

The Sue Hedley Nursery School - Governing Body Membership and Vacancies

Appointments	Туре	Start Date	End Date
Mrs Katherine Bruce	Co-opted	29/06/2022	28/06/2026
Mrs Sue Hedley	Co-opted	24/06/2021	23/06/2025
Ms Linda McGow	Co-opted	27/06/2022	26/06/2026
Mrs Jenny Parker	Co-opted	27/06/2022	26/06/2026
Ms Lindsay Strong	Co-opted	06/12/2021	05/12/2025
Mrs Ashley Honey	Headteacher	01/01/2023	
Mr James Trainer	Local Authority	30/06/2022	29/06/2026
Ms Gillian Carr	Parent	06/12/2022	05/12/2024
Mrs Victoria Meah	Staff	31/03/2023	30/03/2027
Ms Amy Hines	Associate Member	26/06/2023	25/06/2027

Position	Туре
Mrs Sue Hedley	Chair
Ms Amy Hines	School Business Manager
Mrs Jenny Parker	Vice-Chair

Establishment	Required	Appointees	Vacanicies
Co-opted	6	5	1
Headteacher	1	1	0
Local Authority	1	1	0
Parent	2	1	1
Staff	1	1	0
TOTAL	11	9	2

Previous Appointments	Туре	Start Date	End Date
Mr Alan Tricoglus	Co-opted	23/09/2021	26/06/2023
Ms Christina Guthrie	Staff	17/01/2021	16/01/2023
Ms Judith Reay	Headteacher	01/01/2013	31/12/2022

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Governing body regulations (maintained schools)

- Governors are appointed/elected as follows:
 - Co-opted appointed by the governing body
 - o Foundation appointed by the Diocese (or the PCC if appropriate there may also be provision in the Instrument of Government for the parish priest to be ex-officio)
 - o Headteacher ex-officio
 - o Local Authority appointed by the governing body, following approval of the 'nomination' by the LA
 - Parent/Staff elected by parents/staff respectively
- Governing bodies must have at least seven governors, including the Headteacher; one and only one Local
 Authority governor; one and only one Staff governor; at least two Parent governors; and for Voluntary Aided
 schools, there must be exactly two more Foundation governors than all other categories combined.
- The total number of Co-opted governors who are also eligible to be elected as Staff governors, when counted with the Staff governor and the Headteacher, must not exceed one third of the total membership of the governing body.
- The term of office for any governor shall be four years (unless otherwise stated in the Instrument of Government), save that this time limit shall not apply to any post which is held ex officio. Associate Members can be appointed for between one and four years. Parent governors may serve out their term of office when their child leaves the school, but Staff governors must resign when they leave the school.
- Associate Members and governors who are members of staff cannot be Chair or Vice-Chair. Associate
 Members also do not count towards a quorum and do not have voting rights for governing body meetings
 (but can be appointed with voting rights on committees).
- The governing body must hold at least three meetings in every school year, and the quorum for a meeting of the governing body and for any vote on any matter at such a meeting, is one half (rounded up to a whole number) of the membership of the governing body, i.e. the number of governors in post at the date of the meeting.
- Every question to be decided at a meeting of the governing body is to be determined by a majority of the votes of the governors present and voting on the question, and where there is an equal division of votes the Chair, or as the case may be, the person who is acting as Chair for the purposes of the meeting (provided that such person is a governor), will have a second or casting vote (the governing body may approve alternative arrangements for governors to participate or vote at meetings of the governing body including but not limited to by telephone or video conference).

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