

# St James C of E Primary School Local Governing Committee - Register of Interests – 2024/2025

Updated 26th October 2024

<p>The composition of the LGC is as follows:</p> <p>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 (1 x vacancy)</p>			
Name of Governor Area of Responsibility	Type - Appointing Body - Term of Office – Meetings in 2023/24 Record of Attendance	Nature of declared interests	Date Disclosed
LUCY OTTAWAY	Headteacher- Ex-Officio  05/09/2022 6 of 6 meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Headteacher, St James Primary School</li> <li>• Parent of a pupil at St James Primary School</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2022</li> <li>• 2023</li> </ul>
ALAN McPHERSON Chair Equality	Governor appointed by the Directors  07/03/2023 - 31/08/2027 6 of 6 meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• RWE Group of ES Pension Scheme- Pension Provider</li> <li>• Governor at Fitzwaryn School, Propeller Academy Trust</li> <li>• Governor at St John’s Academy, Cambrian Learning Trust</li> <li>• BBOWT- Nature Conservancy-member</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2003</li> <li>• 2022</li> <li>• 2023</li> <li>• 2005</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National Allotment Society/Grove Road Allotment Association- member</li> <li>• National Trust- member</li> <li>• Royal Horticultural Society- member</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2015</li> <li>• 2012</li> <li>• 2015</li> </ul>
CHRISTINE GRANDISON SEND EYFS	Governor appointed by the Directors  27/09/2022- 26/09/2026 6 of 6 meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HomeStart Southern Oxfordshire- Trustee and Home Visiting Volunteer</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2024</li> </ul>
CAROLINE WATSON Communications (Vice Chair for 2023/24)	Governor elected by Parents  26/04/2023- 25/04/2027 5 of 6 meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Partner at Freeths LLP- Law Firm</li> <li>• TwentySix-TwentyThree Limited- IT Consultancy- spouse shareholding / director</li> <li>• Parent of a pupil at St James Primary School</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2022</li> <li>• 2013</li> <li>• 2023</li> </ul>
CHRISTOPHER PALMER Vice Chair Safeguarding CE Policy Behaviour	Foundation Governor appointed by the Diocese  04/08/2023- 03/08/2027 6 of 6 meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Preston Road Community Centre CIO- trustee- Serving the south Abingdon community through managing a community centre</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2018</li> </ul>
FIONA ASSERSOHN Vice Chair Quality of Education	Governor appointed by the Directors  21/11/2023- 22/11/2027 5 of 5 meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Governor at Fitzwaryn School, Propellor Academy Trust</li> <li>• Governor at Charlton School, Cambrian Learning Trust</li> <li>• Member of MCC- Cricket Club</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2023</li> <li>• 2015</li> <li>• 2004</li> </ul>
MANDY RICHARDSON	Governor elected by Staff  25/07/2024- 24/07/2028	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Home School Link Worker at St James Primary School</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2024</li> </ul>

<b>Governors who have stepped down in the past 12 months</b>			
JONATHAN PHILLIPS	Governor elected by Parents  Stepped down 24/7/2024  27/09/2022- 26/09/2026		
HARRIET RENDER	Governor appointed by the Directors  24/02/2023 - 31/08/2024		
LISA WILLIS	Governor elected by Staff  Stepped down 22/3/2024  24/4/23- 23/4/27		
REV JOHN DURANT	Foundation Governor appointed by the Diocese  Stepped down 22/11/2023  01/11/2020- 31/10/2024 (2 <sup>nd</sup> term)		