

## Dear Colleagues

Recently, I was looking on a website and came across some beautiful wooden Christmas tree decorations with the different names of Jesus inscribed on them.

They reminded me of Isaiah's prophecy in which he describes the child that is coming.

"For a child will be born to us, a son will be given to us;  
And the government will rest on His shoulders;  
And His name will be called Wonderful Counsellor, Mighty God,  
Eternal Father, Prince of Peace" ([Isaiah 9:6](#)).



On deeper exploration of the Hebrew, the word 'Wonderful' means something extraordinary and hard to understand. Perhaps this is why we have so many words for Jesus. Both before and after his birth, there is not one single word that sums up all that he is to Christians.

In the Bible we hear how he is a Prince of Peace, a Servant King, a Saviour and Rabboni (my teacher) to name but a few. Each of these names portrays a different facet of his character.

As we enter this Advent time of waiting, you might like to reflect on whether any of the names of Jesus are meaningful to you. Perhaps there are some that resonate with you at different times in your life. Perhaps there is one that you will keep in mind as we approach Christmas?



From June Richardson, School Effectiveness Adviser

## National SIAMS Update 2023

### Please see attached flyer regarding training for the new SIAMS framework

Following the national SIAMS update webinar on 3rd November, there are five key documents for reference, and for circulation to schools. All are now publicly available and can be found on the [SIAMS website](#) along with the [link](#) to the recording of the webinar.

1. **SIAMS Framework.** This will be implemented from September 2023, replacing the current Evaluation Schedule.
2. **Transitional Guidance for Schools.** This is an advisory document that offers additional help for schools. It briefly explains some of the rationale that underpins the new Framework and is designed to help schools and trusts over the coming year.
3. **Ongoing self-evaluation template.** This is referred to in the Transitional Guidance. Its use is not mandatory
4. **Summary self-evaluation template.** This is referred to in the Transitional Guidance. Its use is not mandatory
5. **National Update slides.** This is a pdf of the slides used at the national update sessions.

All documents mentioned above are available on the Church of England website, and on the LDBE website: <https://www.lincolndioCESaneducation.com/siams>

## Forthcoming Courses for Autumn term 2022

06/12/2022 5:30pm– 7:00pm Clerk to Governors Briefing

Online via Zoom — Free to attend

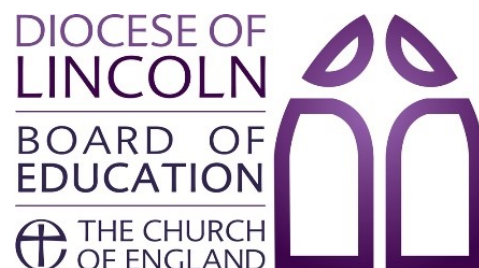
This free meeting will be an opportunity to hear Diocesan updates relevant to your role, meet members of the diocesan team and other clerks

09/12/2022 10:00am -12:00noon IDSR

In person training at Diocesan offices

This training will give you opportunity and support to review, explore, understand and summarise all of the data and information within IDSR and ASP.

For more information about our training events, and to book, please see our website: <https://www.lincolndioCESaneducation.com/professional-development-by-subject>



### Leaders like us

Please find attached an article from the TES about the recently launched 'Leaders like us' programme.

This is a multi-faceted programme for teachers and leaders in all English schools, not just Church of England schools. It aims to support senior leaders from UKME (UK minority ethnic) and GMH (global majority heritage) backgrounds to progress to headship.

Further information can be found on the CEFEL website [here](#).

Please highlight these opportunities to your staff team.

### Diversity, Equity and Inclusion section of the LDBE website

This area of our website has been updated with useful resources and links.

Further materials will be added in the coming months.

<https://www.lincolndioCESaneducation.com/dei>

### Cost of Living

We know things are hard for many families and staff with the current cost of living.

We have started to draw together places of information and support on our website, in geographical areas to help you find support easily. This is in no way complete, as there will be much more out there that we are not aware of.

If you are aware of any areas of support that are not school specific and would be beneficial to share please email Lynsey Norris : [lynsey.norris@lincoln.anglican.org](mailto:lynsey.norris@lincoln.anglican.org)

<https://www.lincolndioCESaneducation.com/costofliving>



## ALL ONE—RADICALLY INCLUSIVE

[See our website to book your place on our Spring Term conference](https://www.lincolndiocesaneducation.com/calendar/?calid=1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10&pid=9&viewid=1&event=301)

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### OUR KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



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Headteacher, Senior Leader, Chair of Governor & Clergy Conference

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**29  
March,  
2023  
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10am**

The Showroom,  
Tritton Rd, Lincoln,  
LN6 7QY

10am-3:30pm  
£180 school staff (non SLA £285)  
£140 Governors (non SLA £220)  
£75 Clergy

