

REGISTER OF GOVERNOR INTERESTS

GRANGE VIEW CE PRIMARY SCHOOL, WIDDRINGTON – updated Summer 2025

Name & Category	Appointing Body	Terms of Office	Committees	Official responsibility	Financial Interest	Non-Financial Interest	Attendance at Full FGB Meetings Last 12 months	Attendance at Committee 1	Attendance at Committee 2
Mrs Ashleigh Kent- Parent Governor	Governing Body	From 11.01.2022	Committee 2	Chair of Committee 2 Vice Chair of Governors	None	Child in school	Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25		Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25
Mrs Jayne Muir Co-opted Governor	Governing Body	From 01/04/2024	Committee 1		None	None	Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25		Aut 24-apologies Spring 25- apologies Sum 25
Mr Michael Guy LA Governor	Governing Body	05/07/2011 to 04/07/2019	Committee 1		None	Child in school	Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25	Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25	
Mrs L Chapman Staff Gov	Associate Gov- invitation only	Jan 2020- 2025	Committee 2		None	None	Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25		Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25
Mrs Louise Laskey Head Teacher	By virtue of position	01/05/2011	Committee 1/2		Head teacher	None	Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25	Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25	Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25
Julia Lacey	Ex-Officio Diocese of Hexham & Newcastle	23.07.2023	Committee 2		None	None	Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25		Aut 24 Spring 25- apologies Sum 25
Julian Sumner	Foundation Governor	8.12.2021	Committee 2		None	None		Aut 24 Spring- apologies Sum 25	
Phillipa Levy Parent Governor-	Governing Body	16.12.2024	Committee 2		None	None	Spring 25 Summer 25		Spring 25 Sum 25

Rebecca Griffin Co-opted Gov-1/3/2018 CHAIR	Governing Body	Summer 2018	Committee 1	Chair from Aut 2021 Chair of Committee 1	None	Child in school	Aut 24 Spring 25-apologies Summer 25	Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25	Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25
Carolyn Munton Co-opted Gov	Governing Body	19.10.2023	Committee 1				Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25	Spring25 Sum 25	Aut 24
Olivia Timmins Staff Gov	Governing Body	14.12.2023	Committee 2				Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25		Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25
Mrs Louise Gilmour Non Voting Clerk	Local Authority	1/11/2020			None	None	Aut 24 Spring 25 Sum 25		
PREVIOUS GOVS in last 12 months Linda Brett Fiona Cochrane Jacki Burdis	Co-opted Co-opted Parent	1/9/2019 -May 2024 22/11/2020-March 2024 Sept 23-Sept 2024	Committee 1 Committee 2 Committee 1						

Governors must declare any relevant business interests as well as the details of any other educational establishments they govern. The register must also set out any relationships between governors and members of the school staff including spouses, partners and relatives. It is important to address any perception of a conflict of interest by making clear where such potential personal or pecuniary interests might apply; this might be a conflict between personal interests and the interests of the school or County Council when dealing with outside organisations or individuals.

Examples (potential conflicts):

- A governor whose spouse/partner is employed by the school – *Should not take part in discussion regarding the school's pay policy or any staffing matter that might impact on their partner. Both direct and indirect decisions might impact on the salary range of senior staff e.g. increasing pupil numbers (PAN) or the age range (first to primary).*
- A governor on the management committee of a childcare provider or after school club who rent part of the school – *Should not be party to discussion involving the use of the school or their charging policy.*

- A governor who is a supplier of goods or services to the school – *Should not take part in decisions regarding the letting of contracts for that type of goods or services or where a sub-contract relationship might exist.*

Examples (other declarations):

- Being a governor on another school or academy
- Relationship to staff members

The register of governor interests must be reviewed and updated on an annual basis.

Associate governors must be included on the register and it should be clear where they have voting rights.

The school is required to maintain a similar register of staff interests that should also be reviewed annually – as specified in the NCC code of conduct. Staff had previously been included with the governor's declarations but in light of the governing body register of interests being required to be published on the school web site, a separate register should be drawn up. Staff governors will need to be included on both registers.