

Current Local Governing Board

Full Name	Category	Appointed by	Role	Date of Appointment	Term of office		Relevant business, financial and/or loyalty interests	Date interest began	Date interest ceased (if applicable)
					Start date	End date			
Naomi Drake	Staff Governor	Elected by Staff		12/01/2024	12/01/2024	11/01/2028	No interests declared	12/01/2024	
Peter Dyson	Foundation Governor	Trust Board	Link Governor - SEND	05/09/2021	05/09/2025	04/09/2029	Treasurer - St Pancras Church, Plymouth	01/09/2014	
Courtney Lobban	Foundation Governor	Trust Board		11/02/2026	11/02/2026	10/02/2030	Headteacher of Shakespeare Primary School	01/09/2025	
Leni McCormick	Foundation Governor	Trust Board	Link Governor - Safeguarding	01/01/2021	11/10/2023	10/10/2027	No interests declared	N/A	
Lynne Palmer	Parent Governor	Elected by Parents	Link Governor - Attendance	22/03/2024	22/03/2024	21/03/2028	Business Engagement Lead - Babcock International	24/03/1996	
Robert Salmon	Parent Governor	Elected by Parents	Link Governor - Disadvantaged	22/03/2024	22/03/2024	21/03/2028	Children attend ASAP - Year 7 and Year 9	01/09/2022	
							Employee of Ted Wragg Trust (Headteacher of All Saints Academy)	01/09/2017	
							Spouse Headteacher at another TWT School	01/09/2022	
Scott Simpson-Horne	Ex-Officio	Ex-Officio	Headteacher	01/01/2022	01/01/2022	N/A	Governor - Learning Academies Trust (Knowle Primary School)	11/07/2022	
Denise Smith	Trust Governor	Trust Board		22/10/2025	22/10/2025	21/10/2029	No interests declared	N/A	
							Chair of Governors - Destination Plymouth	20/01/2013	
							Governor - Devon & Cornwall Chamber of Commerce	01/01/2013	
							Director - Dartline Bus Company / Dealtop Ltd	01/12/2023	
							Governor - Heart of Southwest LEP	01/03/2017	01/09/2024
							Governor - Mountbatten Water Park Centre	01/12/2023	
							Chair of Governors - City College Plymouth	24/03/2021	
Richard Stevens	Foundation Governor	Trust Board	Chair / Link Governor - Careers	01/01/2021	01/01/2025	31/12/2029	Managing Director - Plymouth Citybus Ltd	11/04/2012	
							Priest at Diocese of Exeter	29/09/2018	
							Justice of the Peace for HMCS	05/06/1991	
David Watson	Foundation Governor	Trust Board		09/07/2025	09/07/2025	08/07/2029	Independent Monitor for Ministry of Justice	22/11/2022	

Historical*

*Governors who have served on the Local Governing Board in the last 12 months

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							Director of Education - Learning Academies Trust		
Cameron Lancaster	Foundation Governor	Trust Board	Link Governor Disadvantaged & Pupil Premium	19/10/2022	19/10/2022	10/02/2025	Executive Headteacher - Knowle and Shakespeare Primary Schools		
James O'Connell	Trust Governor	Trust Board		16/10/2024	16/10/2024	31/08/2025	No interests declared	16/10/2024	
							Associate Priest - Justice of the Peace	05/06/1991	
							Team Leader - Live West	03/08/2003	
							Independent Monitor - Ministry of Justice	22/11/2022	
David Watson	Foundation Governor	Trust Board	Vice Chair / Link Governor - SIAMS	01/01/2021	01/01/2021	11/12/2024	Priest - Diocese of Exeter	29/09/2018	

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