

Promoting the Exploration of Religion and Worldviews in Schools -

Exploring stakeholders' views through focus groups

(Faith and Belief Forum in partnership with Culham St Gabriel Trust, Inform and the Open University)

The project:

Religion and Worldviews education is a recommendation that emerged out of the Commission for RE in 2018 (<u>https://www.commissiononre.org.uk</u>). The project involves targeted focus groups consisting of stakeholders outside the classroom (i.e. not teachers or pupils) who will explore the opportunities, barriers and challenges associated with implementing Religion and Worldviews education.

Why get involved?

This is an exciting opportunity for participants to have a say in the future of education in England. It is an opportunity to engage in young people's education and contribute to pupils' learning in the classroom, specifically in the realm of the religious education classroom. Your views will be taken into account and make a valuable part of this consultation process.

What are we asking?

We are seeking to carry out focus groups with stakeholders. We are contacting you to ask whether you or those you know would be interested attending or promoting a focus group. We are looking for your support to contact and involve these participants in the focus groups.

For 17th November, we are calling for participants who are headteachers, Multi Academy Trust leadership, school leadership and governors.

For 24th November, we are calling for participants who are policy makers in areas of education and religious education. We are also calling for academics in areas of education, religion and RE.

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