

## **DIOCESE OF SALFORD / SALESIANS OF DON BOSCO**

### **INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT**

#### **THORNLEIGH SCHOOL**

1. The name of the school is Thornleigh Salesian College, Bolton.
2. The school was founded by and is part of the Catholic Church. The school is to be conducted as a Catholic School in accordance with the canon law and teachings of the Roman Catholic Church, and in accordance with the Trust Deed of the Salesians of Don Bosco and in particular:
  - a) religious education is to be in accordance with the teachings, doctrines, discipline and general particular norms of the Catholic Church;
  - b) religious worship is to be in accordance with the rites, practices, discipline and liturgical norms of the Catholic Church;and at all times the school is to serve as a witness to the Catholic faith in Our Lord Jesus Christ.
3. The school is a voluntary aided school.
4. The name of the governing body is "The Governing Body of Thornleigh Salesian College, Bolton".
5. The governing body shall consist of:
  - (a) 3 Parent Governors;
  - (b) 1 Local Authority Governor;
  - (c) 1 Staff Governor;
  - (d) 1 Head teacher;
  - (e) 10 Foundation Governors;
  - (f) 1 Co-opted Governor.
6. Total number of Governors: 17
7. Foundation governors shall be appointed and may be removed by the Provincial of the British Province of the Salesians of Don Bosco (or any other person exercising Ordinary jurisdiction on his behalf).
8. This instrument of government comes into effect on 1 September 2015.
9. This instrument was made by order of Bolton Council on \_\_\_\_\_ 2015.
10. A copy of the instrument must be supplied to every member of the governing body (and the head teacher if not a governor), any trustees and to the appropriate religious body.

11. The Instrument of Government for Thornleigh Salesian College made on 24 March 2004 is revoked with effect from 31 August 2015.

THE SIGNATURE OF THE PROVINCIAL OF THE BRITISH PROVINCE OF THE  
SALESIANS OF DON BOSCO

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Salesian Provincial

THE COMMON SEAL OF THE  
BOROUGH COUNCIL OF BOLTON

was hereunto affixed by:

Authorised Sealing Officer