

INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT

1. The name of the school is **Down Ampney Church of England Primary School**
2. The school is a voluntary controlled school
3. The name of the governing body is “**The governing body of Down Ampney Church of England Primary School**”
4. The governing body shall consist of:
 - 4 parent governors
 - 1 LA governor
 - 1 staff governor
 - 1 headteacher
 - 2 foundation governors
 - 2 co-opted governors
5. Total number of governors **11**
6. Foundation governors shall be appointed by Gloucester Diocesan Board of Education after consultation with the Down Ampney Parochial Church Council.
7.
 - (a) the holder of the following office shall be a foundation governor ex officio:

The principal officiating minister of the ecclesiastical parish of Down Ampney.
 - (b) The Archdeacon of the Archdeaconry in which the school is situated shall, on behalf of Gloucester Diocesan Board of Education, be entitled to appoint a foundation governor to act in the place of an 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 the governorship exists, or has been removed from office under regulation 21(1) of the Regulations.
8. The Archdeacon of the Archdeaconry in which the school is situated shall, on behalf of Gloucester Diocesan Board of Education, be entitled to request the

removal of any ex officio foundation governor and to appoint any substitute governor.

9. A Trust exists which relates to the school, the Trustees being Vicar and Churchwardens.
10. Down Ampney Church of England Primary School has a Christian foundation which it seeks to promote by providing high quality education and pastoral care for all its pupils. Its ethos is underpinned by Christian values, which by experience and example provide a basis for life-long learning.
11. This instrument of government comes into effect on 31st August 2015.
12. This instrument was made by order of Gloucestershire County Council

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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 THE
GLOUCESTERSHIRE COUNTY
COUNCIL was hereto affixed
in the presence of:-

NOTE: Sealed/Enacted copy held in headteacher's office. This is just an online copy.