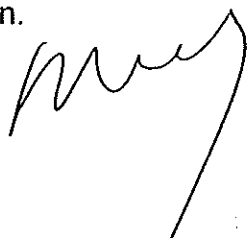


## INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT

1. The name of the Federation is Oakham Church of England Primary School and The Parks School.
2. Oakham Church of England Primary School is a voluntary controlled school.  
The Parks School is a Community Special School
3. The name of the governing body is "The governing body of Oakham Church of England Primary School and The Parks School"
4. The governing body shall consist of:
  - a) 7 parent governors, 2 The Parks and 5 OCEPs
  - b) 1 LA governor
  - c) 5 staff governors, 2 The Parks, 2 OCEPS and HT(ex-officio)
  - d) 3 foundation governors (Rector of Oakham ex-officio)
  - e) 6 Co-opted governors
5. Total number of governors is 20, with 2 Ex-officio governors.
6. Foundation governors are appointed by Peterborough Diocese Board of Education.
7. (a) The holder of the following office shall be a foundation governor ex-officio:  
Rector of Oakham.  
  
(b) The Archdeacon of Oakham shall appoint a foundation governor to act in the place of the ex-officio foundation governor whose governorship derives from office named (a) above, in the event that the ex-officio foundation governor is unable or unwilling to act as a foundation governor or there is a vacancy in the office by virtue of which the governorship exists.
8. Recognising its historic foundation, the school will preserve and develop its religious character in accordance with the principles of the Church of England, which includes respecting other faiths and in partnership with the church in the parish of Oakham and at diocesan level.

The school aims to serve the community of Oakham 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 experience it offers to all its pupils.

9. The term of office for governors is four years.
10. This instrument of Government comes into effect on 13<sup>th</sup> June 2013
11. This Instrument was made by order of Rutland County Council on 3/6/13
12. A copy of the Instrument must be supplied to every member of the governor body (and the headteacher if not a governor), any trustees and to Peterborough Diocese Board of Education.



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