

## **INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT : VOLUNTARY AIDED SCHOOLS**

1. The name of the school is **Wilby Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary**
2. The school is a Voluntary Aided School
3. The name of the governing body is **"The governing body of Wilby Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School"**
4. The governing body shall consist of:
  - a) **1** Head Teacher
  - b) **2** parent governors (to be elected)
  - c) **1** LA governor
  - d) **1** staff governor (to be elected)
  - e) **7** foundation governors
5. Total number of governors is **12**
6. Foundation governors are appointed by Peterborough Diocese Board of Education, and one of these shall be the Minister for the Benefice of Great Doddington, Wilby and Ecton, should she or he be willing to serve.
7. As the school has a religious character, the ethos of the school is described in the following way:

Recognising its historic foundations, traditions and expectation, Wilby CEVA Primary School will preserve and develop its religious character in accordance with the principles of the Church of England ( whilst respecting other faiths represented in school ) and in partnership with the Church at parish and diocesan level.

*"Together we are inspired to learn within the family of God's love."*

The staff and governors of Wilby CE VA Primary School believe that every child and adult should be encouraged to reach their full potential within a Christian atmosphere.
8. This instrument of Government comes into effect on **1 September 2015**
9. This instrument was made by order of Northamptonshire Local Authority on **8 April 2015**



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- NB. 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 Peterborough Diocese Board of Education