



DIOCESAN BOARD OF EDUCATION

There will be a meeting of the Diocesan Board of Education at 1.30pm on Tuesday 2 December 2025 in the Boardroom at the St Nicholas Centre, 4 Cutler Street, Ipswich

AGENDA

ITEM NO.	SUBJECT DESCRIPTION AND PURPOSE	ACTION REQUIRED	EST. MINS
	WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS AND APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE		
	OPENING PRAYERS		
25.49	NOTES OF MEETING HELD ON 23 SEPTEMBER 2025	APPROVAL	5
25.50	MATTERS ARISING	NOTING	1
25.51	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	NOTING	1
25.52	DIOCESAN DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION'S REPORT - Jane Sheat (Paper A enclosed)	DISCUSSION	10
25.53	GOVERNANCE - Sue Todd (Paper B to follow)	DISCUSSION	20
25.54	ADMISSIONS - Sue Todd (Paper C to follow)	NOTING	10
25.55	SCHOOL EFFECTIVENESS REPORT - Phil Knowles (Paper D enclosed)	NOTING	20
25.56	DIOCESAN SCHOOLS' ADVISER REPORT - Rachel Cutts and Victoria Bush (Paper E enclosed)	DISCUSSION	10
25.57	SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT - Victoria Bush	DISCUSSION	20
25.58	SCHOOL CONDITION ALOCATIONS (SCA) 2025/26 - Daniel Jones (Paper F enclosed)	NOTING	10
25.59	LOCAL AUTHORITY UPDATE - Mark Bennett (Paper G enclosed)	NOTING	10
25.60	CONFIRMATION OF FOUNDATION GOVERNORS AND GOVERNOR VACANCIES (Paper H and appendix enclosed)	APPROVAL	5

25.61	FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS	NOTING	1
25.62	ANY OTHER BUSINESS	NOTING	1
25.63	DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS	APPROVAL	1

To note the following dates and times:

Wednesday 11 February 2026 at 1.30pm
Wednesday 6 May 2026 at 4pm
Tuesday 22 September 2026 at 4pm
Tuesday 24 November 2026 at 4pm