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Lingey House Primary School - Governing Body Membership and Vacancies

Appointments	Туре	Start Date	End Date
Mrs Karen Crozier	Co-opted	02/02/2021	01/02/2025
Mrs Lesley Flecknell	Co-opted	16/03/2022	15/03/2026
Mr Phillip Hook	Co-opted	02/02/2021	01/02/2025
Ms Laura Jameson	Co-opted	17/03/2021	16/03/2025
Mrs Chloe Wilkinson	Headteacher	01/01/2021	
Cllr Sharron Potts	Local Authority	07/07/2022	06/07/2026
Miss Laura Fleck	Parent	14/11/2022	13/11/2026
Mrs Vanda Graham	Parent	28/02/2022	27/02/2026
Mr Michael Rippon	Staff	15/03/2022	14/03/2026
Mr Rob Flecknell	Associate Member	24/11/2022	23/11/2026
Mrs Denise Hewitt	Associate Member	11/07/2023	10/07/2027
Mrs Jo Jackson	Associate Member	17/03/2021	16/03/2025
Ms Michaela Flowdy	Observer	07/07/2022	
Ms Gemma Wrightson	Observer	16/03/2022	

Position	Туре
Ms Michaela Flowdy	Assistant Headteacher
Ms Gemma Wrightson	Assistant Headteacher
Mrs Karen Crozier	Chair
Mrs Jo Jackson	Deputy Headteacher
Mrs Denise Hewitt	School Business Manager
Mr Phillip Hook	Vice-Chair

Establishment	Required	Appointees	Vacanicies
Co-opted	7	4	3
Headteacher	1	1	0
Local Authority	1	1	0
Parent	2	2	0
Staff	1	1	0
TOTAL	12	9	3

Previous Appointments	Туре	Start Date	End Date
Ms Sharon Kinleyside	Co-opted	07/07/2022	14/02/2023
Mrs Alison Richardson	Co-opted	24/11/2022	14/12/2022
Ms Judith Ibukunlayo	Co-opted	07/07/2022	19/10/2022
Mr Lee Gunning	Parent	10/07/2019	16/10/2022

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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)
 - Headteacher ex-officio
 - 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).