

St Teresa of Calcutta Catholic Academy Trust Local Governing Board Constitution

- 1. The name of the academy is St Ethelbert's Roman Catholic Primary School, a Voluntary Academy, Bolton.
- 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 Salford 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.
- 3. The academy is a member of St Teresa of Calcutta Catholic Academy Trust.
- 4. The name of the Local Governing Board is St Ethelbert's Roman Catholic Voluntary Academy.
- 5. The Local Governing Board shall consist of ten members of which there shall be
 - ONE elected staff
 - ONE headteacher
 - TWO elected parents
 - FIVE foundation
 - Ex-officio parish priest of Christ the Redeemer

The Bishop of Salford or his Delegate shall be entitled to appoint a foundation governor to act in the place of the ex officio foundation governor, in the event that the 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.

- 6. The Bishop of Salford or his Delegate shall have the right to appoint Local Governing Board Foundation Governors who shall be appointed in accordance with Diocesan protocol.
- 7. The term of office of Foundation Governors is four years.
- 8. The constitution comes into effect on 1st November 2023.