NOMINATION TO THE DIOCESAN BOARD OF EDUCATION - DIOCESE OF GUILDFORD

**SUPPORTING FORM - SECONDER**

**The seconder is asked to complete all sections of this form. Failure to receive supporting forms from an eligible proposer and seconder will deem the nomination invalid.**

**This form is to be returned by the seconder to the Presiding Officer to** [**synod@cofeguildford.org.uk**](mailto:synod@cofeguildford.org.uk) **so as to arrive not later than 12 noon on Monday 24th February 2025.**

**Particulars of Candidate**

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| **Title or form of address** |  |

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| **Full Name of Candidate** |  |

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| **Full address including postcode** |  |

**Particulars of Seconder**

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| **Title & Full Name of Seconder** |  |

I, the undersigned, being an eligible seconder in the Diocese of Guildford nominate the above candidate as a person qualified to serve as a member of the Diocesan Board of Education

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| **Signature of Seconder** |  |
| **Date** |  |

See notes overleaf

Notes:

1. This form must be sent by the candidate to the Presiding Officer to [synod@cofeguildford.org.uk](mailto:synod@cofeguildford.org.uk) no later than 12 noon on Monday 24th February 2025.
2. Candidates may only be proposed and seconded by members of a deanery synod, diocesan synod, Bishop’s Council or eligible members of the Diocesan Board of Finance (DBF) staff.
3. Elected membership of the Diocesan Board of Education (DBE) will be according to the following categories and allocations:

* at least one member who is an elected member of Bishop’s Council;
* at least two school leaders from schools or academy trusts within the Diocese and who may be lay members or Clerks in Holy Orders;
* at least two additional lay members, and
* at least two Clerks in Holy Orders, beneficed or licensed in the Diocese.

1. Candidates need not be members of Diocesan Synod, but must either worship in, work in or live in the Diocese.
2. A person is not eligible to stand for election if an officer or employee of the Diocesan Board of Finance.
3. The qualified electors for this election are the members of the Diocesan Synod.

Further information on skills, expertise and experience required can be found on the [diocesan website](https://www.cofeguildford.org.uk/diocesan-board-of-education-dbe-elections/diocesan-board-of-education-dbe-elections.php).