St James C of E Primary School Local Governing Body - Register of Interests – 2023/2024

Updated 16th March 2024

The composition of the LGB is as follows:

- 3 governors appointed by the Directors
- 2 governors appointed by the Diocese (1 x vacancy)
- 1 Headteacher (ex-officio)
- 1 staff governor
- 2 parent governors

Name of Governor Area of Responsibility	Type - Appointing Body - Term of Office – Meetings in 2022/23 Record of Attendance	Nature of declared interests	Date Disclosed
LUCY OTTAWAY	Headteacher- Ex-Officio 05/09/2022 4 of 6 meetings	 Headteacher, St James Primary School Parent of a pupil at St James Primary School 	20222023
ALAN McPHERSON Chair	Governor appointed by the Directors 07/03/23 - 31/07/24 3 of 3 meetings	 ESPS Innogy Pension Scheme- Pension Provider Governor at Fitzwaryn School, Propeller Academy Trust Governor at St John's Academy, Vale Academy Trust 	200320222023

		BBOWT- Nature Conservancy- member	• 2005
		National Allotment Society/Grove	• 2015
		Road Allotment Association- member • National Trust- member	• 2012
HARRIET RENDER	Governor appointed by the Directors 24/02/23 - 31/08/24 4 of 6 meetings	 Employed- South Central Ambulance Service-Paramedic Employed- We Love Pets- Pet Care Service Employed- Dippers and Divers Swim School Member- College of Paramedics Member- Swimming Teachers Association Parent of pupil at St James Primary School 	 2019 2022 2010 2016 2010 2018
JONATHAN PHILLIPS	Governor elected by Parents 27/09/2022- 26/09/2026 6 of 6 meetings	 Knights Professional Services Ltd-Law- Employee Salary, Partner (Previously Darbys Solicitors LLP from 2005, acquired by Knights 2016) Hanney Tennis Club Parent of a pupil at St James Primary School Spouse Teaching Assistant in a primary school (not part of VAT) 	2016202220202018
CHRISTINE GRANDISON	Governor appointed by the Directors	Employed- Oxfordshire County Council Early Years Education-	• 2017

	27/09/2022- 26/09/2026 6 of 6 meetings	Supporting the educational achievements of Oxfordshire's 'Children We Care For'	
CAROLINE WATSON	Governor elected by Parents 26/04/23- 25/04/27 2 of 3 meetings	 Partner at Freeths LLP- Law Firm TwentySix-TwentyThree Limited- IT Consultancy- spouse shareholding / director Parent of a pupil at St James Primary School 	20222013
LISA WILLIS	Governor elected by Staff 24/4/23- 23/4/27 2 of 2 meetings	 Teacher at St James Primary School Mortgage and Insurance Broking majority owned by spouse; Chris Willis- 10% of company shares owned by LL for inheritance tax planning purposes 	20222022
CHRISTOPHER PALMER	Foundation Governor appointed by the Diocese 4/8/23- 3/8/27	 Evotec (UK) Ltd- employee- CRO working with partners to discover and develop new drugs Preston Road Community Centre CIO- trustee- Serving the south Abingdon community through manging a community centre 	20022019
FIONA ASSERSOHN	Governor appointed by the Directors 21/11/2023- 22/11/2027	 Governor at Fitzwaryn School, Propellor Academy Trust Governor at Charlton School Member of MCC- Cricket Club 	202320152004

Governors who have stepped down in the past 12 months			
REV JOHN DURANT	Foundation Governor appointed by the Diocese		
	Stepped down 22/11/2023		
	01/11/2020 - 31/10/2024 (2 nd term)		
AUDREY JOAN EVANS	Governor appointed by the Directors Stepped down 31/08/2023 01/03/2020 – 28/02/2024		
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