENDA

PART 1 - THE PRESS AND PUBLIC ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THIS PART OF THE MEETING

SILENT REFLECTION

1 APOLOGIES

2 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

Members to declare any personal or prejudicial interests in any business identified to be considered at this meeting.

3 URGENT MATTERS AS AGREED BY THE CHAIR

Notice of items which, in the opinion of the Chair, should be considered at the meeting as a matter of urgency pursuant to Section 100B(4) of the Local Government Act 1972.

4 MINUTES OF LAST MEETING (Pages 5 - 10)

To approve and sign as a correct record minutes of the previous meeting held on the 21st October, 2015.

5 ANALYSIS OF INSPECTION REPORTS (Pages 11 - 16)

To receive the analysis of recent Estyn Inspection Reports.

6 EXAMINATION RESULTS 2015 (Pages 17 - 28)

To consider a report analysing the examination results for 2015.

7 WASACRE QUESTIONNAIRE TO SCHOOLS (Pages 29 - 30)

To review the impact of the Welsh Baccalaureate on Religious Education.

8 CURRICULUM FOR LIFE (Pages 31 - 32)

An update on the development of a new Curriculum for Wales.

English: <http://gov.wales/docs/dcells/publications/151021-a-curriculum-for-wales-a-curriculum-for-life-en.pdf>

Welsh: <http://gov.wales/docs/dcells/publications/151021-a-curriculum-for-wales-a-curriculum-for-life-w.pdf>

9 UPDATE ON SACRE AND SCHOOL TO SCHOOL COLLABORATION
(Pages 33 - 34)

Promote teacher representation through the school to school collaboration.

10 WASACRE (Pages 35 - 42)

- (i) To receive the minutes of the last meeting of the Association at Ebbw Vale on the 25th November, 2015.
- (ii) To agree attendance to the next WASACRE on the 8th March, 2016 at Haverford West.
- (iii) FYI - Denbighshire SACRE to host the spring meeting of WASACRE on the 23rd June, 2016.

11 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Date of next meeting – 20th June, 2016.

MEMBERSHIP

Councillors Representing Denbighshire County Council

Bill Tasker
Dewi Owens
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Ann Davies

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Mr. Simon Cameron
Mr. Dominic Oakes
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