

## NORTH YORKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

The School Governance (Federations) (England) Regulations 2012  
(as amended by The School Governance (Constitution and Federations) (England)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2016)

### INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT

1. The name of the federation is the **Foston and Terrington Church of England Federation**.

2. The names and categories of the schools in the federation are:

Name	Category
1. Foston Church of England Voluntary Controlled Primary School	Voluntary Controlled
2. Terrington Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School	Voluntary Aided

3. The name of the governing body is: **"Foston and Terrington Church of England Federation"**.

4. The governing body shall consist of the following:

Category of governor	No. of governors in each category	Name of school (For foundation governors)	No. of governors for each school
Parent governors	Two		
Headteacher	One		
Staff governor	One		
Local Authority governor	One		
Foundation governors	Eight	Foston Church of England Voluntary Controlled Primary School	Four
		Terrington Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School	Four

5. Total number of governors: Thirteen (13).

6. Foundation governors are appointed by the York Diocesan Board of Education after consultation with the Parochial Church Councils of the Parishes in which the schools are situated.

7. (a) The holders of the following offices shall be foundation governors ex-officio:  
The Principal Officiating Ministers of the Parishes in which the schools are situated.

(b) The Archdeacon of York shall be entitled to appoint a foundation governor to act in the place of the ex-officio foundation governor whose governorship derives from the office named in (a) above, in the event that that ex-officio foundation governor is unable or unwilling to act as a foundation governor, or there is a vacancy in the office by virtue of which his or her governorship exists.

8. The Archdeacon of York is entitled to request the removal of any ex-officio foundation governor and to appoint a substitute governor.

9. There is a record of a Trust Deed for Foston Church of England Voluntary Controlled Primary School, dated 28 March 1844.

10. The ethos of both schools is as follows:

"Recognising their historic foundation, the schools will preserve and develop their religious character in accordance with the principles of the Church of England and in partnership with the Church at parish and Diocesan level.

The schools aim to serve their communities by providing an education of the highest quality within the context of Christian belief and practice. They encourage an understanding of the meaning and significance of faith, and promote Christian values through the experience they offer to all pupils."

11. This instrument comes into effect on 2 February 2017.

12. This instrument was made by order of North Yorkshire Local Authority on 31 January 2017.

13. A copy of the instrument must be supplied to every member of the governing body (and the Headteacher if not a governor), any trustees and to the appropriate religious body.

THE COMMON SEAL OF NORTH  
YORKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL  
was hereunto affixed this 31<sup>st</sup> day of  
January 2017 in the presence of:-

*Cubrian Cable*  
**AUTHORISED  
SIGNATORY**

