# The Governing Board
# Brookland Church of England Primary School

Ten governors are appointed to sit on the school's governing board. They are responsible for setting the strategic direction of the school, ensuring financial health, probity and value for money, and holding the Headteacher to account for the educational performance of the school. The governing board review their structure, terms of reference and standing orders on an annual basis, and have adopted the 'teams' model of governance. This requires the Curriculum & Learning Committee, and the Resources Committee to carry out regular monitoring, and report back to the full governing board.

**Appointments and Register of Business interest: 2024/2025**

| | Name/Office | 4 Year Term of Office Start - End | Business/Pecuniary Interests of Governor and/or Partner/Spouse (Date of Declaration) |
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| **PARENT GOVERNORS x 2 – Nominated/Elected by Parents x 3 – Appointed by the Governing Board** | | | |
| **1** | Ms Tara Pollard<br>**Co Chair of Governors**<br>**Lead on Curriculum & Learning and Early Years (Curriculum & Learning (C&L) Committee)** | 14.02.22 – 13.02.26 | Vice Principal, Towers School & Sixth Form Centre (30.09.22) |
| **2** | Mr Peter Jennings<br>**Vice Chair of Governors**<br>**Lead on Health & Safety and Finance (Resources Committee)** | 14.02.22 – 13.02.26 | None Declared (28.03.24) |
| **LOCAL AUTHORITY (LA) GOVERNOR – Nominated by the LA and appointed by the Governing Board** | | | |
| **3** | Ms Emily Carr<br>**CO Chair Chair of Governors**<br>**Joint lead on the Safeguarding/Child Protection & SEN Lead (C&L & Resources Committees)** | 01.02.22 – 31.01.26 | Director, East Expertise Ltd & Talk about SEND CIC (03.02.22) |
| **HEADTEACHER (ex officio appointment)** | | | |
| **4** | Mr Martin Hacker<br>**(C&L and Resources Committee)** | 01.01.11 | None Declared (10.10.22) |
| **STAFF GOVERNOR – Nominated/Elected by Staff** | | | |
| **5** | Ms Sam McCaffrey<br>**Lead on Training & Development (C&L Committee)** | 24.02.22 – 23.02.26 | None Declared (08.12.22) |
| **FOUNDATION GOVERNORS x 2 – Appointed by the Diocesan Board of Education** | | | |
| **6** | Reverend Shuna Body<br>(ex officiao) | 01.04.05 | None Declared (05.12.22) |
| **7** | Awaiting confirmation<br>Mrs Sandra Ellis | | |
| **Co-opted governors x 2 – Nominated/Elected by Parents x 3 – Appointed by the Governing Board** | | | |
| **8** | Mrs Lauren Byrne<br>**(C&L Committee)** | 10.12.22 – 09.12.26 | None Declared (02.12.22) |
| **9** | Mrs Eleanor Quadri<br>**(C&L Committee)** | 01.12.22 – 30.11.26 | None Declared (28.03.24) |
| **10** | Mr Michael Harrison | 12.12.24 – 12.12.28 | None Declared (12.12.24) |

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| | **(Resources Committee)** | | |
| **FORMER GOVERNORS** | | | |
| Ms T Pollard | Former Co-opted Governor, stood down February 2022 (re-appointed Parent Governor) | | |
| Mr P Jennings | Former Co-opted Governor, stood down February 2022 (re-appointed Parent Governor) | | |
| Mrs V Cubbon | Former Authority Governor, stood down July 2022 | | |
| Mrs V Wardrope | Former Co-opted Governor, stood down October 2022 | | |
| Mr Steve Spooner | Former Associate Governor, stood down July 2023 | | |