

DIOCESE OF PORTSMOUTH

INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT (VARIATION)

ST THOMAS MORE'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL, HAVANT

1. The name of the school is St Thomas More's Catholic Voluntary Aided Primary School, Havant.
2. The school was founded by and is part of the Catholic Church. The school is to be conducted as a Catholic School in accordance with the canon law and teachings of the Roman Catholic Church and in accordance with the Trust Deed of the Diocese of Portsmouth 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 at all times the school is to serve as a witness to the Catholic faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.
3. The school is a voluntary aided school.
4. The name of the governing body is "The Governing Body of St Thomas More's Catholic Voluntary Aided Primary School, Havant".
5. The governing body shall consist of:
 - (a) NINE foundation governors
 - (b) TWO parent governors
 - (c) ONE local authority governor
 - (d) ONE staff governor
 - (e) ONE Headteacher
 - (f) TWO co-opted governors
6. Total number of governors shall be SIXTEEN.
7. The Bishop of Portsmouth (or any person exercising the Ordinary jurisdiction on his behalf) shall have the right to appoint foundation governors.
8. This instrument of government comes into effect on 26 September 2013
9. This instrument was made by order of Hampshire Local Authority on 11 September 2013

10. A copy of this instrument must be supplied to every member of the governing body, the Trustees in accordance with the school's Trust Deed and to the Director of Education of the Diocese of Portsmouth.

Authorised by

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Carver". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'J' and 'C'.

Deputy Chief Executive and Director of Children's Services