

## **The House Federation**

Appoinments	Туре		Start Date		End [	Date
Ms Diane Blanckley	Co-opted		05/01/2022		04/01/	2024
Mr Philip Cox	Co-opted		05/01/2022		04/01/	2024
Mrs Angela Graham-Evans	Co-opted		05/01/2022		04/01/	2024
Mrs Sarah Lloyd	Co-opted		16/03/2022		15/03/	2024
Mrs Laura Robson	Co-opted		05/01/2022		04/01/	2024
Mrs Nora Waugh	Co-opted		05/01/2022		04/01/	2024
Ms Lindsay Guthrie	Headteacher		01/01/2022			
Mrs Julie Heron	Headteacher		01/01/2022			
Mrs Ailsa Higgins	Headteacher		01/01/2022			
Cllr Paul Donaghy	Local Authority		16/03/2022		15/03/	2024
Ms Melyssa Avey	Parent		05/01/2022		04/01/	2024
Mrs Rachael Storey	Parent		01/01/2022		31/12/	2023
Ms Nicole McGrath-Wood	Staff		01/01/2022		31/12/	2023
Ms Catherine Barnett	Associate Member		05/01/2022		04/01/	2024
Mr Craig Crosby	Associate Member		05/01/2022		04/01/2024	
Mrs Margaret Kirkland	Associate Member		05/01/2022		04/01/2024	
Mrs Sarah Richards	Associate Member		05/01/2022		04/01/2024	
Positions			Туре			
Mrs Angela Graham-Evans			Chair			
Mrs Nora Waugh			Vice Chair			
Establishment		Required		Appointees		Vacancies
Co-opted		6		6		0

Establishment	Required	Appointees	Vacancies
Co-opted	6	6	0
Headteacher	3	3	0
Local Authority	1	1	0
Parent	2	2	0
Staff	1	1	0
Totals	13	13	0



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### Governing body regulations (maintained schools)

- Governors are appointed/elected as follows:
  - Co-opted appointed by the governing body
  - 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).