

REGISTER OF GOVERNOR INTERESTS

ELLINGHAM C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL updated February 24

Name & Category	Appointing Body	Terms of Office	Committees	Official responsibility	Financial Interest	Non-Financial Interest	
Gustav McLeod NDEB Foundation	Newcastle Diocesan Education Board	02/11/2016 – 01/11/ 2024	Committee 1	Chair of Governors/Chair of Committee 1 KS2 Maths plus Art and Design Technology/History/Geography and Music	None		
Tony Macpherson NDEB	Newcastle Diocesan Education Board	11/09/2019 09/09/2027		Vice Chair/ Chair of Committee 2 Ex Officio RE/Collective Worship	None	None	
Diane Lakey	By virtue of position	01/09/2009 On going	Committee 1 and 2	Headteacher SEND / Child Protection DSL		Member of Longframlington PC Carmel (CTTP)	
Kathy Davies Staff	School Staff	01/09/ 2015 23/06/ 2025	Committee 1	Clerk to Committee 1 and 2	Member of support staff	None	
Andrea Thomas NDEB Foundation	Newcastle Diocesan Education Board	05/02/2001 04/02/2025	Committee 2	PSHE/RSHE Pupil Premium	None	None	
Michael Stafford Parent Governor	Parent Body	21/10/2020 20/10/2024	Committee 2	Safeguarding: Health and Safety/ Buildings	None	None	
Alice Reilly NDEB PCC Foundation	Newcastle Diocesan Education Board	08/12/2019 08/10/2027	Committee 2	KS1 plus RE / Collective Worship Website Compliance	None	Teacher at NCC School	

Ann Flowers	Local Authority	04/12/2020 03/12/2024	Committee 2	SEND/ Child Protection Computing	None	Grandparent of pupil	
Brenda Frier NDEB Foundation	Newcastle Diocesan Education Board	23/06/2022 - 25/06/2026	Committee 1	TBC	None	Weekly volunteer	
Christine Hobson NDEB Foundation	Newcastle Diocesan Education Board	23/06/2022 –25/06/2026	Committee 2	TBC	None	Mother of staff member Weekly volunteer	
Penny Garrood Parent Governor	Parent Body	17/10/22- 12/10/26	TBC	Early Years	None	None	

Committee 1: Resource Management

Areas of Responsibility

Staffing

Finance

Keeping Safe and Healthy

Sustainability

Governing Body development

Committee 2: Strategic Policy and Direction

Areas of responsibility

Curriculum and pupils including EYFS

Governors must declare any relevant business interests as well as the details of any other educational establishments they govern. The register must also set out any relationships between governors and members of the school staff including spouses, partners and relatives. It is important to address any perception

of a conflict of interest by making clear where such potential personal or pecuniary interests might apply; this might be a conflict between personal interests and the interests of the school or County Council when dealing with outside organisations or individuals.

Examples (potential conflicts):

- A governor whose spouse/partner is employed by the school – *Should not take part in discussion regarding the school's pay policy or any staffing matter that might impact on their partner. Both direct and indirect decisions might impact on the salary range of senior staff e.g. increasing pupil numbers (PAN) or the age range (first to primary).*
- A governor on the management committee of a childcare provider or after school club who rent part of the school – *Should not be party to discussion involving the use of the school or their charging policy.*
- A governor who is a supplier of goods or services to the school – *Should not take part in decisions regarding the letting of contracts for that type of goods or services or where a sub-contract relationship might exist.*

Examples (other declarations):

- Being a governor on another school or academy
- Relationship to staff members

The register of governor interests must be reviewed and updated on an annual basis.

Associate governors must be included on the register and it should be clear where they have voting rights.

The school is required to maintain a similar register of staff interests that should also be reviewed annually – as specified in the NCC code of conduct. Staff had previously been included with the governor's declarations but in light of the governing body register of interests being required to be published on the school web site, a separate register should be drawn up. Staff governors will need to be included on both registers.