

ELEANOR PALMER PRIMARY SCHOOL

Extract from the Minutes of the Full Governing Body Meeting 7 February 2024

5.3 SACRE -Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education

Lacey Cousins explained that SACRE oversees how collective worship takes place in schools. The school needs to re-apply to be a non-denominational school. As a diverse community the school is not tied to a particular faith. Children are taught about all religions and explore both their unique beliefs and traditions and their commonalities. The reapplication happens every 4 years and the school is visited by a representative of SACRE who will join an assembly and evidence teaching. It is a requirement that parents and governors are consulted and parents were invited to comment in the last school newsletter.

In consultation governors were in agreement for the school to reapply to SACRE with the Determination unchanged.