



Deanery Mentor

Initial Statement of Interest and Suitability

We are delighted that you are considering to become one of the sixty deanery mentors which form a key part of *Some Definite Service*. If you have not done so already, please read the guide to *The Role of a Deanery Mentor* which can be found on our agency website; <https://aec.rcaos.org.uk/sds-mentor>.

Applications for candidature are to be submitted by filling in the online form and then uploading this completed document (*initial statement of interest and suitability*) via the *upload your documents* button on the same [page](#).

When saving this document, it would be helpful if you could write your name in the title.

Thank you, we look forward to reading your application.

The AEC team

Full Name

Specific Area in which you wish to serve

Evangelisation

Catechesis

Formation

- 1) Please write how you feel you can support the mission of the Archdiocese as a Deanery Mentor

2) Please describe your background and experience in terms of the Specific Area in which you wish to serve as Deanery Mentor

3) We are searching for Deanery Mentors who are Faithful, Available, Contagious and Teachable (see notes on p.3). Please share how you have shown these qualities in the past and can do so in the future

Date of form completion

Notes for question three

Faithful – a practicing Catholic who strives to live according to the Truth that the Church teaches and has a deep and abiding love for our Lord Jesus Christ

Available – someone who will be able to support their Parish Leads well

Contagious – has an enthusiasm for the Gospel and an openness to the great work of the Holy Spirit; strong at building relationships

Teachable – happy to grow alongside others and be willing to learn. The Agency will provide training and a willingness to engage with this is essential.