

GOVERNING BODY OF WEST DEAN C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

Our Governing Body consists of 12 members and operates with a committee structure. The core functions of our governing body, as set out in The School Governance (Roles, Procedures and Allowances) (England) Regulations 2013, are:

- ensuring that the vision, ethos and strategic direction of the school are clearly defined;
- ensuring that the head teacher performs his or her responsibilities for the educational performance of the school; and
- ensuring the sound, proper and effective use of the school's financial resources.

The statutory purpose of the Governing Body is to promote high standards of educational achievement at the school.

The day to day management of the school is the responsibility of the Headteacher and staff, whereas the governors are responsible for the general direction of the school and providing a strategic overview.

The Governing Body acts as a critical friend to the school and ensures accountability, whilst considering the interests of children, parents and staff. It makes decisions about curriculum, finance, staffing and premises matters, to help raise standards of achievement and to make sure that the school provides a good quality education for all of our pupils.

ATTENDANCE LIST OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF WEST DEAN C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

Full name of Governor	Governor Category	Date of current Appointment or Election	Source of Appointment (where appropriate)	Term of office/Roles within GB	Attendance at full GB Meetings*	Committee membership	Attendance at committee meetings*	Declarations on register of business & pecuniary interest / details of governorships at other schools	Remarks
Mrs Wendy Goacher	Foundation	01/09/2006 - 17/03/2023	Diocese	Chair	6/6	Finance & Staffing	5/6	Nil	
Mrs. Gill Moss	Headteacher	03/09/2008 – 02/09/2050	Headteacher		6/6	Finance & Staffing SEN	6/6	Nil	
Dr Sharon Michi-Kusunoki	Co-Opted	08/07/2015-07/07/2023		Deputy Chair	4/6	Health & Safety		Nil	
Rev Kevin Robinson	Foundation	05/02/2014 – 06/26/2019	Diocese		2/6			Nil	Post ended 26/06/19
Miss Lucy Hockley	Co-Opted	08/07/2015-07/07/2023			6/6			Nil	
Mrs Victoria Sutton	Co-Opted	01/07/2015 – 29/06/2023			6/6	SEN		Nil	
Mr John Coutts	Local Authority	20/02/2018 – 19/02/2022			5/6	Finance & Staffing	4/6	Nil	
Mr Richard Edwards	Parent	03/04/2017 – 02/04/2021			3/6	Finance & Staffing	4/6	Nil	
Mrs Louise Shaw	Parent	03/04/2017 – 02/04/2021			5/6			Nil	
Mrs Jennifer Rogers	Parent	03/04/2017 – 02/04/2021			6/6			Nil	
Mr Tim Clemens	Parent	04/12/2015 – 03/12/2019			4/6	Finance & Staffing Health & Safety	5/6	Nil	
Mrs Sarah Johnson	Staff	01/01/2017 – 31/12/2020	Staff Member		6/6			Nil	
Mrs Merrill Shears	Associate		Business Manager		6/6	Finance & Staffing Health & Safety	6/6	Nil	
Mrs Pasha Delahunty	Clerk	01/04/2019			2/6				Start of post 01/04/19

***Attendance during previous academic year to 31/8/2019**