

St Mary's RC Primary School

Appointments	Type	Start Date	End Date
Mr Michael Crinnion	Foundation	10/03/2017	09/03/2021
Mr Michael Currie	Foundation	02/11/2016	01/11/2020
Dr Kieran Doran	Foundation	19/12/2018	18/12/2022
Mr John Green	Foundation	26/02/2020	25/02/2024
Mrs Clare Salmon	Foundation	28/06/2018	27/06/2022
Mrs Christine Wood	Foundation	28/06/2018	27/06/2022
Mr Joseph Wheatley	Headteacher	01/09/2015	
Mrs Lee-Ann Moir	Local Authority	05/03/2020	04/03/2024
Mrs Siobhan Thompson	Parent	27/09/2019	26/09/2023
Mrs Theresa Noble	Staff	27/02/2018	26/02/2022
<i>Mrs Susan Soan</i>	<i>Observer</i>	<i>12/05/2020</i>	
<i>Mrs Louise Young</i>	<i>Observer</i>	<i>01/09/2020</i>	<i>31/08/2024</i>

Positions	Type
Mr Michael Currie	Chair
Mrs Christine Wood	Vice Chair

Establishment	Required	Appointees	Vacancies
Foundation	7	6	1
Headteacher	1	1	0
Local Authority	1	1	0
Parent	2	1	1
Staff	1	1	0
Totals	12	10	2

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Governing body regulations (maintained schools)

- Governors are appointed/elected as follows:
 - Co-opted - appointed by the governing body
 - Foundation - appointed by the Diocese
 - Local Authority - appointed by the governing body, following approval of the nomination from cabinet
 - Parent/Staff - elected by parents/staff respectively
- Governing bodies must have at least seven governors, including the Headteacher; one and only one Local Authority governor; one and only one Staff governor; at least two Parent governors; and for Voluntary Aided schools, there must be exactly two more Foundation governors than all other categories combined.
- The total number of Co-opted governors who are also eligible to be elected as Staff governors, when counted with the Staff governor and the Headteacher, must not exceed one third of the total membership of the governing body.
- The term of office for any governor shall be four years (unless otherwise stated in the Instrument of Government), save that this time limit shall not apply to any post which is held ex officio. Associate Members can be appointed for between one and four years. Parent governors may serve out their term of office when their child leaves the school, but Staff governors must resign when they leave the school.
- Associate Members and governors who are members of staff cannot be Chair or Vice-Chair. Associate Members also do not count towards a quorum and do not have voting rights for governing body meetings (but can be appointed with voting rights on committees).
- The governing body must hold at least three meetings in every school year, and the quorum for a meeting of the governing body and for any vote on any matter at such a meeting, is one half (rounded up to a whole number) of the membership of the governing body, i.e. the number of governors in post at the date of the meeting.
- Every question to be decided at a meeting of the governing body is to be determined by a majority of the votes of the governors present and voting on the question, and where there is an equal division of votes the Chair, or as the case may be, the person who is acting as Chair for the purposes of the meeting (provided that such person is a governor), will have a second or casting vote (the governing body may approve alternative arrangements for governors to participate or vote at meetings of the governing body including but not limited to by telephone or video conference).