The Governing Board of Ashton Vale Primary School - Membership

Full Name	Governor Type/Title	Category	Term From	Term To	Committees	Roles & Responsibilities	Attendance Over Last Academic Year 15/16
Vivien Champeney	Headteacher	Virtue of Office	N/A	N/A	Buildings, Health, Safety & Welfare Finance Resources & Staffing Curriculum, Development & Standards		6/6
Julie Wigginton	Staff	Elected	16 Oct 2013	15 Oct 2017	Curriculum, Development & Standards		5/6
Richard Higgs	Parent	Elected	11 Oct 2013	10 Oct 2017		Child Protection (Safeguarding) SEN Governor (Special Needs) SEND The Arts (Art, Drama, Music) Pupil Premium	6/6
Suzanne Hayes	Parent	Elected	8 April 2017	7 April 2021	Curriculum, Development & Standards (Vice Chair)	Literacy	5/6
Brenda Wright	Authority	Nominated by LA/Appointed by GB	13 Dec 2013	12 Dec 2017	Curriculum, Development & Standards Buildings, Health, Safety & Welfare	The Arts (Art, Drama, Music)	4/6
Yvonne Bushell (Vice Chair)	Foundation/Trust	Appointed	24 Sep 2013	23 Sep 2017	Buildings, Health, Safety & Welfare (Chair) Curriculum, Development & Standards	Health & Safety Gifted & Talented Children Science Training Mentor (New Governors) Association of Governors Attendance	6/6
Sara Sainsbury	Foundation/Trust	Appointed	08 Nov 2016	07 Nov 2020	Finance Resources & Staffing		N/A
Jenny Smith (Chair)	Co-Opted	Appointed	23 Mar 2015	22 Mar 2019	Finance Resources & Staffing Curriculum, Development & Standards (Chair)	Child Protection (Safeguarding) SEN (Special Needs) SEND LAC (Looked after children)/Children in Care Pupil Premium Assessment Coordinator The Arts (Art, Drama, Music) Early Years	6/6
Jenny Staples	Co-Opted	Appointed	23 Mar 2015	22 Mar 2019	Finance Resources & Staffing (Vice Chair)	Computing	6/6
Nicola Carpenter	Co-Opted	Appointed	23 Mar 2015	22 Mar 2019	Buildings, Health, Safety & Welfare Finance Resources & Staffing Clerk - Curriculum, Development & Standards		6/6
Tracey Vincent	Co-Opted	Appointed	23 Mar 2015	22 Mar 2019	Finance Resources & Staffing (Chair)	Computing PE Association of Governors PE/Sport Premium	4/6

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James Williams	Co-Opted	Appointed	23 Mar 2015	22 Mar 2019	Curriculum, Development & Standards Buildings, Health, Safety & Welfare - (Vice Chair)	Humanities Science	5/6
Louisa Baxter	Co-Opted	Appointed	23 Mar 2015	22 Mar 2019			6/6
Samantha Bird	Co-Opted	Appointed	27 Sep 2016	26 Sep 2020	Curriculum, Development & Standards Buildings, Health, Safety & Welfare	Early Years	N/A
Nancy Horlick	Co-Opted	Appointed	27 Sep 2016	26 Sep 2020	Curriculum, Development & Standards		N/A
Kathy Clarke	Co-Opted	Appointed	11 Oct 2016	10 Oct 2020	Finance Resources & Staffing	Numeracy	N/A
Lucy Green	Associate Member	Appointed	29 Nov 2016	28 Nov 2020		School Council	N/A
Sharon Bennett	Clerk to Governors	Appointed			Clerk – Full Governing Board and Finance Resources & Staffing Committee	N/A	6/6
Members of the	Governing Board w	ho left in the last	year:				
Kate Brewer	Foundation/Trust	Appointed			Date left: 01 June 2016		
Brian Jones	Co-Opted	Appointed			Date left: 12 July 2016		
Linda Hunt	Co-Opted	Appointed			Date left: 12 July 2016		

There are six Full Governing Board meetings per Academic Year.

Attendance: Whilst Governors make every effort to attend meetings throughout the year, from time to time, apologies for non-attendance at meetings are received and are generally due to unforeseen circumstances, such as sickness or family/work commitments. Apologies are always accepted by the Governing Board/Committee and an explanation recorded in the minutes. To ensure all Governors are kept up to date, regular communication and collaboration is made through the circulation of minutes of meetings, emails and, where necessary, verbal updates from colleagues.

Minutes of meetings are available on request from the School Office, with the exception of matters recorded that are of confidential nature tel: 0117 9030383.

In accordance with our Instrument of Government that came into effect on 23 March 2015. The School is a foundation school which has a foundation, but is not a qualifying foundation.

The Governing Board consists of:

- a) 2 Parent Governors
- b) 1 LA Governor
- c) 2 Staff Governors (including the Headteacher)
- d) 9 Co-opted Governors
- e) 2 Foundation Governors

Total number of Governors: 16

The trust related to this school is South West Bristol Cooperative Learning Trust (Company no. 7196462)

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