

Governance Structure and Remits

Members

Minimum of 3, DFE advises 5 (currently 5)

Meetings: Annual General Meeting

Remit: monitor the work of the Trustees to ensure they discharge their statutory duties and carry out their charitable objectives

Reporting by: Trustees

Aspire Schools Trust Board

Chair: Sylvia Paddock

Maximum of 9 trustees (currently 7)

Meetings: 5 meetings each year

Remit: The trust board is the decision-making body of the academy trust. It is accountable and responsible for all academies in the trust. Trustees should:

- ensure clarity of vision, ethos and strategic direction
- hold executive leaders to account for the educational performance of the organisation and its pupils, and the performance management of staff
- oversee and ensure effective financial performance

Reporting by: CEC

Sir Williams Robertson Academy

Local Governing Body

Chair of Governors: Seamus Anderson

Meetings: 5 meetings each year

Remit: The Trust Board delegates some governance functions to its Local Governing Bodies. These are detailed in the Scheme of Delegation

Reporting by: Headteacher

Bassingham Primary School

Local Governing Body

Chair of Governors: Jo Lambert

Meetings: 5 meetings each year

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Reporting by: Headteacher

Finance, Audit and Risk Committee

Chair: Simon Shaw

Minimum of 3 Trustees

Meetings: 4 meetings each year

Remit: The Trust Board delegates some functions to a committee for finance, audit and risk. The committee is responsible for oversight and scrutiny of financial management and advising on the adequacy of the Trust's risks and controls.

Reporting by: CFO and CEO/ Accounting Officer

Westgate Academy

Local Governing Body

Chair of Governors: Mike Belcher

Meetings: 5 meetings each year

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Reporting by: Headteacher