



Blessed Holy Family Catholic Academy Trust

Local Governing Body Constitution

1. The name of the academy is Blessed Holy Family Catholic Academy Trust
2. The academy is part of the Catholic Church and is to be conducted as a Catholic academy in accordance with Canon law and the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church and in accordance with the Trust Deed of the Diocese of Westminster and in particular:
 - a. Religious education is to be in accordance with the teachings, doctrines, disciplines and general and particular norms of the Catholic church;
 - b. Religious worship is to be in accordance with the rites, practices, discipline and liturgical norms of the Catholic church; and
 - c. At all times the academy is to serve as a witness to the Catholic faith in Our Lord Jesus Christ and live out our mission statement.
4. The academy is a member of Blessed Holy Family Catholic Academy Trust.
5. The Local Governing Body shall consist of a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 10 members of which there shall be majority foundation governors (maximum of 2 parents), 1 parent governor, 1 staff governor, 1 community governor, Headteacher governor and if required a maximum of 1 co-opted governor.
6. The Bishop and the RCDOW shall have the right to appoint Foundation Governors who shall be appointed in accordance with the Diocesan protocol.
7. The term of office of Foundation Governors is 4 years

To be reviewed on an annual basis