

# **BISHOP'S TACHBROOK C E PRIMARY SCHOOL**

## **GOVERNING BODY (MAY 25)**

### **General**

The Governors of Bishop Tachbrook C E Primary School wish you a warm welcome to the school. Our Governing Body (GB) is made up of 11 Governor Posts, as set out within the Instrument of Government Voluntary Controlled Schools dated 14<sup>th</sup> December 2014 which came into effect on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2015:

- 1 x Head Teacher/voter
- 2 x Foundation Governors
- 1 x Local Authority Governor
- 1 x Staff Governor
- 2 x Parent Governors
- 4 x Co-opted Governors

According to the DfE's (Department of Education) Governance Handbook, the GB has a number of core functions:

- Setting vision, ethos and strategic direction of the school.
- Holding the Head teacher to account
- Overseeing financial performance
- Looking at objective data about school's performance

To undertake these functions, in addition to the Governing Body meetings, we also have a Pay Committee. The Governing Body meets once a term at least. The Pay Committee meets once a year.

<b>Governor Name</b>	<b>Type of Governor</b>	<b>Chair (CH) or Vice Chair (VC)</b>	<b>Pay Committee Member</b>	<b>Connections to Staff Yes or No If Yes, who and how.</b>	<b>Term of Office End Date</b>	<b>Other School Governor Posts held.</b>  <b>Name of school and governor type</b>	<b>Business Interests declared.</b>  <b>Yes or No</b>  <b>If yes please state</b>	<b>Meeting Attendance in 2023/24 academic year</b>  <b>Number of meetings in total</b> <b>8</b>	<b>Governor With Specific Responsibilities</b>
Rev Jonathan Smith	Foundation			No		None	Yes Chair of Bishop Tachbrook Trust	7/8	
Mrs Deborah Fance	Co-opted		Yes	No	17/9/28	None	No	Joined Sept 2024	Safeguarding Attendance
Mrs Cathryn Kilby	Head		Yes	No		None	No	8/8	
Mr Paul Gardner	Staff			No	20/9/26	None	No	Joined Sept 2024	Health and Safety Security
Mrs Claire Pepin	Associate			No	28/3/27	None	No	8/8	
Mr Dan White	Co-opted	CH	Yes	No	25/9/26	None	No	6/8	
Mrs Sharron Logan	Co-opted (Foundation until 26/3/2025)	VC		No	25/3/29	None	No	5/8	Wellbeing
Mrs Verity Howe	Co-opted			No	17/9/28	None	No	8/8(Parent Governor 23/24)	SEND
Mr David Phipps	LA			No	25/3/29	None	No	Joined March 2025	Cyber Security
Mrs Alison Seed	Foundation			No	6/4/29		No	Joined April 2025	
Mr Tim Hussain	Parent			No	13/2/27		No	Joined Feb 2025	Finance Pupil and Sports Premium
Mrs Zoe Greene	Parent			No	13/2/27		No	Joined Feb 2025	Finance Pupil and Sports Premium

In addition to the above table the following roles and responsibilities also apply:

Grievance/Disciplinary/Complaints Hearings

Any Three Governors who haven't been involved in the matter before hearing

Appeals Hearing

Any Three Governors who haven't been involved in original hearing or the matter before.

Exclusions

Any Three Governors excluding Staff Governor and Parent Governors.

If you want to contact the Governing Body, you can do so by writing to the Chair of the Governing Body and leave an envelope with the School Office.

**Attendance in 2023/24 of Governors who have left**

Chris Harper - 6/8

Sally Hewitt – 4/8

Kathryn Potter – 6/8

David Guilding – 6/8