

St Anne's C.E. (C) Primary School
AGENDA of Meeting Christian Distinctiveness Working Party

Tuesday 18th April 2023 at 1:30pm

Setting Strategic Direction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ clarity of vision, values and ethos ▪ engaging stakeholders ▪ meeting statutory duties
Creating Robust Accountability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ accountability for teaching, achievement, behaviour and safety ▪ strengthening school leadership ▪ performance managing the Headteacher ▪ contributing to school self-evaluation
Ensuring Financial Probity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ solvency and effective financial management ▪ use of Pupil Premium Sports Premium and other resources to overcome barriers to learning

No.	Agenda	Notes/Actions
<u>1</u>	Present	Ed Hobson, Alex Wolvers, Aimee Rosson
<u>2</u>	Apologies	Alexa Turner, Andrew Hields, Rachel Barnett and Jo Woodward
<u>3</u>	Minutes of Previous Meeting	Were agreed by those present at the meeting
<u>4</u>	Matters Arising	<p>AR to continue to work with Worship Council on Prayer areas</p> <p>AR informed the group that Prayer areas were all now well established in the classrooms.</p> <p>Full Governing Body to address promoting governors work.</p> <p>Newsletter now reflected and focussed on a different governor fortnightly. This appeared to be working well.</p> <p>Ed to write to parents regarding parent voice</p> <p>Parent Voice results had been shared with parents and carers</p> <p>AT and Ed to look into how parents can be involved in worship.</p> <p><i>This is still outstanding and the group discussed how Celebration Worship could incorporate parent visits.</i></p> <p>Ed to update date website to ensure SIAMS compliance</p> <p>Completed</p> <p>AW to update Section 7 of the SEF</p> <p>Completed- to be shared with Full Governing Body</p> <p>Ed to explain theology behind vision to staff members</p> <p>This had been shared with Teachers and the next steps were to share it with all staff members.</p>
<u>5</u>	Worship	<p>Discussion regarding arrangements for Worship. It was explained that Worship took place as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Monday HT / SLT -Tuesday SLT / Connect 2 -Wednesday Picture News in class -Thursday Songs of Praise -Friday Celebration Worship

		<p>AW queried Picture News to ensure that this was taking place and whether it was monitored. AR and EH explained arrangements and it was felt that Picture News met SIAMS requirements.</p> <p>Thursday Songs of Praise was discussed and AW emphasised how it was important that it was not just a repletion of songs, but the meaning of the songs was shared. AW suggested that there are several Psalms that would fit Songs of Praise and she would share them.</p> <p>ACTION- AW to share Psalms with EH</p> <p>It was also discussed that different songs from other cultures could be incorporated.</p> <p>Friday celebration Worship was explained to AW. This was felt that this was more of an assembly and that worship needed to be incorporated. Several ideas were shared and it was felt that classes would add an additional worship into the day. This would be discussed at SLT and possibly use Roots and Fruits and / or meditation resources from LDBE website.</p> <p>ACTION- EH to structure Friday Worship to meet SIAMS requirements</p>
<u>6</u>	Health & Safety / Equality Issues	
<u>7</u>	Safeguarding	
<u>8</u>	Date of next meeting	TBA