Report to:	SACRE	
Relevant Officer:	Jean Martin, School Improvement Advisor	
Date of Meeting:	7 March 2018	

# **NASACRE CONFERENCE 2018**

#### 1.0 Purpose of the report:

- 1.1 To consider the arrangements for the National Association of SACRE's Annual Conference.
- 2.0 Recommendation(s):
- 2.1 To note the date of the National Association of SACRE's Annual Conference.
- 2.2 To consider if the SACRE wishes to send a delegate to the NASACRE Conference
- 3.0 Reasons for recommendation(s):
- 3.1 To further progress the annual report of the SACRE.
- 3.2a Is the recommendation contrary to a plan or strategy adopted or approved by the Council?
- 3.2b Is the recommendation in accordance with the Council's approved Yes budget?

No

3.3 Other alternative options to be considered:

None

#### 4.0 Council Priority:

4.1 The relevant Council Priority is

"Communities: Creating stronger communities and increasing resilience"

## 5.0 Background Information

5.1 The SACRE is a member of the National Association of Standing Advisory Committees of Religious Education (NASACRE). The body organises an annual conference, this year the event is to be held on the 24 May 2018 at Merchant Taylors Hall, City of London

### 5.2 Theme: Stronger Together - Celebrating the power of Community

We are excited to announce that the 25th Annual General Meeting and Conference of NASACRE will be held **Thursday 24 May 2018** at **Merchant Taylors' Hall** in the City of London. The closest underground station is Bank and the closest railway stations are Cannon Street, Fenchurch Street and Liverpool Street.

Merchant Taylors' Company is one of the Great Twelve Livery Companies of the City of London; and today operates mainly as an educational charity. The Guild has been located at this site since 1327, though the Great Fire of London and the Blitz destroyed and damaged a great deal of the site. We look forward to welcoming you to this historic building to celebrate our 25th anniversary.

Full details of the Conference will be circulated nearer the time

- 5.3 Helen Sage attended the 2015 and 2016 NASACRE conference on behalf of the SACRE and will provide a brief verbal update on that conference for the SACRE to assist the decision making.
- 5.4 Does the information submitted include any exempt information? No
- 5.5 **List of Appendices:**

None

- 6.0 Legal considerations:
- 6.1 None
- 7.0 Human Resources considerations:
- 7.1 None
- 8.0 Equalities considerations:
- 8.1 None

9.0	Financial considerations:
9.1	None
10.0	Risk management considerations:
10.1	None
11.0	Ethical considerations:
11.1	None
12.0	Internal/ External Consultation undertaken:
12.1	None
13.0	Background papers:
13.1	None