

WALSALL COUNCIL

*STANDING ADVISORY COUNCIL ON
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION*

MONDAY, 18 JULY 2011

FUNDING FOR FAITH TOUR GUIDING COURSE

1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1 The purpose of the report is to inform SACRE of the present position in relation to funding for the work of SACRE.

2. Recommendation

- 2.1 That the contents of the report be noted and the information contained therein be used as the basis of an application to the West Hill Project for 2012. (See Appendix 1).

3. Background

- 3.1 At the Sub-Group meeting held on 14 February, 2011, SACRE agreed that the project on Youth and Faiths in Walsall be submitted to the West Hill Project with a view to attracting funding for 2011. Unfortunately, the application to West Hill Project had not been submitted but consideration could be given to submitting the application for 2012. If successful, this would fund the course and assessment for training Faith Guides who would be skilled in taking parties of people, including school children, to tour religious premises, provide information on their own faith, have an understanding of other faiths and respond to questions (See Appendix 1).

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